

## 40 Point Deep Cleaning Checklist

- Dust ceiling fans and light fixtures.
- Clean windows and window sills.
- Wash or dry-clean curtains.
- Dust and polish wood furniture.
- Vacuum and shampoo carpets.
- Mop hardwood, tile, or linoleum floors.
- Dust bookshelves and decor.
- Clean upholstered furniture and cushions.
- Wipe down and sanitize remotes, keyboards, and other frequently touched electronics.
- Dust baseboards and crown molding.
- Deep clean showers and bathtubs.
- Scrub bathroom sinks and toilets.
- Clean bathroom mirrors.
- Wash bathroom rugs and shower curtains.
- Discard expired cosmetics and personal care products.
- Clean out the medicine cabinet and safely dispose of expired medications.
- Clean and organize the linen closet.
- Swap out seasonal bedding for new linens.
- Vacuum mattresses and flip or rotate if needed.
- Deep clean oven and stove top.
- Clean out the refrigerator and freezer.
- Wipe down microwave, toaster, and other small appliances.
- Clean and organize pantry, discarding any expired items.
- Wipe down kitchen cabinets and drawers.
- Scrub kitchen sink and faucet.
- Clean dishwasher.
- Dust and clean laundry room, including behind the washer and dryer.
- Clean washing machine and dryer vents.
- Wipe down all interior doors and doorknobs.
- Clean air vents and replace filters.
- Test and replace batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide detectors.
- Clear out the entryway, organize shoes and coats.
- Declutter closets and donate unwanted items.
- Organize home office space and clean computer monitors.
- Wipe down and sanitize kids' toys.
- Clean patio furniture and outdoor spaces.
- Clean out gutters.
- Pressure wash exterior of house, if necessary.
- Clean out garage and organize tools.
- Fertilize lawn and prepare garden beds for planting.

This checklist covers most areas of the home and should provide a thorough deep (or spring) cleaning. Remember, it's not necessary to complete everything in one day or even one weekend. Take your time and prioritize tasks based on your home's needs.