



"Hands on. Ready to work."

Energy Efficiency Training Center

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Weatherization is the process of sealing air leaks and properly insulating a home.

Three classes will be offered in October at the Energy Efficiency Training Center!

Now is the time to register for the October round of 16 hour, two day classes. Registration is simple. You can call us at (716) 692-3676 for details. Or, you can get all the details and register on line at www.energyefficiencytrainingcenter.com/registration.html. We're offering three different courses during the month.

[Insulation/Air Sealing Level I](#) – Oct 19 & 20 (Mon-Tue) This is the basic, entry level insulation and air sealing offering.

[Insulation/Air Sealing Level II](#) – Oct 21 & 22 (Wed-Thur) This is a continuation of our "Hands On" Insulation & Air Sealing Level I and is designed to further educate the entry level insulation installer.

[Insulation/Air Sealing Level III](#) – Oct 28 & 29 (Wed-Thur) This session is for the student that is already secure in the various Insulation and Air Sealing application measures.

For more details on any of our courses, check out www.energyefficiencytrainingcenter.com. During the start-to-finish two day training sessions, students will learn how to install attic, wall and floor insulation; implement air sealing procedures, seal ductwork, install vapor barriers, and fulfill additional energy audit requirements.

All courses offered through the Energy Efficiency Training Center feature open enrollment. That means there are no pre-entry requirements to be met. The training is available to any adult 18 and over who is interested in delivery residential energy efficiency services as a career. More information is available at www.energyefficiencytrainingcenter.com; by e mail at training@energyefficiencytrainingcenter.com; or by phone at (716) 692-3676.

The 2,400 state of the art training facility is located at 34 Pequet Pkwy in Tonawanda, NY. It includes a class room and a complete house for real world, hands on training.

The key to the training's effectiveness is a self sufficient training environment designed to simulate the average home construction. To accomplish this, the Center's "house" features four different types of siding and paneling on the outside, and all the normal walls, slopes and crawl spaces that exist in an average structure. The "house" also includes an attic. A simulated basement is adjacent to the main area.

The Center has been awarded "Affiliate" status with the Building Performance Institute (BPI).

The BPI offers nationally recognized training, certification, accreditation and quality assurance programs in an ongoing effort to raise the bar and provide excellence in home performance contracting. Affiliate status means that the courses taught at the Energy Efficiency Training Center meet the professional standards of the BPI. More information on BPI can be found at: www.bpi.org.

Demand for weatherization technicians is projected to increase dramatically.

The U.S. Department of Energy has released a projection of the upcoming demand for workers in the weatherization industry. According to their January 2009 report, the current number of crew members/installers is 5,700. That number is projected to quickly increase to 39,000! There are 1,500 crew chiefs today and that number is expected to increase rapidly to 4,000. Throw in the additional private sector demand from home improvement and other associated industries, and the final number, what ever it is, makes a job in the weatherization industry a ray of sunshine in our current economic situation.

Our website is your link to weatherization training.

The [Energy Efficiency Training Center website](#) includes all the details concerning the Center and the training courses offered. We've added a lot of new photos to give you a visual understanding of the Center and our training methods.

It also includes frequently asked questions and answers, contact information and a downloadable brochure. Registration can also be accomplished online or by [downloading a registration form](#) and then mailing it in. Of course, more information can also be had by simply calling (716) 692-3676.

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