


Home Energy Audit


An energy-efficient home is a comfortable home, and Idaho Power's Home Energy Audit program can help with both.

During the energy audit, a certified Home Performance Specialist (HPS) evaluates your home and provides recommendations to make it more comfortable and use less energy.

During a Home Energy Audit, the HPS will:




Walk through the house and around the exterior with the home-owner to review the number and type of lightbulbs, whether or not appliances are ENERGY STAR® rated, check furnace filter and air conditioner, review location of attic access and basement or crawl space.




Install energy efficient light bulbs (up to 20).



Check crawl space or basement for moisture, under floor insulation and its R-value (ability to resist heat flow), and duct work and vapor barrier condition.




Check insulation in attic, look for vented fans, roof ventilation and signs of moisture.




Place pipe wrap from the water heater to home wall (approximately 3 feet).



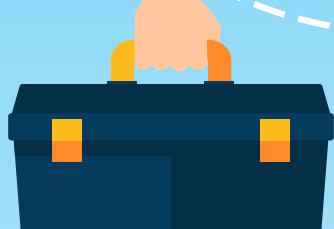
Install an energy efficient showerhead.




Review materials and discuss audit with the home-owner.



Conduct a blower door test which pulls air out of the home so that leaky areas are felt and apparent.



*Process and improvements installed in each home depend upon customer approval and the particular circumstances at each residence.



The audit and improvements are valued at \$445 and cost only \$99 for all-electric homes (\$149 for gas, propane or other fuel sources).

For complete program details, visit: idahopower.com/HomeEnergyAudit