New Construction Program Workforce Development

For a CLEANER and GREENER Future for New Jersey

Invest in yourself or your employee as an energy professional. Reimbursements are available to those who complete courses leading to certifications that support the New Construction Program. Eligible courses are designed to promote energy efficiency and decarbonization in New Jersey's new construction market.

Get Certified

These valuable certifications are the next steps to advancing your clean energy career or those of your employees, leading to success in energy-efficient, new construction projects.

Benefits



Acquiring new skills leads to new opportunities.

Taking training courses designed to gain in-depth knowledge of energy-efficient buildings in the future can help you develop the expertise needed to work on new construction projects.

Eligibility



Applicants must show proof of:

1. Residence in the State of New Jersey; OR

2. Principal place of work is in New Jersey; OR

3. A nexus to New Jersey and proof can be provided. *

Reimbursement

Up to \$2,000 will be reimbursed per person per course upon successful completion, with a maximum reimbursement of \$4,000 per fiscal year, from July 1 through June 30.

* See the User Guide and application for details.

List of Trainings

- <u>AEE Certified Building</u>
 <u>Commissioning Professional</u>
 <u>(CBCP)</u>
- AEE Energy Efficiency Practitioner (EEP)
- ASHRAE Building Energy Modeling Professional (BEMP)
- ENERGY STAR New Homes or MFNC Rater Certification
- IGSHPA Accredited Installer
- IGSHPA Certified GeoExchange Designer
- LEED AP (BD+C and ID+C only)
- LEED Green Associate
- PHI Certified Passive House
 Designer
- PHI Certified Passive House
 Tradesperson
- Phius Certified Builder (CPHB)
- <u>Phius Certified Consultant</u>
 (CPHC)
- Phius Certified Rater, Phius Certified Verifier
- <u>RESNET HERS Modeler</u>
- RESNET HERS Rater
- <u>RESNET HERS Rating Field</u>
 <u>Inspector (RFI)</u>



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Application NEXT STEPS





Submit an application

Follow the steps to create a user profile and application, upload documentation, and track your application status through the portal.

Receive pre-approval

Your application will be reviewed for eligibility. If pre-approved, you will receive a letter prior to taking the course to be eligible for reimbursement.*

Take the training course

Take your pre-approved training/certification course and any applicable exam(s).

Submit Proof

Submit proof of payment and course completion to the application portal.

Receive final approval and reimbursment

After documentation review, your reimbursement will be issued.

*To be eligible for reimbursement, the applicant must gain approval from the New Construction Program before taking the training course and certificate exam. See the User Guide for details or email <u>Workforce@NJCleanEnergy.com.</u>

Get the User Guide



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