

HDB Moving Checklist - Singapore Edition

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	Before the Move - Preparation	✓
1	Book your mover early (2−4 weeks in advance).	
2	Declutter and dispose of unwanted items.	
3	Request boxes and packing materials from mover.	
4	Notify Town Council for bulky item removal if required.	
5	Measure furniture to ensure it fits through doors and into new space.	

	Lift Booking & HDB Requirements	✓
1	Contact HDB branch office or Town Council to book lift for moving day.	
2	Pay refundable deposit for lift padding and protection.	
3	Confirm moving hours (usually weekdays and non-peak hours).	
4	Check if lift protection padding is already installed in new BTO flats.	



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	On Moving Day - Stay Organised	✓
1	Pack essentials (toiletries, chargers, documents) separately.	
2	Direct movers for furniture placement.	
3	Check lift padding and corridor safety compliance.	
4	Oversee dismantling and loading of bulky items.	
5	Stay hydrated and eat before movers arrive.	
6	Ensure corridors are not blocked during the move.	
	After the Move - Settling In	~
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	Bonus Tips	~
1	Book morning moves to avoid traffic and heat.	
2	Use stretch film to protect mattresses and sofas.	
3	Take photos of electronics before unplugging for easy setup.	
4	Keep valuables (cash, jewellery, passports) with you.	
5	Inform neighbours if you expect heavy corridor or lift usage.	

With proper planning, your HDB move can be smooth and stress-free. This checklist helps ensure you don't miss any key steps.