

FRESH AIRE NEWS

TUFT AIDE INC./ BUDDY'S CARPET CARE

WATER DAMAGE RESTORATION - STRUCTURAL DRYING
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Can You Dry Your Flooded Home With A Shop Vac?



Has your home or business ever been invaded with water from a storm, pipe break, ice maker leak or toilet overflow?

Did someone suggest you dry it with a shop vac? Is this a good idea?

When the amount of water is minimal and you can vacuum all of the water up immediately (within a few minutes), it might be possible.

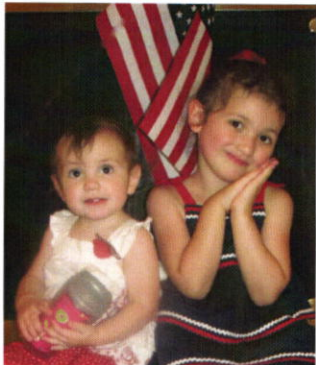
When water has been sitting for a period of time consider this:

- ★ A shop vacuum can only pull out standing water.
- ★ It cannot remove water bound in wood and walls.
- ★ Water bound inside walls & floors for a period of days can create the perfect conditions for fungal growth (mold).
- ★ Drywall & wood can hold water for months if not properly dried.
- ★ You cannot tell if these materials are dry by touching them because our bodies are made up of 80% water.
- ★ Wood must be dried to a moisture content of 15% or less (according to the wood sale), to prevent future damage.
- ★ Water can wick up drywall about a inch per hour.

Here at Tuft Aide Inc. we have many tools for discovering where the water went and if it is still there. We have the expertise to turn you water intrusion into a healthy, mold free, dry home or business. Remember even a clean water loss can turn into a black water loss (tearing out and replacing everything) if left wet for a period of time.

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Celebrating Our Freedom!



"Those who desire to give freedom in order to gain security will not have, nor do they deserve, either one."
.....Benjamin Franklin

Patriotic Places:

- There are 30 places in the United States with "Liberty" in their name.
- Eleven places have "Independence"
- Five places adopted the name "Freedom"
- There is one place named "Patriot"
- What could be more fitting than spending the day in a place called "America"? There are five cities bearing that glorious name.



OUR GUARANTEE If you are not thrilled with your experience, we will rush back to your location at NO CHARGE and NO obligation. If you are still unimpressed, we will promptly refund 100% of your investment.