ST. CLAIR COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

BED BUG Information

Taking precautions when in shared or public spaces is the best way to avoid bringing bed bugs into your home.

BED BUG PREVENTION

- Take precautions when traveling
- Use caution and carefully inspect secondhand items
- When residing in a multi-unit living facility, install door sweeps and seal cracks in walls
- Reduce clutter
- Vacuum regularly
- Stow belongings separately from others
- Inspect shared areas before sitting
- Learn more at: epa.gov/bedbugs

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF BED BUGS

- Bites on the skin or rash
- The presence of bugs in the mattress or nearby furniture
- Exoskeletons
- Rusty-colored blood spots on fabric, furniture or mattresses
- A sweet musty odor
- Suspected pest infestations should be inspected and treated by a professional pest control company
- Learn more at: cdc.gov/bedbugs





LOCAL RESOURCES

AAPEX SERVICES, KIMBALL 810.310.0339

ECO PEST CONTROL, PORT HURON 810.216.5062

MC SHINE, PORT HURON 810.937.2346

SCC DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES 810.966.2000

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The St. Clair County Health Department does not endorse any company, product or service.

TREATMENT

- Bites are not known to spread disease
- Bites may take up to 14 days to develop
- Itching or rash may occur if bitten, topical treatments may help with irritation
- Allergic reactions are possible
- Speak with a healthcare provider if you have questions or concerns

