



Introduction to ENERGY STAR for Residential New Construction



What's an ENERGY STAR Certified Home or Apartment?

- A home or apartment built to the ENERGY STAR guidelines and verified by a third party
- Delivers savings:
 - At least 10% more energy efficiency than homes built to code and achieve a 20% improvement on average
- Can provide improved quality, comfort, peace of mind, \$\$ savings, and durability to homeowners, residents, and property managers

A blue rectangular label for "ENERGY STAR CERTIFIED NEW HOME". The top left corner features the Energy Star logo and the text "ENERGY STAR". The top right corner contains the text "CERTIFIED NEW HOME". Below this, there are several white rectangular fields for information: "Address:", "Built by:", "Verified by:", "Date:", and "ENERGY STAR® for Homes Version Number:". Below these fields is a section for "Optional information:". At the bottom, there is a small disclaimer: "This home has been independently verified to meet EPA's strict guidelines for energy efficiency." and a link: "Learn more at energystar.gov".



ENERGY STAR & Affordable Housing

- **ENERGY STAR certification is accessible by projects of all sizes, construction types, and price-points.**
- Over **3,600** ENERGY STAR certified homes built within affordable housing sector using HUD financing in 2017.
- Over **16,500** ENERGY STAR Certified homes built by Habitat for Humanity & **120** active Habitat for Humanity affiliates nationwide.



New! Multifamily Specification Updates

Under Development for 2019: New Multifamily Specification

Details available at: www.energystar.gov/mfspec

Note: Applicable for all multifamily projects except duplexes and townhomes



We're here to help!

View ENERGY STAR as a trusted advisor on energy efficiency.

- Webinars, Technical Guides, Developer Trainings, More!

Resources for More Information:

- ENERGY STAR Info for Affordable Housing
 - www.energystar.gov/affordablehousing
- ENERGY STAR Certified Homes (Single-Family & Multifamily Low Rise)
 - Main: www.energystar.gov/homes
 - Questions: energystarhomes@energystar.gov
- ENERGY STAR for Multifamily High Rise
 - Main: www.energystar.gov/mfhr
 - Questions: mfhr@energystar.gov