Eradication vs. Control
As far as bed bug treatment goes, here’s the long and short of it: Heat treats everything. Heat is the most effective and fastest way to eradicate bedbugs. Any treatment method that does not include heat will only control the infestation, it will not eradicate it. You have to get rid of every last bed bug, and their eggs, to solve the problem. Bed bugs can, and do, hide in the smallest, most ridiculously improbable crevices (not just in beds), so you need to treat everything with intensive heat. Obviously, the fewer opportunities you give bed bugs to crawl away, the better.

Bed Bug Treatment Experts
Plunkett’s has the largest heat treatment fleet in the industry. We can handle large heat treatment jobs in a day that others might take weeks to complete. Our team is well-trained, experienced, efficient, and effective. They will respect your property and perform their work discreetly.

Elements of Successful Treatment

Education & Awareness - Separating the hype from the facts and helping folks understand what happens when bed bugs interrupt their life, at home or at work. Plunkett’s believes in the power of information. Accurate and up-to-date bed bug information will help us all fight the current bed bug blight.

Cost Containment - There’s no getting around the fact that getting rid of bed bugs can be an expensive proposition. But it can be less expensive if the infestation is caught early. The earlier a bed bug infestation is found, the easier it is to get rid of them, which reduces the amount of treatment time and materials and lowers the overall cost of eradicating the bed bug infestation.

Treatment - To eliminate bed bugs, Plunkett’s employs a treatment protocol that includes thermal remediation (heat treatment) and strategic chemical application. Plunkett’s has tested every possible method of bed bug eradication and has played a significant role in perfecting the heat + chemical solution. It is the most effective method for eliminating bed bugs today. Our success rate is excellent.

Most Effective
Intensive
Discreet
Eco-Conscious
Successful

They’re Back. We Can Help.
Bed Bug Heat Treatment Program

A program for comprehensive treatment for bed bugs in almost any interior environment.

Program Consists Of...

• Education for our client about pre-treatment area preparation.
• Scheduled heat treatment and limited application of insecticide dust.
• Thorough monitoring of pest activity.
• Detailed documentation and reporting.
• 30-day guarantee.

Service Protocol

Heat treatment involves 3 stages:

1. An initial application of residual insecticides.
2. A heat treatment during which the entire treatment area is heated an average of 135 °F. Hot air is circulated using fans and temperatures are monitored throughout the treatment area(s).
3. A follow-up application of residual insecticides.

One and Done

In the majority of cases, this regimen eliminates all bed bugs and their eggs immediately. Infrequently, a few bugs might survive for a few days afterward, in which case we would perform up to two additional follow-up treatments at no cost to you.

The good news? In most cases, we achieve complete eradication of bed bugs with a one-day treatment (vs. other methods of treatment that require several days or weeks of scheduled treatments).

Other, Helpful Service Options

Staff & Tenant Education

An education program to teach client staff and building residents effective prevention measures against pest infestation. Program to include regularly scheduled educational seminars held at your facilities, educational placards posted in common areas, and printed sheets for building management to have on file for their use.