



# Southwestern Minnesota Opportunity Council - SMOC

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## WEATHERIZATION INFORMATION FORM

(Este formulario es su aplicación para el programa de Weatherization)

Date:			
Name:		Phone:	
Mailing Address		City:	
Property Address:			
	Yes	No	Don't Know
Is there anyone in household that is handicapped/disabled?			
Is there anyone in household over age of 60?			
Do you have adequate insulation in the walls of your home? What type of insulation do you have?			
Do you have adequate insulation in your attic? (What type and approximately how many inches of insulation)			
Has your house been weatherized by SMOC? <i>If yes, when?</i>			
Does anyone in your household have respiratory illness? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Describe) <input type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>Renters: <i>If interested, you will need to provide the name, address and contact information of your landlord.</i></b>			
Name:			
Address:			
Phone/Contact Information:			
What type of fuel do you use to heat your home? Propane <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Oil <input type="checkbox"/> Electricity <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> _____			
What type of heating system do you have? <input type="checkbox"/> Furnace (Forced Air) <input type="checkbox"/> Hot water/Boiler <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
Are you having problems with your heating system?		Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
<i>If yes, describe problems:</i>			
When is the last time you had your heating system cleaned?			
If you have a boiler, what type of insulation/wrap is on your heating system pipes?			
What type of water heater do you have? <input type="checkbox"/> Electric <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Propane/LP How many gallons?			
What type of home do you live in? Single family house <input type="checkbox"/> Mobile Home <input type="checkbox"/> Duplex <input type="checkbox"/> Apartment <input type="checkbox"/>			
Do you: Rent your home <input type="checkbox"/> Own your home <input type="checkbox"/> Buying your home <input type="checkbox"/>			
When was your home built? _____		What type of siding do you have? _____	
One or two level home? _____		Approximate total square footage of your home _____	
Does your home have any inaccessible crawl spaces or attic spaces? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>If yes, where?</i>			
Are you currently repairing your home? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>If yes, what type of repairs?</i>			
Do you operate a business from your home? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Other comments about your home or household:			

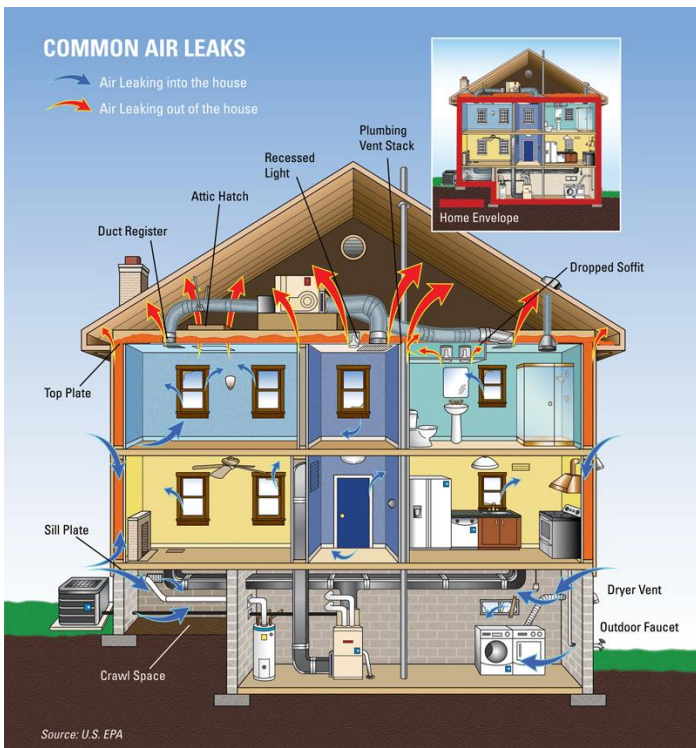
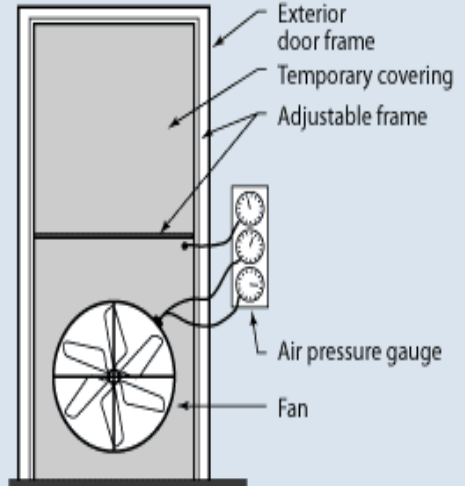


The **Weatherization Assistance Program** goal is to reduce home energy costs to eligible households by improving the energy efficiency of their homes while ensuring their health and safety. A household must be eligible for the **Energy Assistance Program** for the current year to be considered for the Weatherization Program. The Program prioritizes services to the elderly, people with disabilities, high energy consumers, and families with young children. During a Weatherization home audit, a trained housing inspector performs on-site home weatherization audit using state of the art equipment to identify outside drafts and inspect heating systems for safety and efficiency. The inspector evaluates the home as a system comprised of the building structure, the mechanical systems, and the residents. Weatherization services include:

- Energy conservation education
- Home weatherization audit (home evaluation) to determine which energy saving measures are appropriate, emphasizing the most cost-effective measures and those which are essential for the health and safety of the occupants. Diagnostic equipment, such as blower door, infrared camera, and manometer, is used to detect air infiltration, duct leaks, and pressure imbalances in the home. These measures could include:

### Diagnostic Tools

Testing the airtightness of a home using a special fan called a blower door can help to ensure that air sealing work is effective. Often, energy efficiency incentive programs, such as the DOE/ EPA ENERGY STAR Program, require a blower door test (usually performed in less than an hour) to confirm the tightness of the house.



- ❖ Attic, wall, floor, and ceiling insulation, air infiltration and bypass sealing
- ❖ Test, repair, and/or replace home mechanical systems to ensure efficiency and safety.
- ❖ Final inspection to ensure all work is performed correctly and satisfactorily.

A house can be weatherized one time only. If your home was weatherized after September 1994, your home would not be eligible for services again.

If you are interested in Weatherization services, please complete the application included and return it to:

**Southwestern Minnesota Opportunity Council**  
**ATTN: Weatherization**  
**PO Box 787**  
**Worthington, MN 56187**

*\*Note - Following the return of this form, we would be calling you to set up an audit. This call could come from our*

*contracted agency - United Community Action - Marshall office.*