

Installation/Refinishing Preparation Checklist for Homeowner

- Prepare family for not being able to walk on the floor for 3-4 days or maybe more depending on job.
- Relocate pets as needed, especially birds.
- Remove all furniture, all hangings, window treatments, appliances (if necessary), and any items in the work area that you don't want dusty (e.g. clothes in closets, small kitchen appliances off counters, bottle of wine in rack).
- Cabinets should be taped closed with low adhesive tape. PLASTIC SHOULD NOT BE USED. It will not keep the dust off counters or out of cabinets. It also may get in the way of our workers and machines.*
- Wire closet and pantry units should be removed. If shelving is used in closets or pantries, it will be beneficial to have bottom shelf, as a minimum, removed.
- For Hardwood Floor installation, homeowner should be available to choose a color at the beginning of the first day of sanding, unless arrangements were made prior, to where a color has already been chosen.
- A pathway to the circuit breaker or fuse box, with the entire box being unobstructed, must be made available for powering our machines.
- Refrigerators, stoves, and dishwashers usually do not have to be moved. Consult us on the way we handle your particular situation.

* Bud's Floor Service can do this for an additional fee.

Part of our normal service includes hanging plastic sheeting to contain the dust to the area we are working in. We hang the plastic with low adhesive painter's tape. We take as many precautions as we can to insure that the tape will not pull paint off of walls and ceiling. We also tape cold air returns, so as to save the dust from going through the ventilation system.