



## **Eliminator Heater Rental System Guide**

**Eliminator Heater-** The Eliminator has up to 5 electrical connections to connect. The blower power cord is attached to the heater. This blower pulls 1.8 AMPS. The Eliminator also has 4 heating elements (3 works fine for smaller bedrooms). Each heating element pulls 12 AMPS and each element will need to be put on a independent circuit breaker. Typically, each bedroom, bathroom, living room, kitchen, and laundry room will have it's own breaker (Sometimes adjoining rooms will share a breaker). If a breaker pops, look at which heating elements have turned off to determine what electrical outlets may be on the same breaker. Standard home breakers are 15 AMPS in older electrical panels, and 20 AMPS in newer electrical panels. There are 5 toggle ON/OFF switches on the top of the heater, the isolated toggle is the blower power button. The other 4 grouped toggles switches control the 4 heating elements. There is a digital temperature sensor reading on the top of the heater. The heater will automatically not exceed 140 degrees. It can be left to run without being monitored.

**Aerofast 3700 CFM Red Fans-** These fans product 3,700 cubic feet per minute of air flow and pull 1.8 AMPS at the maximum setting. Since they only pull 1.8 AMPS, fan(s) can be added to the same breaker as a heating element. It's ideal to use to 2 fans in a standard size bedroom.

**Methodology-**The goal of a heat treatment is to make sure everything in the bedroom is exposed to the high heat. Once the bedroom is over 130 degrees, it is important to lift and move the mattress and box spring from the bed to expose any bugs hiding. It is also important to move excessive content from closets and furniture and to rotate fans periodically so that heat penetrates every part of the room. Any temperature over 130 is very lethal for bed bugs, don't worry if your bedroom doesn't make it entirely to 140 degrees. If the infestation is heavy, we advise pushing a towel under the bedroom door to create a physical barrier against any wandering bugs. Bed bugs become very excited in high heat and their physical activity increases. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call.

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