# **AmericanPest**

## THERMAL REMEDIATION PREPARATION CHECKLIST

For a successful Bed bug heat treatment our service technicians need your full cooperation. Please note: <u>a cancellation</u> fee will be assessed for failing to comply with this checklist. Please see *Thermal Remediation Waiver*.

 Resident Name (Please Print)
 Date\_\_\_\_\_

 Address
 Unit #

### REMOVE

- Humans and all pets including birds, fish, reptiles, etc. will have to leave for the entire day.
- Only take items with you that are absolutely necessary. (Wallet, keys, cell-phone.) Purses, backpacks, briefcases and other items should be left in the unit if possible to prevent re-infestation.

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All of the following items must be placed in containers/boxes and left by the door for inspection by the technician:

- Compressed gases, flammable or combustible chemicals (gasoline, propane, butane, cigarette lighters, light fuel)
- Aerosols and pressurized cans (hairspray, spray-on deodorants, bug sprays, spray paints, asthma inhalers and aerosol cleaning products
- Ammunition/black powder, butane lighters, lamp oil, fuel for food warmers, solvents, etc.
- Candles, wax figurines, musical instruments, indoor plants, valuables or any items you feel may be affected by extreme temperatures.

#### MOVE

- Clear a path about the width of a door throughout the unit to allow the technician to move the mobile heating units and high-powered fans from room to room.
- Remove all unsecured items such as picture frames, artwork, wall clocks and decorative items from the walls and place on the floor in the same room as they were hanging
- Clothes and personal items may be left in drawers or chests, but empty out contents of densely packed areas into open-weave laundry baskets
- Loose papers, newspapers and magazines should be collected and contained to prevent being blown out of place by the high-powered fans

#### REFRIGERATE

- Fruit, vegetables and chocolate/other food unlikely to withstand the temperature change
- Carbonated beverages or drinks kept under pressure (Plastic soda bottles, wine bottles, canned soda/beer)

#### **OTHER/MISC**

- Unplug all electronics including televisions, radios, clocks, etc, with the exception of the refrigerator
- Please turn off heating and air conditioning systems
- For any waterbeds or air beds, drain or deflate bladders
- Orthopedic devices such as wheelchairs, prosthetic appendages, canes, etc. must remain in the residence (Failure to do so may result in the default of your warranty)

After treatment, you will notice clothing, mattresses, blankets, sofa cushions, etc. are not the way you left them. American Pest heat treatment technicians must rotate these items to achieve even heat distribution throughout the treatment area.

Client/Company Name (Please Print)	Date
Authorized Signature	Date