Laundry Room Checklist

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# Tasks:

☐ **Laundry Room Design**

☐ **Choose your washer and dryer before the plans are completed for your home.**

☐ **Purchase a high-efficiency washing machine and reduce water and energy usage up to 50 percent.**

☐ **Know the size of your machines - your cabinet designer needs to make sure the washer is on the correct side.**

☐ **Purchase a longer cord or longer hoses that allow you to better arrange your appliances.**

☐ **Place a built-in wastebasket next to the dryer.**

☐ **Keep in mind whether you are left or right-handed when determining the location for the built-in ironing board.**

☐ **Consider an open area under the countertop to accommodate either a dog crate or a litter box.**

☐ **Use tall cabinet for hanging clothing and/or storage of the ironing board, mop, broom, or vacuum.**

☐ **Use open portion in bottom of upper cabinet above washing machine for handy access to detergent, fabric softener, etc.**

☐ **Use long hanging space for hanging up clothing as it is removed from the dryer.**

☐ **Use short hanging space above the laundry tub for drip drying of bathing suits, bras, etc.**

☐ **Plan to install a folding hanger.**

☐ **Install a table or countertop in your laundry room on which to fold clothes**

☐ **Have more than one bin to organize your laundry by color and cycle.**

☐ **Install a utility sink in your laundry room for hand-washing delicate items.**

☐ **Add ample lighting.**

☐ **Hang wire shelving on concrete walls.**