



# YOU CAN'T AFFORD NOT TO SAVE

HOME PERFORMANCE WITH  
ENERGY STAR®

**SAVE** UP  
TO **\$700**

ANNUALLY ON  
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## **NYSERDA – Helping New Yorkers reduce home energy costs**

Today, it's more important than ever to cut costs wherever you can. The New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA) can help. Through the Home Performance with ENERGY STAR program, New Yorkers can save up to \$700 on their home annual energy costs.\* Many homes are under-insulated, drafty, or have old or inefficient heating systems. All these problems mean you are paying more than you should for heating and cooling. Most New Yorker's qualify for a free or reduced- cost comprehensive, whole-house energy assessment, also referred to as an energy audit, and low-interest loans.\*\* Additionally, participants may be eligible for cash-back incentives.

**Home Performance with ENERGY STAR is a "whole-house" approach that assesses and corrects your home's energy problems. Homeowners can enjoy benefits such as increased energy efficiency, fewer drafts, consistent temperatures throughout rooms, increased ventilation and humidity control and lower utility bills.**

### **Energy efficiency saves you money.**

When your home is energy efficient, it costs less to heat and cool. It's that simple. Plus, an energy-efficient home is safer and more comfortable.

\* Actual savings may vary based upon efficiency measures selected, age of home, appliances, equipment and other factors. A participating contractor can help evaluate potential savings.

\*\*Financing, energy audits, and workforce development opportunities made available through the Green Jobs - Green NY Act of 2009.



## Here's how it works

- Schedule a free or reduced-cost comprehensive home assessment through the Home Performance with ENERGY STAR program.
- A Building Performance Institute (BPI) Accredited Home Performance Contractor will inspect and assess your home's energy performance from top to bottom and show you exactly where your home is wasting energy, and where you're losing money.
- The BPI Accredited Home Performance Contractor will explain what improvements can be made, tell you how much the improvements will cost, and show you available low-interest loans and cash back incentives.

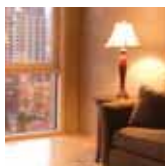


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## Low-interest loans are available to assist with the cost of improvements.

Also, if you are income-eligible, you can receive up to 50% off the cost to make improvements – up to \$5,000. For a 2-4 family building, the incentive can be to up to \$10,000 if the tenants are income eligible. To find out if you are eligible, call us or log on to [GetEnergySmart.org/home-performance](http://GetEnergySmart.org/home-performance)



NYSERDA, the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority, offers objective information and analysis, innovative programs, technical expertise, and funding to help New Yorkers increase energy efficiency, save money, use renewable energy, and reduce their reliance on fossil fuels. NYSERDA professionals work to protect our environment and create clean-energy jobs. A public benefit corporation, NYSERDA has been developing partnerships to advance innovative energy solutions in New York since 1975.



## Want to waste less energy?

NYSERDA is New York's number one resource for helping you save money and energy. Log on to **GetEnergySmart.org** or call **1-877-NY-SMART** to find more ways to save.

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