Bed Bug Heat Treatment Preparation Checklist

On the day of treatment, our technician(s) will arrive at approximately 8:30 to 9:30 am and the treatment will begin shortly thereafter. Treatment will continue until approximately 5:00 to 6:00 pm. Please plan to arrive home after 6:00pm

******IF this prep sheet is not completed, the implied warranty will be null and void!*****

PLEASE FOLLOW THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS

- Turn the heat **ON** and all the way up to the highest setting prior to our arrival at 7 am.
- NO CLUTTER!!!! Clutter prevents heat from moving freely throughout the structure. Clutter will void the warranty!
- **o** DO NOT remove any infested materials from the infested room(s) or house including clothing.
- **DO NOT leave piles of clothes or linens in garbage bags or on the floor**. Clothing must remain loosely piled or hung so that the heat will be able to penetrate. Piles of clothes or linens will prevent heat from penetrating and void ALL warranties.
- Strip all beds of all linens. We recommend drying these items loosely for 20+ minutes to kill all bed bugs and eggs. These items can be bagged up and stored in the laundry room or designated place.
- Open all closets, drawers and doors of all furniture such as nightstands, dressers and cabinets.
- Make sure all closets are not packed too tightly. Heated air needs to circulate freely.
- IF POSSIBLE, break down all bed frames, separating the rails from the headboard and footboard.
- Fans will be used to circulate the heated air. Make sure items that can be blown around or off the wall are secured or removed, such as loose picture and hand drawn pictures..
- All equipment such as computers, TV's, DVD players, game systems, etc... MUST be powered down and unplugged from the wall outlets. This to prevent a power surge from outside sources, as we use our own power supply.

YOU MUST REMOVE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- <u>All</u> residents and pets including dogs, cats, fish, birds, lizards, gerbils, etc.
- Aerosol cans and compressed gasses. All flammable or combustible compounds including gasoline, propane, butane and cleaners, cigarette lighters, fluids, ammunitions and guns. These items should be placed in the bathtub.
- Candles, lipstick, oil paintings, acrylics, loose pictures, crayons, wax, and art objects assembled with hot glue should also be removed and placed into the bathtub.
- Remote controls, audio and video tapes, CDs, DVDs, films and related chemicals. These items should be boxed up and placed in the bathtub.

YOU SHOULD REMOVE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

- Indoor plants including seeds and bulbs. The extreme heat will cause them to dry out and die.
- Fruits and vegetables. (can be placed in the refrigerator)
- \circ $\;$ Chocolates, candy, medicines and vitamins need to be placed in the refrigerator.

If the technician has to complete the preparation, pictures will be taken of the needed work and up to \$200 can be charged for the prep work and must be paid prior to the treatment.

Please contact your GENE or our office at 877-323-2847 if you have any questions.

We have a step by step process that we use to make sure we treat in all areas that bed bugs like to harborage. We are very successful with our treatments and always include a follow up treatment to make sure they are gone. It does require preparation on your part and our's but we will eliminate this big problem the quickest way possible. Before your treatment, download either heat or traditional treatments and complete the checklist below:

https://procorepest.schedule-service.com/