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Triad Construction Helps You Clean for Spring

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Spring cleaning is a tradition that allows us to get a head start on the hectic seasons of spring and summer while taking care of things that keep our homes running smoothly. Check out our top five spring cleaning tips:

1. **Sift through your medicine cabinet.** Expired prescriptions should be safely disposed of, rather than being put in the trash where children or pets can find them. Contact your doctor for safe disposal practices.

2. **Clean your oven and your refrigerator.** Giving these appliances a yearly cleaning (both inside and out) keeps them running efficiently throughout the year.
3. **Wipe down appliances throughout the house.** Pay special attention to frayed chords and wires, items that can be potentially hazardous for pets and children.

4. **Spot clean soiled sections of carpeting and rugs.** Doing this by hand or with a carpet cleaner will take care of dirt that may have been tracked in during the wet winter months.
5. **Sort through your closet,** setting aside unused clothes and shoes. Dropping these items off at a donation center or shelter will free up closet space *and* provide clothing for a needy member of your community.

Special points of interest:

- Triad would like to congratulate Kevin King on his promotion to Senior Project Manager.

Making Headlines

This winter, Triad Construction was presented with two awards by local media. *The Business Journal* named us one of Milwaukee's Fastest Growing Firms of 2009 for our proven track record of aggressive growth over the last three years. And [Wisconsin Builder](#) magazine gave us the title *Up and Coming Firm of the Year* in its issue honoring standout members of the construction industry. Please join us in thanking the dedicated people who helped us achieve these awards

Did you know?

Did you know that the first forms of concrete were made by the Assyrians and Babylonians? They used clay to form the bonding substance now known as cement. Later the Egyptians used lime and gypsum cement. But, it wasn't until 1756 that British engineer John Smeaton made the first modern concrete by adding pebbles as a course aggregate and mixing powdered brick into cement. Source: Mary Bellis, About.com