

FREE: Termite Prevention Guide

22 tips to protect your home from termites

Moisture Control

1. Fix roof and plumbing leaks immediately
2. Ensure gutters drain away from foundation
3. Grade soil to slope away from house
4. Use splash blocks under downspouts
5. Ventilate crawl spaces properly

Wood-to-Soil Contact

6. Maintain 6+ inch gap between soil and wood siding
7. Don't stack firewood against the house
8. Remove wooden debris from crawl spaces
9. Use concrete or metal posts for deck supports

Regular Inspections

10. Check foundation for mud tubes monthly
11. Inspect wooden structures for hollow sounds
12. Look for discarded wings near windows
13. Get professional inspection annually

Landscape Management

14. Keep mulch 15+ inches from foundation
15. Trim shrubs away from exterior walls
16. Remove tree stumps from property
17. Don't bury wood scraps in yard

Construction Tips

18. Use termite-resistant wood for repairs
19. Apply sealant to exposed wood surfaces
20. Install physical termite barriers
21. Consider pre-construction soil treatment



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