



# Bed Bug Insurance Solutions

## *For Corporations and their Business Travelers*

A recent study by the National Pest Management Association suggests that we are on the threshold of a bed bug pandemic, with infestations being reported regularly in a wide variety of enclosed spaces where people converge and interact. Hotels are particularly susceptible to infestations, due to increasing domestic and global travel and the ease by which bed bugs spread via clothing and luggage. For frequent business travelers, this means multiple opportunities to encounter and potentially bring bed bugs back home and to the workplace, requiring an expensive, time-consuming extermination process.

In response to this growing bed bug epidemic, Aon Risk Solutions, the global risk management business of Aon Corporation, has strategically aligned with Global Excess Partners (GEP), an innovator in insurance specialty products, and Terminix, the national leader in pest control services, to unveil a product specifically designed for corporations to provide to their employees.

Aon's and GEP's integrated pest management approach combines insurance coverage with Terminix's specialist bed bug elimination resources, delivering cost savings and greater budgetary certainty while successfully treating and protecting offices and homes. It goes beyond extermination to provide support to corporate business travelers, limiting the disruption to their personal and work lives.

### Insurance coverage and more

Typically, the cost of bed bug elimination and replacement of infested property is not included under the corporation's commercial property insurance nor is it picked up under a homeowner's policy. The result is a substantial, unforeseen cost totaling in the thousands of dollars, in addition to the downtime suffered by the employee dealing with the issue.



Aon's and GEP's innovative bed bug insurance solution is a broad, long-lasting approach that saves time, reduces costs, protects your premises and helps your employee recover. Benefits include:

- Covers the cost of exterminating the employee's residence
- Covers the cost of cleaning the employee's clothes
- Covers the cost of the employee's additional living expenses for a 24-hour period while the employee's house is being exterminated
- If necessary, covers the cost of exterminating the employee's immediate work space

Terminix, the strategic service provider to Aon's and GEP's insurance solution, employs a fast, non-toxic treatment called RapidFreeze, allowing recovery time to be minimized.

With anxiety over bed bugs at an all-time high, Aon's and GEP's bed bug insurance solution is a cost-effective and integrated approach that can respond quickly and comprehensively, allaying concerns by your frequent business travelers.

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