

# Does your spa cover need a CheckUp?

Take the CheckUp Test to learn how to get your cover up to snuff.  
Or if all signs point to a new cover, call us!

## VINYL

- Dry
- Brittle
- Dirty
- Torn
- Cracked

These symptoms will affect the safety, heat retention and beauty of your cover in addition to the cleanliness of your spa water. Torn, cracked vinyl can't be repaired easily; if it is dry and brittle, no repair is possible. Condition and clean your top vinyl monthly, according to your owners manual.

## STRAPS & LOCKS

- Torn
- Broken
- Missing

You are risking the safety of your hot tub if your adjustable tie down straps are not in good condition. Check the condition of your locking hardware.

## FOAM CORES

- Sagging  
Indicates broken foam cores; creates gaps in the seal; needs replacement.
- Puddles  
Suggests broken or bowed cores, gets worse over time causing the foam to break under the weight of accumulating water. Can cause the metal channel to bend or break and vinyl to tear; saturated covers will not dry out. Needs replacement.
- Heavy  
Indicates cores have absorbed water; needs replacement.

Foam cores are critical to heat retention and safety. Cores can be replaced but for covers over two years old, core replacement is not recommended. Older vinyl shrinks from exposure, making replacement difficult.

## HINGE

- Torn  
Precious heat can escape if a hinge tear goes beyond the Heat Seal Shoe (appx 2" in from the outside edge). If your hinge is torn less than 6", it may be repairable; we can assist you. If over 6", we recommend a new cover.

## HEAT SEAL SHOES

- Torn
- Damaged  
The "Shoes" seal the gap where the two halves of the cover come together, preventing heat loss at the hinge. If a Shoe is torn away from the hinge, or damaged, consider having it re-stitched. First remove the foam cores from the vinyl cover. If the Shoe is very badly damaged you may need a new cover. Call us for recommendations.

**A spa with a worn or damaged cover is inefficient and costly.**

## CUSTOMER INFO

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Spa Model \_\_\_\_\_  
Spa Year \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No \_\_\_\_\_  
Cover: Age \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_

## REPORT CARD

Vinyl \_\_\_\_\_  
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Hinge \_\_\_\_\_  
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Heat Seal Shoes \_\_\_\_\_  
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Foam Cores \_\_\_\_\_  
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Straps & Locks \_\_\_\_\_  
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## RECOMMENDATION

Technician \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Your Hot Spring Spa Dealer:

