

MOLD PREVENTION

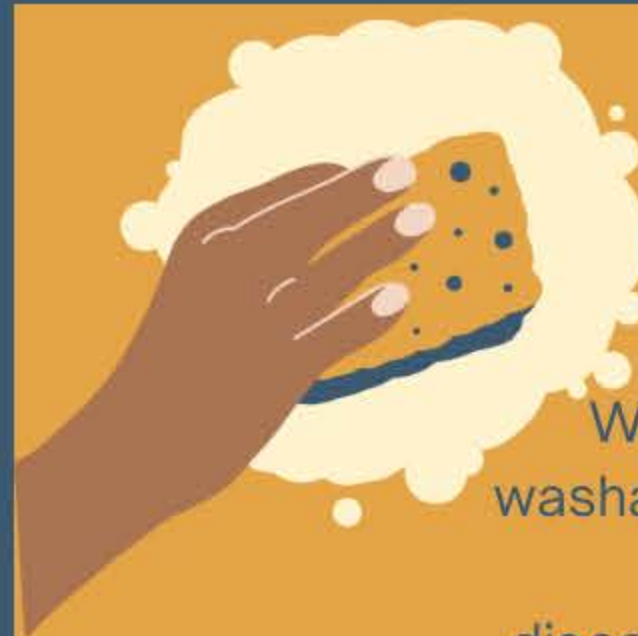
Get rid of mold in your home and keep it from coming back!



Moisture issue? Control it.



Fix leaks. Keep excess moisture from entering your home. Keep it dry!



Remove visible mold.

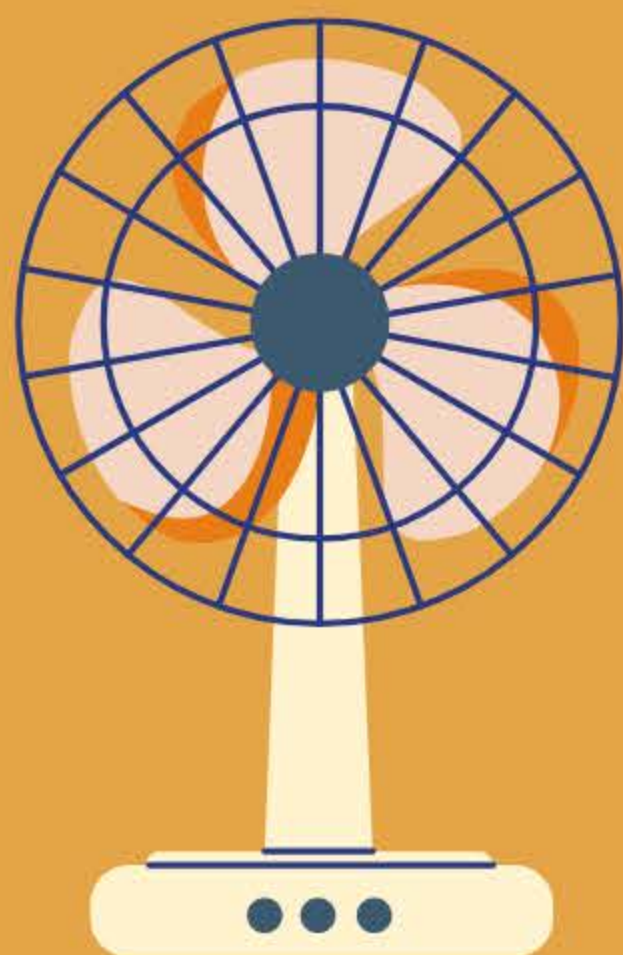
Wash in washing machine if it's washable. Clean with soapy water. Some items may need to be discarded if they're not cleanable.

Control humidity.

Keep humidity between 30-50%. Inexpensive monitors are available at most hardware stores.



Improve ventilation



Open windows. Turn on your ventilation systems (HRV or other). Turn on fans, especially when cooking or showering. Make sure these actually blow outside!

Wear your PPE

Wear an N-95 respirator, gloves, and eye protection when managing mold.



Kill remaining mold.

After removing visible mold, wipe the area with bleach water (1 cup bleach to 1 gallon water). NEVER mix bleach with other chemicals.



Symptoms

Hay fever, runny nose, irritated eyes and throat. People who are immunocompromised or have asthma may be more sensitive to the affects of mold.

