



## Flea Treatment Preparation Sheet

Fleas are very difficult to eradicate without the help of the consumer. With our years of experience and training Bain Pest Control has developed a special checklist for our customers to complete during and after the treatment process. When this checklist is followed we have discovered that not only are our treatments faster and more effective, but it also costs our customers less time and money.

We ask that you please review this worksheet and complete it in the order indicated for your treatment. Please keep in mind that our success will be a team effort. This means that you will need to help us help you by completing this checklist.

### **Items That Must Be Completed Prior To Our Arrival:**

- DO clear all carpeted floors (including closets) of boxes, clothing and any other items that will prevent treatment.
- DO wash (in hot water) or destroy all pet bedding. If bedding is put into trash, put it into a sealable plastic bag and dispose of it into an exterior trash bag.
- DO mop wood, tile and vinyl floors.
- DO vacuum all carpeting and rugs thoroughly.
- DO carefully vacuum pet sleeping and resting areas - under furniture, cracks and crevices in floors and draperies. Window sills and appliance tops need to be cleaned if you have cats that rest on them.
- DO vacuum furniture - especially between and under cushions.
- DO empty the contents of the vacuum cleaner into a plastic bag. Immediately dispose of the bag in an outside container.
- DO remove pets from the home (prior to application). Store or cover all pet food containers and bowls. Cover fish bowls or fish tanks.
- DO arrange to have dogs, cats and other flea-infested pets professionally treated by your local veterinary clinic at the same time the home is treated.
- DO secure any private, valuable, or important items. We will be going through your entire home.
- DO be prepared to vacate the dwelling during service and for about 3-4 hours following service to allow time for materials to dry.

### **After Our Treatment Is Complete:**

- DO NOT** clean the carpet or floors with detergents or cleaners for at least two weeks after treatment is complete (doing this will void any warranty provided by Bain Pest Control).
- DO continue to vacuum daily for two weeks. Be sure to dispose of the bag after each vacuuming (in an exterior trash bin).
- DO bag, launder and dry your garments (hot cycle) as directed by your Service Technician.
- DO expect that if you have a severe infestation that we may need to return for a follow-up visit. In most cases we can eradicate your property in one visit; However, you should be prepared for the worst if the service technician believes that a follow-up will be necessary - he/she will advise you prior to any treatment.