About the Program

The IHP Equipment Loan Program was developed in support of the Illinois Home Performance program for the purpose of making energy evaluation equipment available to home performance professionals. This program is made possible with funding from Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) and a partnership between the Illinois Green Economy Network (igen) and the Midwest Energy Efficiency Alliance (MEEA).

Energy evaluation equipment is organized into kits to ease the loan process, and housed and maintained at various participating colleges geographically dispersed across the state.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:**
Only individuals who are Building Performance Institute (BPI) certified or are seeking BPI certification, are Duct and Envelope Tightness Verifier certified, or are otherwise listed as an Illinois Diagnostic Energy Tester on www.ilcodediagnostics.org are eligible to apply to participate in the IHP Equipment Loan Program.

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**Equipment**

- **Combustion Safety Kit:** Portable Digital Combustion Analyzer, Portable Electronic Combustible Gas Leak Detector
- **Infrared Camera Kit:** IR Camera
- **Blower Door Kit:** Minneapolis Blower Door, Exhaust Fan Flow Meter, 2 Pressure Pans, Hose Kits
- **Duct Blaster:** Duct Blaster® Fan with Fan Speed Controller, DG-700 Digital Pressure and Flow Gauge

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From top left: Duct Blaster® Fan with Fan Speed Controller, Minneapolis Blower Door, and Pressure Pan.