

# 3 Ways to Prepare Your Home for a Cleaning Company Visit

There is nothing more relaxing than coming home to a [clean house](#), and that's why many busy homeowners choose to invest in a [cleaning company](#) to service their home. Enlisting [cleaning professionals](#) allows you more time to relax and spend less time dedicated to these time-consuming chores. Make sure your home is prepared for a cleaning visit with the following tips.

## 3 Things to Do in Preparation for Your Cleaning Company's Arrival

### 1. Remove Clutter

There is a certain amount of cleaning that you should complete before the cleaning company arrives at your home, but it shouldn't be too extensive. Simply declutter and tidy up in the areas you have designated the team to clean so that their time is spent actually cleaning your home (i.e. dusting and mopping) instead of organizing it.

### 2. Secure Household Pets

Whether you have pets that are wary of strangers in their home or pets that welcome the attention of visitors, it is in everyone's best interest to keep them safely secured while a cleaning company visits your home. Even though friendly pets might not pose a threat to cleaning staff, they could still make it difficult for cleaning professionals to do their work by getting in their way. Furthermore, a cleaner may be allergic or fearful of pets —no matter how friendly they are! So ensure a comfortable environment for cleaners by keeping all household pets safely detained during their visit.



### 3. Communicate Expectations

Contact your cleaning company before their visit if there are any specific requests you have for a scheduled service. If there has been no previous relationship, you might want to outline your expectations and/or instructions. If this is a regularly scheduled service, then there may be an area that is dirtier than usual since their last visit and you wish to bring this to their attention so that they can pay it extra care.

*Maintain a clean house with the help of Honolulu, Hawaii's local cleaning professionals, [Maid Brigade](#). To be on your way to a spotless home, schedule a service today by booking an appointment at (808) 664-0504, or by visiting their [website](#).*