Cleaning & Guest Preparation



Cleaning and guest preparation are an important part of hosting on Airbnb



Listings with a 5-star cleanliness rating receive 20% more bookings (source: airbnb.com)

A robust guest preparation program should include the following elements







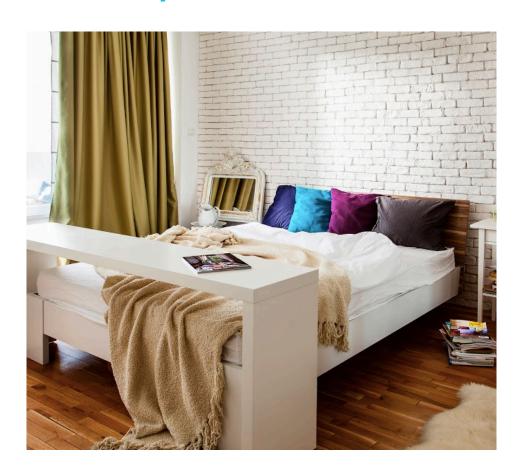


Ensure your listing is guest-ready with a thorough cleaning that removes all signs of previous stays



- Robust cleaning should be performed between each guest stay
- Cleaning should include:
 - Vacuuming and mopping floors
 - Dusting of furniture and fixtures
 - Wiping down of countertops, mirrors, knobs
 - Sanitization of toilet, tub, sink and shower
 - Removal of opened food and beverages from fridge
 - Special attention paid to removal of hair

Provide your guests with fresh sheets and towels to make their stay comfortable



- Guests spend the majority of their time in your listing sleeping and getting ready
- Fresh sheets and towels are an important requirement for guests to feel comfortable
- Linens provided should include:
 - Duvet Cover
 - Flat Sheet
 - Fitted Sheet
 - Pillowcases
 - Bath Towels
 - Hand Towels
- Pro Tip: Use white linens to instill confidence in your guests that your linens are fresh and clean

Make standard amenities available to your guests to address their personal needs



- Provide your guests with the same amenities they'd find in a hotel to ensure their stay is hassle-free
- Amenities should include:
 - Clothing storage (drawers and hanging space)
 - Fridge space
 - Toiletries (paper towels, toilet paper, soap, shampoo)
 - Cooking equipment (optional)

Always add a personal touch to ensure each guest's stay in your listing is memorable



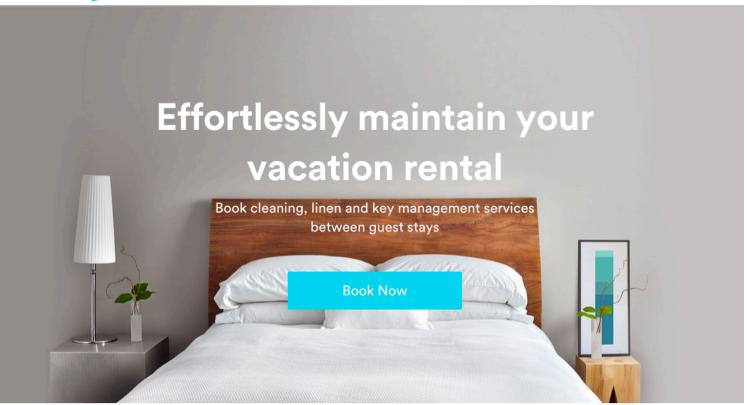
- Guests often choose Airbnb over a hotel to stay like a local
- Make their experience local, unique and memorable by adding a personal touch
- Examples include:
 - Bottle of wine from local vineyard
 - Map/list of best local attractions
 - Souvenir representing your city
 - Quick personal tour of the neighborhood



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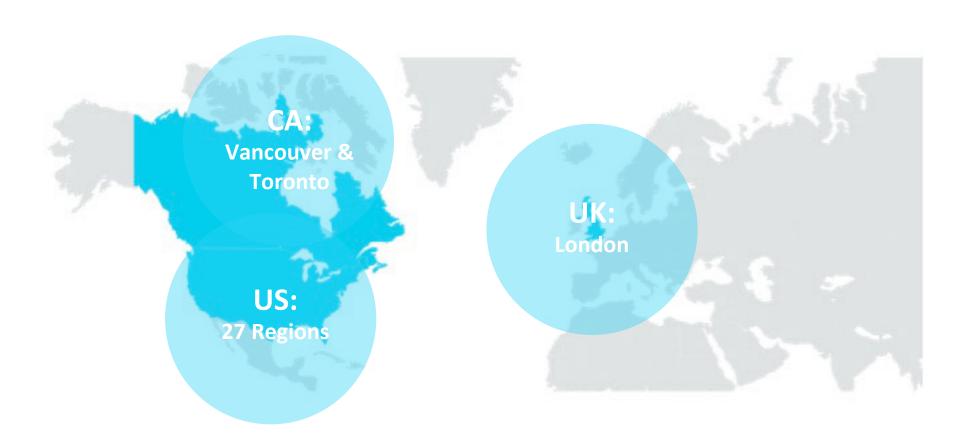


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Easily manage linens and keys for your listing

Add these optional services to your cleaning.



LINEN OR LAUNDRY SERVICE

Avoid the hassle of changing linens after each guest.



Linen Rental

Your beds will be neatly made with fresh, hotel-quality linens delivered fresh during your cleaning.



In-Home Laundry

If there is a washer and dryer on premises, your cleaner can wash bedding and towels for your next guest.



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