

Unclogged toilet \rightarrow Happy *you*! Only flush toilet paper!







The plumbing in a high-rise building differs from residential plumbing. For example, Alicante's plumbing is arranged in vertical stacks that feed to horizontal lines in the garage that flow out to the city sewer system. Due to the nature of Alicante's "high-rise" waste plumbing, the system will not accommodate items that may be "flushable" in suburban homes.

Do not put anything other than toilet paper and human waste down the toilets.

For example, do not attempt to flush wipes, paper towels, or Kleenex, as these products' fibers attach to the sides of pipes causing back-ups and clogs. In fact, some types of 'extra soft' toilet paper may also cause back-ups due to fibers attaching to pipes. You may need to experiment! And, of course, do not attempt to flush cotton swabs, diapers or other bulky items.

Keep a toilet plunger handy for toilet back-ups!

Call a plumber immediately if you cannot clear your toilet with a plunger.

High-rise plumbing systems are unique. We recommend using qualified plumbers familiar with the plumbing systems at Alicante. You may want to use one of the following:

- Blue Planet Drains & Plumbing: (619) 863-9593 or <u>plumbersinsandiego.com</u>
- Pro Tec Building Services: (858) 569-1080 or www.goprotec.com