



ENERGY  
UPGRADE  
CALIFORNIA®  
HOME UPGRADE

Energy Upgrade California® Home Upgrade is a whole-house approach to energy efficiency. We empower Californians, like you, to Do Your Thing® by finding opportunities to save energy in your home with the help of a certified professional. We can help you take advantage of rebates and other financial incentives for installing approved energy upgrades in your home.

# UPGRADES FOR YOUR HOME SAVINGS FOR YOUR FAMILY

Get incentives of up to \$5,500\* with a Home Upgrade.

## WHY UPGRADE?

Energy Upgrade California® Home Upgrade is a statewide program that offers rebates and incentives when you make energy-saving improvements to your home.

- Earn incentives of up to \$5,500\*
- Save money on your utility bill
- Keep your home comfortable
- Good for your family, good for the environment

## AN UPGRADE FOR YOUR WHOLE HOME

The program rewards you for taking a comprehensive, whole-home approach to energy efficiency, rather than focusing on individual improvements. For example, instead of only replacing a furnace, additional upgrades like duct sealing and insulation can make your entire house more efficient.

## THE MORE YOU UPGRADE, THE MORE YOU SAVE.

When you combine projects throughout your entire home, you qualify for higher rebates. A Home Upgrade team member can help recommend projects to maximize rebates and savings.

### THREE STEPS TO SAVINGS:

- 1 Find your contractor.**  
Choose from a network of participating contractors. To find one near you, visit [pge.com/homeupgrade](http://pge.com/homeupgrade).
- 2 Get a Home Upgrade consultation.**  
Your contractor will schedule an initial consultation to identify upgrade opportunities.
- 3 Review findings and start your upgrades.**  
Work with a participating contractor to select upgrades and complete the work. Your contractor will even complete paperwork so that you receive your rebates in a timely manner.



## SAVINGS ALL OVER YOUR HOME.

Take a whole-house approach to address your home's energy needs as a complete system. Improvements to your heating, air conditioning and water heating all work together to help you live comfortably, while lowering your utility bills.

### 1. Attic Insulation and Air Sealing

Reduce cold drafts in the winter, and keep hot air out in the summer.

### 2. Furnace

A heating system should be replaced once every 10 to 20 years, depending on the model and how well it has been maintained. A new, efficient, heating system can save you up to 15 percent per year in heating costs.

### 3. Duct Sealing, Insulation and Replacement

Ducts carry air from cooling and heating systems to each room of the home. Twenty percent of heated or cooled air can be lost from poorly sealed ducts before reaching the vents.

### 4. Windows

Reduce summer heat gain and winter heat loss with energy-efficient windows.

### 5. Insulation

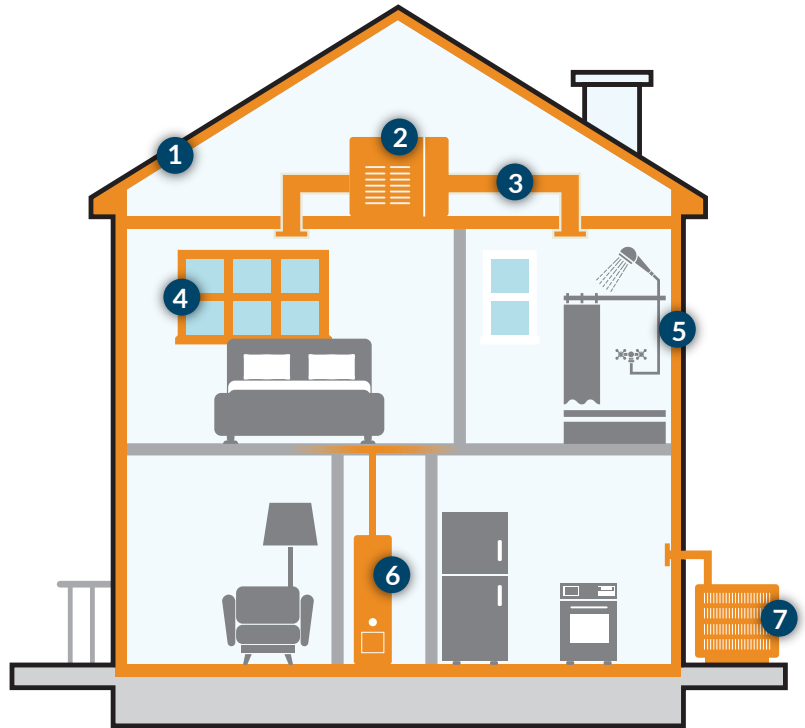
Proper insulation can substantially reduce heating and cooling loss by 45 percent, and keep your home comfortable all year around.

### 6. Hot Water Heater

Replace water heaters more than 11 years old for more cost-effective water heating.

### 7. Air Conditioning

If a central air-conditioning unit is more than 12 years old, replacing it with an ENERGY STAR®-qualified model could cut your cooling costs by 30 percent.



## ADVANCED HOME UPGRADE PACKAGE

### Incentives of up to \$5,500\*

This package includes more extensive building-shell upgrades and equipment replacement and is typically more complex. Advanced upgrades may include a cool roof, hardwire lighting, a tankless water-heater system, energy-efficient windows, and more.

## START SAVING TODAY.

Schedule an appointment today with a participating contractor for a Home Upgrade consultation.

Call: **1-844-818-7204**

Email: [info@homeupgrade.org](mailto:info@homeupgrade.org)

Visit: [pge.com/homeupgrade](http://pge.com/homeupgrade)

## DON'T HAVE THE CASH TO UPGRADE NOW?

Finance your Home Upgrade project with up to \$50,000 for 15 years at competitive rates. For more details visit [pge.com/homeupgrade](http://pge.com/homeupgrade) or talk to your local contractor

\*Customers may also be eligible for incentives exceeding \$5,500, based on their calculated energy savings. Work with your participating contractor or rater to calculate your upgrade's rebate.

Energy Upgrade California® Home Upgrade provides assistance and incentives for home improvement projects that can reduce energy use and make homes more comfortable. This statewide program is managed locally by utilities and regional energy networks and directed by the California Public Utilities Commission in collaboration with the California Energy Commission. Funding comes from utility customers under the auspices of the California Public Utilities Commission. Incentives are offered on a first-come, first-served basis and are effective until the funding is expended or the program is discontinued. Terms and conditions apply. See program rules for details.

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