# **Helpful Term**inology



#### **Domain 1: Introduction**

- American Housing Survey
- Building code
- · Chronic health conditions
- Environmental justice and disparities
- Healthy home
- Home Health Exposure Triangle
- Housing & habitability codes: (IPMC and local applications)
- Housing Standard (National Healthy Housing Standard as example)
- Infrastructure
- Ingestion, Injection, Absorption, Inhalation
- Integrated healthy housing approach
- National Center for Healthy Housing
- Routes of exposure
- Social determinants of health
- Vulnerable groups
- Zoning code

#### Domain 3: Keep It Dry

- Air sealing
- Bulk Moisture
- Capillary Action
- Condensation Temperature
- Dew Point Temperature
- Drainage Plane
- Mold remediation
- Moisture Meter
- Relative Humidity

## Domain 5: Keep It Contaminant-Free

- Air fresheners
- Asbestos
- Composite Wood
- Environmental tobacco smoke (ETS)
- Fine and ultrafine particulate matter
- Formaldehyde
- Off-gassing
- PBDE / PBB
- Persistent Pollutants
- Phthalates
- PM25.
- · Second hand smoke
- Third hand smoke
- Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Title VI
- VOCs (volatile organic compounds)
- Wildfire smoke

#### Domain 2: Keep It Clean

- Allergen
- Anti-bacterial
- · Anti-microbial
- Asbestos
- Cleanable
- Clutter
- Clutter Image Rating
- Dander
- Disinfectant
- Dust Mite
- Hoarding
- Minimum Efficiency Reporting Value (MERV)
- Particulate Matter (PM2.5 / PM 10)
- Triclosan
- Volatile Organic Compounds
- Zoonotic Diseases

#### Domain 4: Keep It Pest-Free

- Allergen
- Bed bugs
- Boric acid
- Carrying capacity
- Federal Insecticide Fungicide Rodenticide Act (FIFRA)
- Habitat modification
- Harborage
- Integrated Pest Management (IPM)
- Pest
- Pest Management Triangle
- Pesticide
- Poison
- Signal words
- · Sticky trap
- Toxic

### Domain 6: Keep It Safe

- Accident
- American Society of Testing and Measurement (ASTM)
- Anti-Tip Shelf Brackets or Straps
- Baby Gates
- Cabinet Latch
- Circuit Breaker
- Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC)
- Corrosive
- Extremely Flammable
- Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter (GFCI)
- Highly Toxic
- Irritant
- Poisoning
- Preventable Injury
- Receptacle Covers
- Scalding
- Signal Words
- Stair Riser
- · Window Guard

### Domain 7: Keep It Ventilated

- Air Leakage
- Airflow
- Carbon Dioxide
- Carbon Monoxide
- Clean Air Delivery Rate (CADR)
- Combustion
- Combustion By-Products
- Exfiltration
- Infiltration
- Mechanical Ventilation
- Minimum Efficiency Reporting Value (MERV)
- · Nitrogen Dioxide
- Spillage
- Sone
- Spot Ventilation

## Domain 8: Keep It Comfortable

- Air Sealing
- Comfort
- Conduction
- Heat Exhaustion
- · Hyperthermia
- Insulation
- Temperature
- Convection
- Heat Stroke
- Hypothermia
- Pressure Boundary
- Radiation
- Thermal Boundary

#### Domain 9: Keep It Maintained

- Abatement
- Asbestos
- Clearance Standard
- Friable
- Lead Disclosure Law
- Mercury
- Methane
- Mesothelioma
- Picocurie
- Renovation, Repair and Painting Rule
- Asbestosis
- Elevated Blood Lead (EBL)
- Lead-based Paint
- Lead Safe Work Practices
- Radon
- Sewer Gas
- Vermiculite