

Thermal Remediation Preparation Checklist:

For a successful bed bug heat treatment our technicians need your full cooperation. Please note: **a cancellation fee will be assessed for failing to comply with this checklist.**

Residents name _____ Date _____

Address _____

Sprinkler System Present YES ___ NO ___ # OF HEADS ___

Clothes and linens in closets can stay hanging. Clothes and linens in dressers can be left in drawers, but densely packed drawers need to be emptied into open laundry baskets

Electronics and associated items can be left in the treatment area, but unplugged. EXCEPT PLASMA TV'S AND HARD DRIVES. PLASMA SCREENS AND HARD DRIVES MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE TREATMENT AREA.

Remove:

All people, and all pets including fish, birds, reptiles, etc. Will have to leave the treatment area for a minimum of 6 hours. The treatment takes on average 4 hours but needs time to cool down.

Only remove items that are absolutely necessary, and other items should be left inside the treatment area if possible to prevent a re-infestation

Musical instruments, hard drives and plasma screens need to be removed.

Laminated furniture may be damaged from the heat, please make arrangements for alternative treatments such as steam or an approved insecticide.

Box:

All of the following items must be placed in containers/boxes and left by the door for inspection by the technician. These items cannot be heated, but will be inspected by the technician and treated accordingly. Items that cannot be heat treated can be chemically treated

Compressed gases, flammable or combustible chemicals (lighters, butane, gasoline, propane) and pressurized cans (hairspray, spray on deodorants, bug sprays, asthma inhalers, spray paints, cleaning products).

Ammunition, gun powder, oils, solvents, medications

Candles, waxes and parafins, indoor plants, oil paintings

Other/Misc:

Horizontal blinds pulled up to prevent warping from the heat.

Waterbeds or airbed bladders drained or deflated

Electronics unplugged

Turn off heating and air-conditioning units

After treatment you may notice that all of the items left in the treatment area are not as you left them. Our technicians may have to rotate these items to achieve even heat distribution throughout the treatment area.

Post Treatment:

Vacuum the treatment area thoroughly, especially in infested areas and on mattresses and boxsprings, and baseboards.

Put removed items back in the room, still inspecting thoroughly for any bed bug activity. This is to ensure no re infestation from bed bugs in these items.

Warranty:

30 day warranty on the area treated. We will return a few weeks after treatment to inspect treatment area and pheromone lures installed for any additional bed bug activity.

Disclaimer:

By signing below; we agree Gilpins/Thompson Interior Pest Control accepts no responsibility to damaged items inside the treatment area.

Technician: _____ Customer: _____