

Acronyms

Weatherization Assistance Program Standardized Training Curricula

ABS	Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene
ACCA	Air Conditioning Contractors of America
ACH	Air Changes per Hour
AEE	Association of Energy Engineers
AGA	American Gas Association
AHAM	Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers
AHU	Air-Handling Unit
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
ARRA	American Recovery and Reinvestment Act
ASC	Accredited Standards Committee
ASHRAE	American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers
BMS	Building Management System
BPI	Building Performance Institute
BTL	Building Tightness Limit
BTU	British Thermal Units
CAA	Community Action Agency
CAP	Community Action Program, or Community Action Agency
CAZ	Combustion Appliance Zone
CFH	Cubic Feet per Hour
CFL	Compact Fluorescent Lamp
CFM	Cubic Feet per Minute
CO	Carbon Monoxide
CO ₂	Carbon Dioxide
CRF	Can't Reach Fifty
CRI	Color Rendering Index
DHW	Domestic Hot Water
DHWT	Domestic Hot Water Tank
DOE	Department of Energy
DOE PO	DOE Project Officer
DTL	Depressurization Tightness Limit
EAI	Energy Audit Institute

EA-QUIP	Energy Audit Using the Queens Information Package
EDL	Equivalent Duct Length
EIA	Energy Information Administration
ELA	Equivalent Leakage Area
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
FIFO	First-in, First-out System
GFCI	Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter
GVW	Gross Vehicle Weight
H&S	Health and Safety
HDD	Heating Degree Days
HERS	Home Energy Rating System
HRV	Heat Recovery Ventilation
HUD	Housing and Urban Development
HVAC	Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning
HVI	Home Ventilating Institute
IAPMO	International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials
IAQ	Indoor Air Quality
ICC	International Codes Council
IC	Insulating Contact
IFGC	International Fuel Gas Code
IR	Infrared
IRC	International Residential Code
IWC	Inches of water column
LBNL	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (also written LBL)
LEED	Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design
LIHEAP	Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program
LPG	Liquefied Petroleum Gas
LSW	Lead Safe Weatherization
MF	Multifamily
MHEA	Manufactured Home Energy Audit
MRT	Mean Radiant Temperature
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet
MVG	Minimum Ventilation Guideline
MVR	Minimum Ventilation Requirement
NEAT	National Energy Audit Tool
NEC	National Electrical Code

NFA	Net Free Area (in reference to ventilation standards)
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
NFRC	National Fenestration Rating Council
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
o.c.	On Center
ORNL	Oak Ridge National Laboratory
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Pa	Pascals
PHA	Public Housing Authority or Agency
PMC	Project Management Center
PPE	Personal Protection Equipment
PPM	Parts Per Million
PSI	Pounds Per Square Inch
PV	Present Value
QC	Quality Control
RH	Relative Humidity
SC	Shading Coefficient
SF	Single Family
SHGC	Solar Heat Gain Coefficient
SIR	Savings-to-Investment Ratio
SO ₂	Sulfur Dioxide
T&TA	Training and Technical Assistance
TREAT	Targeted Retrofit Energy Analysis Tool
WAP	Weatherization Assistance Program
WPN	Weatherization Program Notice
WRT	With Reference To
ZPD	Zone Pressure Diagnostics