

COST OF FOG

FATS, OILS, GREASE

Don't let FOG clog your pipes, it will cost you:



MONEY

FOG can cause costly repairs for your home and your community.

- Hiring a professional to perform a Camera Inspection - \$450.00
- Repairing a sewer line - \$3,818 (national average).
- A complicated sewer line repair - \$30,000.



TIME

Replacing a sewer line is a large construction project. On average:

- It can take from 3 -5 days to complete.
- Total landscape restoration could take 1 - 6 months to return to pre-existing conditions.



HEALTH

Attempting to clean up a sewer backup can cause serious infections, including viral hepatitis, if not done correctly. It's always best to hire a professional company.

- Never try to clean up sewage backup in your home.
- Items damaged by sewage must be replaced or professionally restored.



CONTACT INFORMATION

To get help with a sewage backup, call 311 or go to the 311 website www.baltimorecity.gov/311-services to report your sewage event.

To learn more about FOG and other items that cause sewage backups, visit <https://publicworks.baltimorecity.gov/sewer-consent-decree/clean-drain-campaign>