

Building Performance Institute, Inc.



STANDARDS

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Home Energy Professional Energy Auditor Prerequisites

Experience [within the last five (5) years] (see template letter in app): Minimum 1,000 hours from:

- Field/technical position within the home performance or related field, **OR**
- Performing audits in a building science trade, **OR**
- Trainers or BPI Field Proctors may qualify under the experience requirement with proof of 1,000 hours of relevant training or field proctoring (or a combination of both) 1 hour of relevant training or field proctoring equals 1 hour of experience.

Energy Modeling [within the last five (5) years] (see template letter for trainer in app):

- Completed and submit ten (10) energy models that comply with the specifications identified in the current version of ANSI/BPI-1100-T, Section 2.2 for energy audit reports and also include analysis of the savings to investment ratio or simple pay back of measure installations, **OR**
- Successfully completed training (minimum of six (6) hours) in energy modeling that complies with the specifications identified in the current version of ANSI/BPI-1100-T, Section 2.2 and includes an end of course assessment with a passing score, **OR**
- Be a designated trainer of energy modeling that complies with the specifications identified in the current version of ANSI/BPI-1100-T, Section 2.2, for an organization.
 - *Providing on-the-job training does not fulfill this requirement

Additional Requirements [within the last five (5) years] (see template letters in app):

20 points from any combination of the following:

- Building trades experience (framing, roofing, drywall, weatherization, energy audits, QCI inspections, etc.):
 - Max 10 pts, 5 pts for each 1000 hours
- Training from industry-specific training center (training whose content aligns with the content of the job task analysis for the certification):
 - Max 10 pts, 5 pts for each 40 hours
- Related industry certifications (must be active to receive credit): (e.g., RESNET, BPI, NATE, EPA, others).
 - Max 10 pts, 5 pts per certification