

10 Questions To Ask Every Carpet Installer

The ten most important questions to ask any carpet installer before you hire them.

1. Are you licensed, bonded and insured?

- No - I'm still working on it. No license - but I do have liability insurance
- No - A license is not required in this state but am bonded and insured**
- Yes - I have a valid contractor's license issued by the state**

2. How long have you been installing carpet?

- Less than 5 years Less than 10 years **10 years or more**

3. What type of jobs do you typically do?

- apartment / rental property / new construction
- residential remodels (most experience)**
- custom homes (most experience)**

4. How Much Do You Charge for installation? \$_____ per sf / sy

Does that include tear out and haul away? **Yes** No - add \$_____

Do you charge to deliver the carpet and pad? **No** Yes - add \$_____

What is your charge for stairs? \$_____ per stair

5. What is your availability?

- One week out Two weeks out Three weeks out

6. How long do you guarantee your installation?

- One year (standard) Two years Lifetime

7. Can you give me a few local references I can call?

- No - I just moved into the area
- Yes - Here are references of work similar to yours.**

8. How long have you lived in this area?

- Just moved here Less than a year less than 5 years **5 years or more**

9. Do you charge a fee to measure my home?

- Yes - \$_____ **Yes, but I credit you back if you hire me.**

10. Contact Information

Full Name _____ **Address** _____

Cell phone _____ **Contr. Lic #** _____