



Residential Preparation Checklist for Bed Bug Service

- You must be out of the house for 4 – 6 hours.
- Open windows for 20 minutes after re entry if possible.
- Children under 4 years of age, Infants, pregnant women and people suffering from heart, kidney, respiratory ailments or allergies should remain away for at least 24 hours.
- We will be doing two treatments. The second treatment will be done within 10-15 days.

Don't start throwing your bed and other furniture out. Most furniture, including mattresses and sofas, can be treated by Tyrone Pest Control, and you can ask the Tyrone Pest Control if throwing them out is necessary. It usually isn't necessary or recommended because tossing furniture and other items out can just lead to spreading bed bugs as well as emptying your home of furnishings. If there is a good reason to get rid of something, your Tyrone Pest Management professional can help you do it safely, so as not to spread the bugs around your home or building, and so that others do not pick up infested items.

Pick up all clothes, toys, off the floor. Vacuum all the carpets and Sweep and wash all floors. Bag up all clothing and bedding before treatment. All bedding and clothing must be **Washed/Dried for 20 minutes on high heat** This can be done before or after treatment. It is a good idea to keep clothing and bedding bagged up until second treatment is done.

In order to achieve control, Pest Control will perform a check behind and under and along the walls for bed bugs. Please pull your furniture 3 inches away from the walls. in all rooms such as Bedrooms, Living Room so that we can check behind and under and along the walls, beds, furniture and clothes.

DON'T PUT anything on the BEDS and Couches. Beds stripped and mattress and box springs put up against the walls so that the Pest Control service technicians can access the areas for treatment.

Keys to getting a successful treatment

Avoid washing floor, especially the edges for at least 3 weeks after treatment, and do not steam clean carpets for 3 weeks. Vacuum as usual and Sweep Floors. If you wash floors stay away from the edges of the rooms.

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You will still see bed bugs as this type of treatment flushes them out of their hiding spots as well it is a contact spray which means they must contact it in order to kill them so don't panic you will see them for usually a few days after we spray.

Change the sheets weekly and **Vacuum** all the beds (frames, mattress and box springs) as well as the entire room especially along the edges of the baseboards, other furniture such as the couches all the creases and under the pillows on the couches and under the couches chairs and all rooms. This needs to be done daily for maximum results for 15 days. Put sheets on furniture such as couches and chairs till all treatments are done.

Where do bed Bug Hide?

- Mattress 22%
- Box spring 34.5%
- Frame/Headboard 13%
- Baseboards 1.5%
- Couch/Chair 22.6%
- Nightstand /Dresser 0.2%
- Walls/Ceilings 2.3%

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