



PEST PREPARATION GUIDE · GERMAN COCKROACH

# Cockroach Bait Treatment

A few simple steps before your German cockroach bait treatment let your Terra13 technician place bait where roaches feed — and help it work as effectively and safely as possible.

- Bait treatment
- Don't clean 48 hrs
- No sprays or foggers

**BEFORE YOUR TREATMENT**

Tick each box as you prepare

**1 Cleanliness**

- Clean kitchen surfaces, countertops and appliances
- Vacuum and mop floors, under appliances and furniture
- Remove crumbs and grease from cupboards and drawers

**2 Food storage**

- Seal all food or keep it in the fridge
- Remove pet food and water bowls during treatment

**3 Access**

- Empty cupboards, drawers and under-sink areas
- Clear floor clutter (kitchen, bath, laundry, storage)

**4 Appliances**

- Pull out fridge, stove and dishwasher for access behind and underneath

**5 Children & pets**

- Keep children and pets away during and just after service
- Cover fish tanks and switch off air pumps during treatment

**6 Waste**

- Dispose of garbage and recyclables beforehand
- Make sure bins are clean and empty

**Important — no sprays, and tell us about allergies**

Don't use other insecticides, sprays or foggers before or after — they reduce bait effectiveness. And please let Terra13 know in advance if anyone has allergies or respiratory conditions.

**AFTER YOUR TREATMENT**

**🕒 What to expect**

- Bait is placed in cracks, crevices and hiding spots
- Expect more roach activity for a few days as they feed
- That's normal — it means the bait is working

**✅ Aftercare**

- Don't disturb or clean bait placements for 48 hours
- Avoid cleaning treated areas for at least 48 hours
- Keep up good sanitation to prevent future infestations

📞 Questions before your visit? Call **+1 204-881-5849** — we're happy to help.