

# CARING FOR YOUR CARPETS.



Vacuum your carpets regularly. Do not use a beater vacuum.



Always treat the affected area immediately. The longer the spill sits there, the harder it'll be to remove the stain.



For a food spill, gently remove as much solid material as you can with a spoon, or a dull knife. Then use fresh water and add a small amount of detergent (Sunlight liquid is a good detergent) if needed. Alternatively you can use a solution of white vinegar and water (50/50). Then, using the highest suction function, vacuum back and forth, adding more fresh water to the stain as you go until completely clean and free of detergent.



For oil based stains, use paper towels to absorb as much of the stain as possible. Then apply baby powder to absorb any residue and vacuum after about 10 minutes. If the stain is still visible consider trying the sunlight/vinegar/water option. If this is not successful then use rubbing alcohol or trichloroethylene as a spot remover. Apply several drops to a clean white cloth and blot the carpet in an inconspicuous area. If you notice a change in the carpet colour, consult a professional carpet cleaner. Thereafter rinse the area with fresh water and vacuum.



If stains remain after cleaning, moisten tufts in the stained area with 3% hydrogen peroxide and let stand for one hour. Blot and repeat until completely clean.



Whenever an area is left wet, place a fan over so as to speed up the drying process.



Additional tips on maintaining your carpet from a variety of spills refer to our Stain First Aid Guide.



Ideally your carpet should be professionally cleaned once a year, maximum 18 months to maintain your warranty.

