

There are many different things you can do to help defend your home from problematic allergens. Some steps include:

Deep clean carpets

Carpet is a refuge for pollen, dust and mold and simply vacuuming does not solve the problem. The best way to get rid of dust and dirt that has settled into carpet fibers is to clean your carpets with a carpet cleaner.

Renting a professional strength carpet cleaner from One Stop Rental is more affordable than purchasing one, and roughly half the price of hiring a professional cleaning service.

Clean and remove dust

Common household dust is found everywhere. On a flat surface, it will inevitably gather and irritate allergy sufferers. It is important to clean regularly so that dust doesn't become more of an issue than need be.

Use a damp cloth to remove dust from common surfaces such as windowsills and furniture, but don't forget about the other areas that are not as apparent. Clean your refrigerator's seal and water pan underneath, air vents, areas under sinks, the ceilings of showers and all fan blades.

Consider different flooring

If you or a family member is sensitive to indoor allergy triggers, consider replacing carpet with tile or hardwood flooring. Tile and wood flooring is easy to clean and is less likely than carpets and rugs to gather allergens.

Tile is popular in bathrooms and kitchens for its stylish look and versatility. Wood flooring is another option. It brings warmth and elegance to large rooms. This sleek flooring has recently gained popularity in homes and comes in a variety of wood species including oak, pine and bamboo.

To install new flooring, you will need a variety of tools and equipment. Let One Stop Rental help. Equipment you'll need for tile flooring including a tile cutter or wet saw. For the wood flooring you'll need drills, wood saws, and nail guns. You can even rent tools to help you pull the carpet up to cut down on preparation time.

If you consider a new flooring project, let One Stop help you determine everything you will need to complete your project successfully.