

# Pro Heat Extermination

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## Preparation for Bed Bug Heat Treatment

### TENANT RESPONSIBILITIES FOR PRE-TREATMENT PREPARATION FOR THE HEAT TREATMENT OF BED BUGS.

The heat treatment uses specialized electric heaters to heat the inside of the infested rooms to temperatures exceeding 120 F in order to kill all stages of bedbugs that may be hiding in furniture, fixtures and other belongings. Our pest control specialists can successfully eliminate the entire life cycle of bed bugs, from eggs to adults. The success of any treatment depends on a partnership between the occupant and our pest control specialists, and your help in preparing the home before treatment is critical.

#### Preparing for Heat Treatment:

24 Hours prior to treatment air conditioners should be turned off and, if you are able, turn the heat up. Make arrangements to vacate the premises for 8 to 10 hours on the day of the treatment. In order to get ready for the heat treatment, please do the following things prior to the pest control specialist's arrival.

#### Items that **MUST** be removed before the treatment are:

- House plants and pets, including fish in aquariums
- Fresh food - store in refrigerator if possible
- Foods that may melt including chocolate, candy etc.
- Medicines
- Cosmetics
- Wax based items: like candles, wax figures, oil paintings, etc
- Any pressurized items: aerosol spray cans, canned drinks, fire extinguishers, oxygen tanks, cleaning products, etc
- Flammable items; lighters, lamp oil, solvents, gunpowder, ammunition, etc
- Family heirlooms and irreplaceable items.
- Clear all doorways, We will be bringing in large equipment and need easy access throughout the dwelling
- Bed frames can be left in place, as these will be moved during the treatment.
- Except for the items mentioned above, please leave everything else in the home in its place. This includes bedding, furniture, televisions, computers, etc. This is important because bed bugs and their eggs can be located anywhere and this helps us ensure there are no survivors.
- We will assume that any clothing, linens or blankets in plastic bags have been sent thru a dryer.

- Do not place clothing, linens or blankets in plastic bags, unless heated in a dryer for 30 min.
- Arrange clothing in closets so there is some space between items hanging from rods or lying on shelves, if possible. This will help evenly distribute the heat.
- Clothing may remain in drawers if not densely packed.
- Any clothing that is removed from the home before the treatment should be placed in a dryer at max heat setting for 40 minutes before returning
- Any fabric items in suitcase and totes must also be placed in a dryer at max heat setting for 40 minutes
- Gather loose papers and other articles that would be blown around by heater fans place them in boxes.
- Any powders used previously must be vacuumed up
- Take down wall-mounted knick knack shelves, wall hangings and small pictures.
- Waterbeds must be drained
- Air mattress must be deflated
- Unplug all electronics

#### **After Treatment:**

Following a successful treatment, your home/business will be bed bug free! However, some of your belongings may not be exactly where you left them. We may have moved them to ensure an even distribution of heat. Open windows or use fans as needed to reduce heat, and return your items to their appropriate places.

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**Please call if you have any questions or concerns!**

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**Liability Waiver**

To Whom It May Concern,

Pro Heat Extermination is not liable or responsible for any damages to the client's personal items during the heat treatment. The client agrees that any valuables will be removed from the premises.

The customer has read and agrees to the above statement, and withdraws any liability against Ryan Reddekopp or Pro Heat Extermination.

CUSTOMER NAME (PRINTED) \_\_\_\_\_

CUSTOMER SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_