



25 Year Limited Stain Resistance Warranty

Karastan warrants to the original purchaser of products covered under this warranty that the surface pile of this Karastan carpet will resist permanent staining from most common household food and beverage stains, for a period of 25 years from the date of original purchase, provided the carpet is properly installed and maintained according to the Carpet and Rug Institute Residential Installation Standard CRI-105 over cushion meeting Karastan standards in an owner-occupied, single-family, indoor residence and subject to your compliance with the recommended carpet care and cleaning procedures found in this booklet.

The stain resistant treatment will provide for improved resistance to food and beverage stains as compared to an untreated carpet of similar construction; however, no product can protect carpet against all stains. Stains will be more apparent on light colored carpet. Stain resistant properties may be affected by exposure to very hot substances.

If, within the warranted period, permanent staining should occur that cannot be removed using recommended methods by a certified carpet-care professional, Karastan will handle such claims as stated in "Karastan's Limited Liability" section of this warranty booklet and in accordance

with the Reimbursement Limitations included in this Section.

What Is Not Covered

In addition to the warranty exclusions listed in the sections of this brochure entitled "Warranty Exclusions" and "Non-Warranted Carpet Characteristics", also specifically excluded from this warranty are any residual stains which may occur because of exposure to very hot substances, damage or residual stains caused by non-food and non-beverage substances, including, but not limited to, pet stains, hair dyes, shoe polish, paints, in addition to foods and beverages that contain strongly colored natural disperse dyes as found, for example, in mustard, herbal tea, red wine and hot beverages, as well as substances which destroy or change the color of carpets such as bleaches, caustic chemicals, fertilizers, insecticides, and iodine, acne medications, drain cleaners, plant food, vomit, urine and feces.

You may be responsible for certain charges associated with the replacement of any carpet. The following chart outlines the reimbursement limitation Karastan will be responsible for, as well as the limitation for reimbursement of labor charges.

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Reimbursement Limitation

Year 1 - 3	100%*
Year 4	80%
Year 5	70%
Year 6	60%
Year 7	50%
Year 8	30%
Year 9	20%
Year 10 - 25	10%

*Includes labor costs of up to \$2.50 per yd. in years 1 to 3 only.

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