

# The Best Sydney Gutter Cleaning Guide

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**New South Wales, Sydney, Jan 22, 2021 ([IssueWire.com](http://www.IssueWire.com))** - Is cleaning the gutter a permanent resident on your to-do list?

Removing all those leaves, twigs, and possums from your gutter system seems like an important task, but it never seems like an urgent task.

If you skip a few weeks of mowing your lawn, your procrastination will be open for all to see. You might even get some nasty looks from your neighbors for discrediting the aesthetics of your neighborhood.

But, if you don't clean the gutters for a year, no one really cares!

So here are some tips and tricks that will help you spend less time with a gutter conscience and can save you a great deal of money down the road (a lot of cash, not messy sheets).

Gutters play an important role in the structural integrity of your home. By making sure they aren't blocked and that water runs off your roof and away from your home, you're avoiding costly water damage repairs. Typically, most inattentive homeowners are unaware that their gutters are blocked until a downpour. As rainwater begins to gutter down gutters, splashing windows and flooding windows (usually followed by animals entering their home in pairs), homeowners begin to suspect "faulty gutters" are to blame.

So to avoid costly repairs and a mold infestation, let's look at Sydney's best [Gutter Cleaning Sydney](#) options. Specifically, we are looking for gutters on a residential property in the greater Sydney area.

### **Option 1 - Call a professional gutter cleaner**

When in doubt, call a professional! For most homeowners in Sydney, this is the best long-term option. There are some significant advantages to using the services of a [Gutter Cleaning Sydney](#) company.

Fully Insured - If you fall off a ladder and break your femur, slip on the roof and tear off gutters, or have any other accident, you will have to deal with the consequences. If a professional gutter cleaner has an accident while cleaning their gutters (which is unheard of since they know the proper techniques for cleaning gutters and have all the required safety equipment), they are at least insured so that you are not left out of your pocket.

Quality Results - For the average property owner, cleaning the gutters means removing the sticks and twigs that are visible from the gutters. While this may improve the curb appeal of your home, it won't actually extend the life of your roof and gutters.

The actual damage to gutters comes from leaves decomposing near gutter joints and corners. These decaying leaves release strong tannins that eat up the gutters and begin the oxidation process. These hard-to-reach areas are the places that hobbyist gutter cleaners often miss. Professional gutter cleaners have specialized roof access equipment that allows them to safely and thoroughly clean the entire gutter system. Hiring a professional gutter cleaner will really pay off in the long run as the quality results will ensure a longer life for your roof and gutters. Sydney Gutter Clean is a highly recommended gutter cleaning company offering free quotes for strata and residential gutter cleaning. They also provide a free gutter cleaning reminder service, taking one less worry out of you.

### **Option 2: DIY**

We love the concept of rolling up our sleeves and doing the work ourselves. Overcome the obstacles that come our way, save a few pennies, and have the satisfaction of taking care of our castle. At least that's how we feel when we are safe behind our desk in our air-conditioned prison from 9 to 5 in the CBD.

Once our pale skin is exposed to the intense rays of summer, the dust comes out of the gutters into our narrowed eyes and our forearms and is scraped and lacerated from the sharp edges of the gutter, we may question whether we have the inner strength to complete homework. Our nonchalant reasoning that maybe the rain will actually clean the gutters for us overcomes our common sense, and we left that back section of the gutter on the Melaleuca for another day.

But don't concede yet. The following tips will help you overcome the dangers of cleaning your gutters, and you will be victorious!

Consistency is key - don't wait until the trees grow out of their gutters. If you clean your gutters twice a year, it will be a manageable one or two-hour job. Once you're done cleaning your gutters and reward your hard-earned thirst with a great cold drink, mark the next scheduled cleaning date on your calendar.

Clean Ya Pipes - One of the reasons so many suburban gutter systems fail is that homeowners don't clean their downspouts. In the industry, they call it "spread constipation." Your gutters will only flow as well as the downspout will allow. Therefore, before packing your tools, look from the top and bottom of your downspout and make sure there are no obstructions.

What is an easy way to clear a clog in the downspout? All you need to do is look up at the iconic Sydney Harbor Bridge. Why? Well, that engineering marvel has a pretty unique nickname; 'The hanger'. Straighten a hanger and use it from the top and bottom of the downspout to dislodge any obstructions.

Don't be fooled by the marketing - there are so many effective gutter cleaning supplies available at your local hardware store. But the general consensus of professional gutter cleaners is that they are more complicated than good. Save yourself time, money, and hassle and go the old way. You'd be better off buying a quality pair of gloves and goggles than a gutter vacuum. The less equipment and hassles you have, the less mission it is to clean the gutter and you will end up cleaning them more frequently.

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