

Carpenter Ants

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Client Interview Questions

- Do you see carpenter ants when it rains?
- Have you seen any sawdust?
- Have you seen any winged ants?
- Have you heard any rustling or “cellophane” noises in walls or doors?
- Have you had any water damage?
- ...overflowing tub or toilet?
- ...roof leak?
- ...an ice dam?
- ...a leaking or clogged gutter?
- Do you have a flat roof?

Inspection Questions

- What’s the condition / type of siding?
- What’s under the siding?
- Is there roofline damage?
- What is the condition / type of gutters?
- Are the windows wood & decayed?
- What is beneath the floor on main level?
- What’s between the ceiling & roof?
- Are there...
 - Hollow core doors
 - Additions
 - Firewood
 - Railroad ties
 - Stumps
 - Other decaying wood
 - Etc. etc. etc.

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