



PREPERATION CHECKLIST FOR HEAT TREATMENT

Date: _____
Name (Occupant): _____
Address (Location): _____

Important: Read Carefully. Your Signature is required.

During the time required to heat your structure, the potential for damage to furnishings and fixtures is practically non-existent. The following precautions are suggested in order to protect items of a more delicate nature.

A copy of the notice must be signed and on the property when our Heat Treatment crew arrives.

Heat Sensitive Checklist

Articles that are impractical to move may be wrapped with an insulating material to ensure safe temperatures. Ask our technician for advice on items in question.

The following items should be removed prior to a bed bug heat treatment:

- persons, plants and animals
- flat screen tvs
- candles, wax, crayons, lipstick, stick deodorant, hand lotions, facial creams, vaseline, hair gels.
- medicines and vitamins
- aerosol cans (spray deodorant, spray starch, hair spray, etc.)
- fire extinguishers and other combustible items
- acoustic guitars
- fresh fruits and vegetables, chocolates, carbonated beverages, wines, liquors, beer, and artificial sweeteners (these items can be placed in the refrigerator)
- alcohol, mouthwash, and hand sanitizer

Ask your technician of any other items you have additional concerns of.

It is the owner's or agent's responsibility to notify our company of the presence of the following items: fire sprinklers and heat sensors. Also, please remove batteries from smoke detectors.

Note: It is necessary in most situations to heat for 24-48 hours; thereby requiring residents to relocate for that time.

REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS

This company assumes no liability for damage to structures not built to local codes or for faulty gas meters, pipes or wires. It is necessary to have access to electrical power. We are not liable for damage to old, oxidized or improperly applied, peeled, or chipped finishes. We also assume no liability for damage to painted surfaces.

I/We the undersigned have read, reviewed, and agreed to all the provisions contained herein and have acknowledged receipt of an exact copy of the Safety notice. In the event that I/we do not comply with the requirements of this notice, I/we agree to hold the licensed Company/Operator, and any others involved in the completion of stated treatment harmless of any liabilities connected with this treatment.

Owner/Agent

Title

Date



NOTICE

The heat level that we use to kill bed bugs is not known to cause problems with electronics. However, there have been a few instances when the heat has affected televisions. We cannot say for sure that this will not happen again.

If you are concerned about your electronics (television, computer, laptop, ipad, etc.) then you should remove them prior to the service.

Other things that could be affected by the heat, but rarely, could include:

1. Glue, such as wallpaper, formica counter tops, vinyl flooring, vinyl wrapped doors, etc.
2. Vinyl Blinds

Harris Pest Control, Inc. will not be responsible for any items damaged or affected by this service. If you have any concerns about this service, speak with your technician.



PREPARATION FOR BED BUG HEAT TREATMENT

1. Fill out the preparation checklist, checking off the sensitive items as they are removed. Sign the bottom of the checklist and leave it on the counter.
2. Because you will be out of your home for a minimum of 24 hours for this service, you may want to take some personal items with you. These items should be taken out in a plastic bag. NO suitcases, book bags, or cloth bags should be removed from the home. All clothes taken from the home (including those that you are wearing) **MUST** be ran through a clothes dryer cycle before you return. All blankets, pillows, and stuffed toys should remain in the home.
3. Old refrigerators may not be able to withstand the prolonged high heat. This may cause your items in the refrigerator and freezer to be compromised or cause the motor in the unit to become overworked. If this is a concern of yours, then you should remove all items from the refrigerator unit and unplug it prior to our arrival.
4. It is important that you try to maintain a bed bug free house. Bed bugs are brought in from traveling, used and rented furniture, guests in the home, and used clothing and bedding. These are not all the ways that bed bugs can enter a home, but these are the ways that they most often enter your home.

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To help maintain a bed bug free environment in your home, here are some suggestions:

1. Never pick up discarded furniture or bedding from the side of the road. People often discard good furniture because of bed bugs.
2. Never buy used furniture.
3. Never get furniture from a rental company.
4. If you buy or are given used clothing, you should put them in the clothes dryer as soon as you get them into your home.
5. The bed bugs that were in your home came from somewhere/someone. If you know where they came from, take the appropriate steps to prevent bed bugs in the future.
6. If you have local family or friends that frequently visit your home, it is possible that they brought the bed bugs into your home. If not, then it is possible that they carried bed bugs into their home from yours. Be aware of this and take the appropriate steps to prevent the bed bugs from coming back.

Owner

Date