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Considerations Before Purchasing and Installing a Stagestep Floor

Our Marley floors are known for their durability, with customers sharing stories of enjoying them for 10 and even up to 20 years. Yet, the success and longevity of your dance floor hinges on various factors. A key element is the quality and correct installation of the floating wood subfloor, when required. Equally crucial is the proper maintenance and environmental control throughout the floor's life, supported by Stagestep's range of cleaning products and guidelines.

Successful installation is influenced by conditions such as subfloor quality, proper installation, concrete underlayment seal, vapor barriers, room temperature (68-78 degrees), and humidity levels (40-60%). Before installation, the floor needs to acclimate to the environment for at least 24 hours. Some Marley floors have a built-in cushioned subfloor, eliminating the need for a floating wood subfloor but requiring installation over a flat, sealed surface. **IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO REFER TO STAGESTEP'S [Installation Guide](#) and follow the directions according to our specifications.**

If considering a DIY approach, weigh the factors mentioned. While cost-effective, it demands skillful handling. We recommend reviewing the [Installation Guide](#) to assess if the DIY route suits your needs.

Stagestep provides a limited one-year warranty for flooring purchased directly from us, covering product defects. However, due to various installation factors, we can't extend the warranty for flooring not installed with our floating wood subfloor products (or equivalent approved in advance) and by pre-approved professional installers.

To summarize key considerations:

1. Subfloor Quality and Installation: Crucial for the floor's longevity.
2. Maintenance and Environmental Controls: Necessary for preserving the floor.
3. Acclimation and Installation Procedures: Allow acclimation and follow installation steps.
4. Cushioned Subfloor Considerations: Some Marley floors have built-in cushioned sub-floors.
5. DIY Installation Caution: Requires skillful management and adherence to procedures.
6. Warranty Coverage: Applies to products directly purchased from Stagestep, subject to installation criteria.

Thank you for your interest in Stagestep flooring.