



Spa Cover CheckUp Test

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.

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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. Over 6", we recommend a new cover.

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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. If the Shoe is very badly damaged you may need a new cover.

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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. Also, check the condition of your locking hardware.

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Foam Cores: **Sagging?** Indicates broken foam cores; need replacement. **Puddles?** Suggests broken core, or bowed core; need replacement. **Heavy?** Indicates cores have absorbed water; need replacement. Sagging cores create gaps in the seal; puddles get worse over time, causing the foam to break under the weight of the accumulating water. This can also cause the metal channel to break, and vinyl to tear. Saturated covers will not dry out. Foam cores are critical to heat retention and safety. Cores can be replaced, but not recommended for covers over two years old. The vinyl shrinks from exposure, making replacement difficult.

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Need Cover Replacement: Yes No

Need Cover Lift Replacement: Yes No

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Our Service Dept has your cover measurements - Please call them at (605) 334-6659 to place your order!

Technician's Signature

Date