"SPOTTING" THE SIGNS:
- Bed bugs are typically in hiding during the daytime, so it’s difficult to spot them.
- Instead, look for tiny, rust-colored stains they leave behind on:
  - Mattress tags and seams
  - Ceilings
  - Under seat cushions
  - Behind headboards
- Keep an eye out for potential hiding places (buckling wallpaper or carpet) or conditions that attract bed bugs like heat or moisture.
- Report such issues to maintenance immediately.

IF TRACES OF BED BUGS ARE FOUND:
DO NOT:
- Disturb the apartment further (leaving the “scene” untouched helps Orkin diagnose the problem)
- Take any items out of the apartment

DO:
- Quarantine the apartment
- Contact Orkin immediately to inspect the infested apartment

IF ORKIN INSPECTION CONFIRMS BED BUGS:
- Prepare the designated apartment for service according to Orkin’s Bed Bug Service Preparation Checklist, which includes:
  - Pulling furniture into center of room and turning over
  - Removing or loosening all items attached to the walls
  - Loosening carpet around the perimeter of each room
  - Vacuuming the mattress, box springs and carpets along baseboards

Bed bugs reproduce quickly, so it’s critical to detect and treat infestations early. Below are a few tips for spotting evidence of a budding bed bug problem and what you can do to help stop it.