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Mary Phorn, 3, lunches on a hotdog and a fruit-flavored drink in the basement of the Church of Christ in London while the Cheyenne Avenue apartment where she lives is sprayed for cockroaches Monday under orders from the Middlesex-London health unit.

HOUSING

Apartments sprayed for bugs on orders from health unit

The residents of 105 and 95 Cheyenne Ave. in London were happy to vacate while their units were treated for cockroaches.

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The residents of 105 and 95 Cheyenne Ave. were only too glad to be kicked out of their apartments for more than four hours Monday.

Under orders from the Middle-

sex-London health unit, owner Elijah Elieff paid A-1 Pest Control to spray the apartments for cockroach infestation.

INFESTATION 'SERIOUS': Health inspector Ken Brown rated the infestation as "serious" and A-1 crews discovered in the morning

the situation was worse than they expected. The original three-man crew was doubled at 11 a.m. but, even with extra help, spraying at the two three-storey apartment buildings wasn't finished until nearly 5 p.m.

The pest control company has been paid for a one-time-only job with no guaranteed follow-up, but A-1 service manager Ollie Nielsen said the apartments would "be needing retreatment, likely," giving

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