

# **The Keys To Pet Stain Treatment**

## **Doing it yourself in an emergency**

Every pet owner must own a spot removal machine or wet vac. Not having one is plain asking for problems. They're cheap..

We've been telling our clients this for years. Most have listened.

If a pet has an accident on your carpet, rug, or upholstery, and you find it while it's still wet, what do you do? Don't just get a stack of paper towels to jam the urine down into the padding? No way. This will only create a bigger problem.

Use a wet vac or a small spot removal machine. Simply suck up any liquid. This will allow the urine to be sucked up out of the fiber. Only as an absolute last resort should you use paper towels. Shop or wet vacuums can be found at most department stores for under \$50. Or, you can use your carpet spot removal machine. But get something small so you're likely to get it out when an accident occurs.

After you've removed all the liquid you possibly can, treat the area with a proper spot remover or enzyme.

## **After the urine is removed...**

Enzymes typically work best for urine and body fluid odors. Use a quality enzyme. Many of the enzymes on store shelves don't work very good. Call us for a recommendation.

For some smaller spots, you can use a neutral PH cleaning agent if you are removing the spot immediately after occurrence.

## **Be careful of what you choose to remove pet stains**

Using some cleaners such as amonia may permanently set the stain. Only use a neutral PH cleaner or an enzyme approved for pet stain removal.