

# Find Comfort and Savings with Air Sealing & Insulation

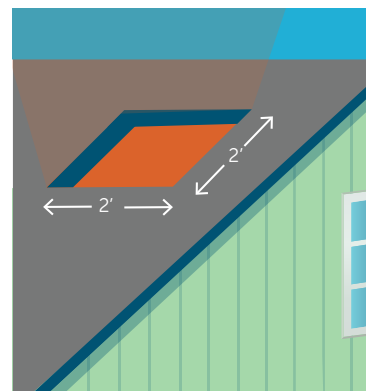
## How do I know if my home is losing too much heat?

### 1. Find the root cause—start with air leaks.

A good home weatherization strategy is like clothing yourself for outdoor activities. When you “zip up” your jacket you help keep your body heat from escaping. Air sealing is essentially “zipping up” your home.

**A professional comprehensive air sealing project can save an average of \$375 a year in heating costs.**

The most common air leakage points are in your attic and basement. The average home has enough cracks and openings, that when combined, equate to a two-foot-square hole. Leaving them unsealed is like leaving a window open all year long. No one likes heating air only for it to eventually escape.



### 2. Insulation: a sweater under your windbreaker

Any surface in your home or building that separates the interior from the exterior should be insulated after being properly air sealed. The most common insulation improvements occur in the attic or basement of a home. While no two homes are the same, more insulation is typically better.

**We always recommend air sealing before adding insulation. When paired together you can save \$800 or more every year in heating costs.**

Insulation comes in a variety of forms, including traditional rolls, spray cellulose, and foam. Choosing the right kind of insulation depends on where you’re adding it, the desired R-value, and your budget. A professional can best advise you on the right choice for your home.

## Reasons why good air sealing and insulation matters



### Be More Comfortable

Making your home energy-efficient will transform the way you feel inside your home and you’ll find yourself doing less to keep your home cozy and warm.



### Save Money on Energy Bills

On average, homeowners reduce their energy bills by about 20%, which is hundreds of dollars each year.



### A Healthier You

Airborne particles cause poor air quality which can aggravate asthma, allergies, and other health problems. Controlling air leakage and updating ventilation improves the quality of the air your family breathes.

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