



**Dear Customer / Tenant:**

In order for Poulin's Pest Control to be successful in controlling fleas in your home please perform the following preparations prior to and after our treatment:

**Before Treatment:**

- Arrange to have dogs, cats and other flea-infested pets professionally treated by your local veterinary clinic at the same time your home is being treated.
- Clear all carpeted floors, including closets of boxes, clothing and any other items that will prevent treatment of the carpet and baseboards.
- Move all furniture and beds approximately 2 feet away from all walls.
- Pet bedding, blankets and stuffed pet toys should be heated on high heat in a dryer, and/or washed in hot, soapy water, and/or if not wanted, discarded.
- If you are destroying pet bedding and other items, put them into sealable plastic bags and dispose of them in exterior trash bins.
- Wash all wood, tile and vinyl floors with soapy warm water or a cleaning product.
- Vacuum pet sleeping and resting areas, under furniture, and cracks and crevices in floors and draperies. Additionally, vacuum all furniture thoroughly - especially between and under cushions – as well as all carpeting and rugs. Remove the vacuum bag and/or clean the container with bleach and hot water after disposal.
- Window sills and appliance tops need to be cleaned if you have pets that rest on them.
- Store or cover all pet food containers and bowls. Cover any fish bowls or fish tanks.
- Everyone, including pets, must leave the premises during treatment and for at least 4 to 6 hours from the time we finish the treatment. Anyone who has allergies, asthma, is pregnant, children under the age of 4, or anyone with respiratory issues, it is recommended to leave the premises for 12 to 24 hours.

**After Treatment:**

- **DO NOT** wash or clean the carpet or floors with detergents or cleaners for at least two weeks after treatment.
- We recommend vacuuming daily for 14 days after the treatment. Remove the vacuum bag and/or clean the container with bleach and hot water after disposal.
- We also recommend that all unused clothing, bedding and other washable items be stored in bags and/or sealed containers and the dry used items should be washed in hot water or dried on high temperature heat during the 14-day post-treatment period to ensure no re-infestation occurs.
- If there is a severe infestation, Poulin's will make a recommendation for a follow-up treatment in 10-14 days.

Thank you for your cooperation!

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