INSTITUTE OF WORKFORCE TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Mainers have installed over 50,000 heat pumps and another 100,000 are forecasted by 2025. As a result, Maine's 500+ heat pump installation companies are actively hiring trained heat pump technicians.

KENNEBEC VALLEY Community College



HEAT PUMP INSTALLER TRAINING

JANUARY 4-8, 2021, MEETS MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:00 AM-4:30 PM LIVE ON ALFOND CAMPUS FEE: \$995

Heat pumps are now the most popular heating and cooling system in Maine. KVCC is an Efficiency Maine Registered Trainer for this class which is one of the requirements to qualify for rebates, financing, and customer leads. Topics covered in this 40-hour course include: installation, commissioning, and servicing of ductless mini-split heat pumps. User tips, refrigerant cycle theory, basic electrical theory, and safe work practices will also be covered. Students will get hands-on installation and troubleshooting experience in a state-of-the-art teaching lab. (Additional USEPA 608 Refrigerant Handling certification is also required, but is offered separately. Efficiency Maine Annual Heat Pump Basics free, 1-hour, online video is also required by Efficiency Maine.)

EPA 608 REFRIGERANT CERTIFICATE (SELF-STUDY)

JANUARY 9, 2021, 8:00 AM-2:00 PM FEE: \$195

The EPA 608 Refrigerant Certification for Small Appliances (Self Study) course at KVCC is designed to prepare technicians for the EPA 608 certification exam: 1) Core Certification (general knowledge of refrigerants), 2) Type 1 (repair and service of small appliances using refrigerant), Type 2 (high pressure refrigerant i.e. Ductless Mini Split Heat Pumps, and/or Type 3 (Universal License) It is not intended to be formal refrigeration training course. Technicians who take this course should be familiar with basic vapor — compression refrigeration cycle and common service equipment and procedures.

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