



Savvy Pest Control Ltd.

Post Cockroach Spraying Treatment Guidelines

Immediate actions:

- ☐ When returning, the first step is to ventilate the premises for 15 minutes before staying inside. After this you can get back to the premises but keep ventilation for two more hours. This can be done by opening windows and doors, or through use of air exchange/ventilation systems.
- ☐ Kitchen counter tops, cutting boards, and fridge and stove top should be washed with soap and warm water prior to placing any items back

Preventive actions to avoid infestation recurrence:

- ☐ Wash and dry dishes after each meal
- ☐ Keep the floor and all counter and stove tops clear of food particles
- ☐ Store all open foods in containers with tight lids
- ☐ Take garbage bags out daily
- ☐ Reduce clutter in your home
- ☐ Do not keep any recycle items (bottles, cans, etc.) unless they are well washed
- ☐ Do not store paper bags in the kitchen and bathroom
- ☐ Do not spray any insecticide unless done by a pesticide professional
- ☐ Be mindful that cockroaches may be introduced into your premises when bringing bags and cardboard inside

It is highly recommended to proceed with a baiting treatment a couple of days after an insecticide spraying: please call Savvy Pest Control Ltd. for arranging an appointment for a baiting session.

It is also highly recommended to use cockroach “traps” in order to monitor the progress of a treatment. Two weeks after a treatment was done, some cockroach monitors/traps should be placed and checked daily for one week. Then weekly for 3 more weeks. If no cockroaches are trapped then no need for further pesticide treatment. However, a preventive measure is to place cockroach traps every 2 - 3 months after a treatment, particularly in buildings with history of cockroach infestations. If you are interested in using cockroach monitors/traps you can ask your pest control company provider.

Complete cockroach control may take from few weeks up to a couple of months, depending on the size of the pest population and your diligence with good sanitation practices.

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