

# Roberts Termite and Pest Control, Inc.

## INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT PLAN BED BUG TREATMENT PREPARATION CHECKLIST

### **CHECK LIST:**

- \_\_\_ Strip the bed(s) and launder (hot wash / hot dryer cycle) all sheets, pillowcases, mattress pads and blankets.
- \_\_\_ Remove everything from bedroom closet(s), dresser drawers, nightstands and dressing tables and place in sealed plastic bags.
- \_\_\_ Have all clothing and fabrics laundered (hot wash / hot dryer cycle) or dry-cleaned.
- \_\_\_ Remove drapes and have them laundered, dry-cleaned or replaced.
- \_\_\_ Discard cardboard boxes, shoeboxes, paper and plastic bags, old newspapers, stacks of magazines and similar items in all potentially infested rooms.
- \_\_\_ Vacuum all infested rooms, including the floor, mattresses, bedsprings, couches, chairs, closets and closet shelves, shoes, inside dresser drawers and bedside drawers. Vacuum bags are to be placed in a sealed plastic bag and discarded.
- \_\_\_ Get bed-bug approved mattress covers for each mattress and box spring.

### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- Discarding of any compromised (ripped /torn) materials or heavily infested items may be required, depending on the circumstances.
- Dismantling of bed frames and other items will be performed as part of the service program.
- Should the box spring remain, removal of the cheesecloth underside is required for proper inspection and/or application.
- Zippered mattress / box spring encasements **MUST** be used. Mattresses can be used (back on bed frame) but must remain in these encasements for at least thirty days. Linens are to go over the encasements.
- If laundering, a hot water & detergent wash cycle and hot dryer must be used.
- A clutter free environment must be provided in order to allow access for the service technician to treat all of the needed areas.
- Before removing all bagged items the client should inspect for pest activity.
- The client should not touch or move any monitoring device placed by the technician.
- “Booster” insecticide treatments **MUST NOT** be performed by the client.

Technician Signature / Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Customer Signature / Date: \_\_\_\_\_