

Crawlspaces.com Introduces Nu-Crawl: A True Seamless Encapsulation System Built to Last a Century

The True Seamless Nu-Crawl Encapsulation Method Eliminates Every Failure Point of Conventional Crawlspace Solutions

CHICAGO, IL, UNITED STATES, May 15, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- [Crawlspaces.com](https://www.crawlspaces.com), a leading crawlspace encapsulation contractor serving homeowners across Illinois, is highlighting its signature installation approach — The True Seamless [Nu-Crawl Encapsulation Method](#) — as the definitive alternative to the two conventional options most homeowners are offered: plastic liner with taped seams, or a poured concrete slab. Unlike either of those systems, Nu-Crawl is engineered with no seams, no tape, and no failure points — and it carries a 100-year life expectancy.

Why It Matters

A crawlspace isn't just dead space under a house. Research consistently shows that a significant portion of the air circulating through a home's living areas comes up from the crawlspace through what's known as the stack effect. That means moisture, mold spores, cold air, and radon gas can all find their way into the home if the crawlspace isn't properly sealed.

Most encapsulation jobs use plastic sheeting and tape — a system that looks fine initially but is prone to lifting seams, shifting liner, and punctures from routine HVAC or plumbing access.



ABOUT
Nu-Crawl System
Your Crawlspace Needs to be Sealed and Dry...
Do It Right!



Concrete, while more durable on the surface, is porous, cracks over time, and releases moisture during the curing process — the opposite of what a dry crawlspace needs.

How Nu-Crawl Works

The [Nu-Crawl system](#) starts with a custom-fabricated liner, pre-measured to fit the exact dimensions of the crawlspace. At 40 to 60 mils thick — several times heavier than standard plastic sheeting — the liner is installed with overlapping sections that are spray-seamed into one continuous, unbroken surface. Every corner, column base, and pipe penetration is covered and permanently joined. There is no tape to peel, no seam to open, and no gap for moisture or pests to find.

The complete system also includes reflective insulation on the foundation walls, closed-cell spray foam in the sill boxes, and an optional foam board underlayment. The liner bonds directly to concrete footings, support columns, and pipes — not with adhesive strips, but through the spray-seaming process itself. The result is a conditioned crawlspace that is airtight, moisture-proof, and puncture-resistant under normal use.

What the System Addresses

A properly installed Nu-Crawl system provides documented benefits across several common home performance issues:

- Moisture and humidity infiltration
- Mold growth conditions in the crawlspace
- Cold floors during winter months
- Elevated heating and cooling costs from air infiltration
- Radon gas migration through soil into the living space
- Rodent and insect entry through foundation gaps
- Damage from groundwater flooding events

Installation and Longevity

Most Nu-Crawl installations are completed in one to two days. Because the liner is ready immediately after installation — unlike concrete, which can expel moisture for weeks during curing — there is no extended downtime for the homeowner. Once installed, the system requires no ongoing maintenance. The liner is bonded in place and does not need to be inspected or re-taped over time.

Nu-Crawl carries a 100-year life expectancy, a figure that reflects the manufacturer's confidence in both the material and the installation method.

About Crawlspace.com

Crawlspace.com is an Illinois-based crawlspace encapsulation company specializing in The True

Seamless Nu-Crawl Encapsulation Method. The company serves homeowners throughout Illinois who are looking for a permanent, low-maintenance solution to crawlspace moisture, air quality, and energy performance issues. Free estimates are available to qualified homeowners.

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