IS YOUR HOME UNDERINSULATED?

SIGNS YOU SHOULD REPLACE YOUR INSULATION - BEFORE WINTER HITS

\$2,500

Average annual home energy cost per household

90%

Homeowners in North America paying too much for energy due to lack of insulation

\$6950

Approximate energy savings over 10 years in a 1500 sq.ft. attic running electric heating (R10 to R50)

\$900

Maximum rebate through EfficiencyBC for attic insulation upgrade

DID YOU KNOW?

EfficencyBC currently has home energy rebates available.

The application is straightforward, and you could receive up to \$900 back for topping up your insulation to code!

Check with your insulation contractor to ensure they are registered, get your \$\$'s worth!

CHANGING TEMPERATURES

Are you noticing cold or warm spots in your home? Feel like your air conditioner is ALWAYS running in the summer? Poor, uneven insulation most often results in running your system longer than should be necessary. To boot, your thermostat runs the show, so without nipping the problem in the bud you'll likely see a wider range of temperatures throughout the home, especially areas further away from the thermostat.





MOISTURE CITY!

Improper insulation may cause the rising heat to melt snow on your rooftop, which is a red flag for ice dams. What's an ice dam? An **ice dam** is a ridge of **ice** that forms at the edge of a roof and prevents melting snow (water) from draining off the roof. The water that backs up behind the **dam** can leak into a home and cause damage to walls, ceilings, insulation, gutters, and other areas. Not only are the damages terrible on the wallet, but wet insulation isn't very effective at keeping in heat. If you have a hunch excess moisture is getting into your attic, do yourself a favour and call a professional installer to check it out.

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REGISTERED INSTALLER WITH
EFFICIENCYBC REBATE PROGRAM
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INCREASED ALLERGENS

Consider this! No matter what, a proper build on a home will allow for air to enter freely through your attic by way of the soffits. Ensuring your insulation is of the right height in inches can drastically decrease the amount of air getting through to your living quarters. In turn, this is helpful in keeping nasty spring allergens and environmental pollution out of your main spaces. Yahoo!

You don't have to freeze this winter. If any of these tips are giving you an "a-ha!" moment of clarity, be sure to contact an insulation installer to see if you might benefit from improved attic insulation. It makes a world of difference, and with the available rebates putting money back into your pocket it's a great time to button

up before winter hits!



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