



FLEA CONTROL PRE-TREATMENT CHECKLIST

Before your flea control technician arrives, please be sure to follow the instructions below for the best chance of getting rid of your fleas in one treatment.

1. Clear all floor surfaces, including any items on closet floors, under beds, and under furniture, to give the technician unobstructed access.
2. As closely as possible before the treatment, thoroughly vacuum your carpets, rugs, drapes and upholstered furniture. If you were thinking about shampooing your carpets and/or furniture, this would be a good time to do that, too. (Just make sure to do it in time for it to be dry by the day of the flea treatment.)
3. Vacuum wood and tile floors with special attention to grooves and cracks, and then mop them afterward.
4. Vacuum and/or mop basement and garage floors.
5. Seal the vacuum cleaner bag in a plastic bag and dispose of it outside, and thoroughly rinse out any mops that you used. (Fleas can hide in them!)
6. Clean or dispose of your pet's bedding on the day of the treatment.
7. Remove all human and animal bedding on the day of the treatment, and wash it in detergent and the hottest water the fabrics can stand.
8. If we will be treating outside your home, mow the lawn and clear it of toys and other items, especially in and around the doghouse or other areas that your pets frequent.
9. Right before the treatment, cover fish aquariums and turn off the air pumps.
10. Arrange for any pets to be treated by a vet or a pet groomer at the same time that we'll be treating your home. Usually, you (and your pets) will be able to re-enter the home in three to four hours.

If you have any questions at all about how to prepare for your flea treatment, please call us at 817-589-1632.