When Jimmy Carter was in the White House and the Roanoke Civic Center was still a fairly new building, Mary Jane Wszolek started cleaning homes in the Roanoke Valley. That was 1979, and the business she built, The Happy Housekeepers, is still answering the phone today from the Cave Spring area of southwest Roanoke County. For homeowners searching for house cleaning in Roanoke, that kind of staying power says more than any advertisement could.

The company began with residential work, and home cleaning remains at the center of what it does. A standard visit covers the rooms that wear down fastest in a busy household: furniture is dusted or polished, carpets are vacuumed, hard surface floors are mopped, house cleaning and the kitchen and bathrooms get a complete clean-up. Window sills, baseboards, blinds and ceiling fans are dusted, waste baskets are emptied, and cobwebs are cleared from corners that most of us stop noticing after a while.

What separates a long-running local company from a newcomer is consistency. Over four decades, the family business has kept the same basic promise its founder made: show up when you say you will, work hard, and be honest with the customer. Mary Jane passed away suddenly in 1999, but the people who carry on the company describe her work ethic as the standard they still hold themselves to on every job in Roanoke, Salem, Vinton and the surrounding county.

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Plans are flexible. Some households want a one-time visit before a family gathering, while others prefer weekly, bi-weekly or monthly service that keeps the house under control year round. Every new customer can start with a free, no-obligation estimate, so you know what to expect before anyone picks up a vacuum. The company is licensed, bonded and insured, and it carries the Better Business Bureau blue seal, which matters when you are trusting a crew inside your home.

The company did not stop with houses. As word spread, it added office cleaning under the name Corporate Clean, along with builder and contractor clean-ups, apartment manager services and move-in and move-out cleanings. That broader experience feeds back into its residential work. Crews who are used to the standards of property managers and contractors bring the same attention to detail to a three-bedroom ranch in Cave Spring or a brick colonial in South Roanoke, and they know how to work efficiently without cutting corners.

If you are ready to hand off the scrubbing and get your evenings back, call The Happy Housekeepers at (540) 774-4299. The office sits at 5145 Starkey Rd in Roanoke, close to the Cave Spring corridor, and the team serves homes across the Roanoke Valley. Ask for a free estimate and find out why so many local families have trusted the same name since 1979.



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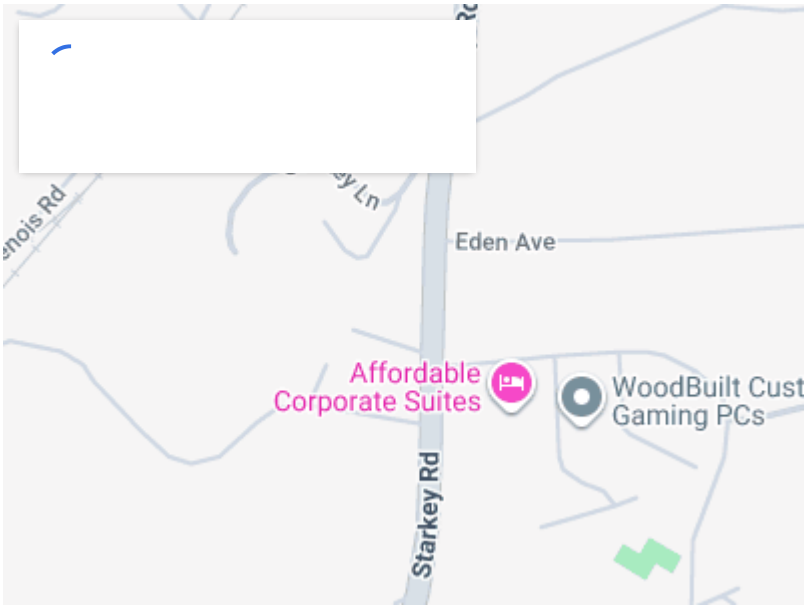

FAQ About House Cleaning Roanoke

How much does house cleaning cost in Roanoke, VA?

The cost depends on the size of your home, the number of bathrooms, how often you book and whether you add specialized tasks like oven or basement cleaning. The Happy Housekeepers gives every Roanoke customer a free, no-obligation estimate based on the actual home rather than a flat online price. Call (540) 774-4299 to get yours.

What is included in a standard house cleaning visit?

A standard visit from The Happy Housekeepers includes dusting or polishing furniture, vacuuming carpets, mopping hard surface floors and a complete kitchen and total bathroom clean-up. Window sills, baseboards, blinds and ceiling fans are dusted, waste baskets are emptied and cobwebs are removed where needed.

Do I need to be home during the house cleaning?

No. Employees of The Happy Housekeepers are bonded and insured by the company, so customers across Roanoke, Salem and Cave Spring do not need to be present. Entry details and any special instructions can be arranged with the office ahead of time.

How often should I schedule house cleaning?

Busy families and homes with pets often choose weekly or bi-weekly visits, while smaller households do well with monthly service. The Happy Housekeepers offers one-time, weekly, bi-weekly and monthly plans, and its residential page also mentions semi-weekly, daily and custom schedules.

Is The Happy Housekeepers licensed, bonded and insured?

Yes. The company is licensed, bonded and insured, and it displays a Better Business Bureau blue seal with a BBB profile filed under house cleaning in Roanoke. It has served the Roanoke Valley since 1979.

What is the difference between a standard clean and a deep clean?

A standard clean keeps the home in good shape, while a deep clean adds tasks that build up over months. The Happy Housekeepers offers spring and fall cleanings plus specialized work such as cleaning oven and refrigerator interiors, washing walls and woodwork, cleaning light fixtures and cleaning basements.

Do you offer move-in and move-out house cleaning in Roanoke?

Yes. Move-in and move-out cleanings are part of the company's regular services for renters, buyers and sellers in Roanoke and Roanoke County. Empty rooms allow the crew to reach every baseboard, cabinet and closet, and appliance interiors can be added.

What areas does The Happy Housekeepers serve?

The office is at 5145 Starkey Rd in the Cave Spring area of southwest Roanoke County. The team serves the City of Roanoke, Cave Spring, Salem, Vinton, Hollins and the wider Roanoke County area.

How long has The Happy Housekeepers been in business?

The company was founded in 1979 by Mary Jane Wszolek, who began providing professional cleaning across the Roanoke Valley with a focus on homes. It is still a locally owned family company and describes her hard-working, reliable and honest approach as its standard today.

What payment methods do you accept?

The Happy Housekeepers accepts Visa, Mastercard, American Express and Discover. That makes it easy for customers who are at work during the visit, or for family members arranging house cleaning for a parent in Roanoke, to pay without being on site.

What happens after my first house cleaning?

After the first cleaning, the office follows up by phone to make sure you are satisfied. Any changes you would like are noted for future visits, and associates are available by phone at (540) 774-4299 or by email whenever questions come up.

Do you clean after renovations or new construction?

Yes. The company offers builder and contractor clean-ups, and customer reviews mention cleaning after floor refinishing and painting. Fine construction dust is removed from floors, sills, baseboards, blinds and fixtures so Roanoke homeowners can enjoy the finished project.