

Home Insulation Saves Energy

Increase attic insulation to R-38 (the current requirement for new homes). Insulate floors over unheated spaces to R-19. Insulate and seal ducts, attics, crawl spaces, garages and other unheated areas. Wall insulation should be added when the space is made accessible during home remodeling.

Proper insulation, weather-stripping, caulking, double windows, and doors keep heat in during the winter and out during the summer.

Check behind registers, in your crawlspace or in the attic for crushed, disconnected, or leaky ducts. Sealing leaks in ducts can reduce heating costs by 10 – 20%.

Add hot water heater tank insulation blanket and hot water pipe insulation, especially if in an unheated space.

Lower the temperature on your electric water heater to 120° degrees. Turn it off when leaving for extended periods of time. Remember EVERGEEN can install a custom Hot Water Tank Insulation Blanket to also save on the cost to keep the water temperature hot.

Install gaskets or foam sealant behind electric-outlet and switch-plate covers.



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