

FLEA CONTROL

CLIENT PREPARATION INFORMATION

For our company to provide the most effective service possible, we ask that before our arrival you review and complete all necessary steps listed below. One of our technicians will verify completion upon arrival. If you fail to complete the following requests, it may delay the treatment and potentially void any guarantee if applicable. The Appalachian Pest Control technician may provide additional preparation instructions based on infestation level.

How to Prepare for The Service

- Arrange to have your pet(s) professionally treated for fleas before the premises are treated.
- Vacuum all rugs, carpet, hardwood, and upholstered furniture. Special attention must be given to pet resting areas. Vacuum bags should be discarded immediately upon completion.
- Mop all tile and vinyl floors; Sweep all floors that cannot be mopped.
- Remove and clean or dispose of all pet bedding.
- Make as much of the floor space accessible by removing small items from floor surfaces. This includes the bottom of closets and under beds.
- All dog toys, kids' toys, shoes, clothing, etc. must be moved off the floor.
- No bulky furniture needs to be moved, but miscellaneous items should be moved.
- Throw blankets and throw pillows need to be removed from the furniture.

After the Treatment

The treatment will remain effective only if the following steps are taking after your home is serviced:

- Avoid waxing or washing floor surfaces, especially the edges for at least three weeks after treatment, and do not steam clean carpets.
- Vacuum as usual every day for a week after treatment.
- Expect to see adult fleas for up to one week after treatment.
- **DO NOT** use other pest control chemicals (powders or sprays) or cleaning products anywhere near spray treatments, as this will decrease effectiveness.
- Because the treatment works best when fleas sense vibrations in the room try not to leave the home unoccupied for any extended periods of time (1 to 2 weeks).

Reminder

It is necessary for you and your pets to leave your home for 8 hours once the treatment begins.

Fish aquariums may be left onsite; however, they should be covered, and air filters must be disconnected. Persons with underlying health conditions should consult their family physician where they have concerns regarding re-entry time.

What You Can Expect from The Treatment

Your technician will use a variety of methods to control the pest depending on each unique situation. Most of the treatment will focus on the room's carpet, baseboards, and pet loafing areas. All treatments will be made with your safety in mind to ensure your health.

Additional Instructions/Notes:
