

## **Bed Bug Preparation Check List**

## The following steps must be completed for an effective service to be performed.

- Make sure all food and dishes are put away in cabinets and/or refrigerator.
- To avoid residue on surfaces, please cover high dollar electronics and televisions with sheets or Plastic.
- All pets, reptiles, fish, and birds must be removed! Fish tanks must be covered with plastic. Unplug the pump filter for the minimum of four hours.
- Unlock all interior doors. State law prohibits treatment if any interior doors are locked.
- Remove dust cover/felt from bottom of box springs, couches and chairs. If this is not done, please be aware that the technician will be removing it.
- Do not place any items on couches, chairs, or beds to ensure these items can be treated.
- Before our service, all clothing and linens must be put in the dryer for at least 1 hour on highest heat possible. Put all clothes and linens in a large bag until service is complete in 2 weeks.
- Blankets, sheets, and bedding currently on the bed and/or furniture must be washed and dried in the hottest temperature possible. Make sure all bedding is off when you are scheduled for treatment. Do not store clothes and item in duffle bags with zipper openings.
- Because of the nature of bed bugs, the less clutter the more effective the treatment will be.
- Do not bring any new furniture or unwashed clothing in until after your last treatment.
- REMOVE ALL PLASTIC AND COVERS FROM MATTRESSES. DO NOT PUT BED BUG COVER BACK ON UNTIL LAST TREATMENT IS COMPLETE. ANY PLASTIC OR COVER NOT REMOVED WILL BE REMOVED BY TECHNICIAN. UP TO A \$25 FEE MAY BE ADDED IF THIS IS NOT DONE.

## **RESIDENTS WILL NEED TO VACATE THE PREMISES FOR 4 HOURS AFTER THE TREATMENT.** All preparation must be done or any warranty after final treatment will be void. A second service will be required for any warranty to be valid. The second service will be done in approximately 2 weeks.

I have read and understand this prep sheet.