



5. Drywall Damage Emergencies

What to Do After Impact or Water Damage

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Introduction

Drywall damage after leaks or impacts requires quick evaluation to prevent mold or structural issues.

1. System Overview

Emergency drywall damage often involves moisture intrusion.

2. Common Problems and Failures

- Wet drywall
 - Sagging ceilings
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3. What Homeowners Can Safely Do

- Stop water source
 - Ventilate area
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4. When to Stop and Call a Professional

- Mold present
 - Ceiling collapse risk
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5. Homeowner Win: Drying and Stabilizing Wet Drywall

Step-by-Step Overview

1. Stop water source.
2. Remove baseboards.
3. Increase airflow.

Important Boundary Note

Mold remediation and structural repairs are covered in Ultimate DIYer courses.

6. Where to Go Next

This completes the drywall fundamentals series.

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