

INSULATION INSPECTION CHECKLIST

- Insulation Certificate, signed by responsible party stating:
 - Manufacturer's name
 - Installed R-values for Walls, Ceiling and Floors
 - For Blown-in insulation: minimum weight per square foot

Walls

- No gaps
- No compression
- Insulation cut around obstructions
- Stapling correct: no gaps, cavity filled
- External channels, corners, and areas around tubs and showers insulated
- Small spaces filled
- Rim-joists insulated

Ceiling Batts

- No gaps
- No compression
- Insulation cut around obstructions
- All draft stops in place
- Batts cover trusses
- All top plates covered
- All venting clear: minimum 1" clearance
- IC rated fixtures covered
- Attic access insulated

Ceiling Blown-in

- All draft stops in place
- All drops covered with hard covers
- Insulation covers entire surface
- Insulation uniform depth
- Insulation at proper depth – insulation rulers visible and indicating proper depth
Note: cellulose insulation settles. Nominal settling for loose fill cellulose is 20% and for stabilized 5%; installers should either over-blow by these percentages or to manufacturer's specifications
- Insulation covering cavities, drops, scuttles, bracing, and IC rated fixtures
- Insulation covering top plates
- Baffles installed and eaves vents or soffit vents clear: minimum 1" clearance
- Bag labels cut out and stapled to truss vertical near attic access
- Attic access insulated

Floor

- Batts snug but not compressed or buckled
- All spaces insulated
- If web trusses, rim joists insulated