



NS PEST CONTROL

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PREPARATION CHECKLIST BEFORE BED BUG TREATMENT

- ✓ Purchase encasements for box spring, mattress, and pillows that are approved for bed bug control.
- ✓ Carefully and gently remove and bag all linens, blankets, comforters, and pillows from the bed, being careful not to scatter or get any bed bugs on you. Place in a bag to launder. Seal the bag by tying a tight knot or use a twist tie, and wash in hot water (tie up and discard old bag) and dry completely in dryer, then put the clean linens in a new bag and seal tightly.
- ✓ Lean box spring and mattress against the wall.
- ✓ No need to move or wash all your clothes. Do not move any items to a different room.
- ✓ Please carefully and slowly, if you are able, move all furniture and items in all rooms at least a foot away from walls.
- ✓ Clean and reduce clutter.
- ✓ Move bed away from walls. Make sure drapes aren't touching backboard.
- ✓ Don't leave anything under the bed before or after treatment.
- ✓ Remove electrical outlet covers, and light switch covers in the bedroom.
- ✓ On the day of treatment, remove all pets from the premises and cover aquariums.
- ✓ On the day of treatment, you may open windows.
- ✓ You are not to re-enter the premises for at least 6 hours after treatment has finished.