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Website Updates

VIRTUAL TOUR AND CATALOG

The center's website has been updated to include a visual tour of the training center and its capabilities. You can see the entire center along with close ups of cabins, classrooms, and some of the training props and equipment. We are excited that neighboring states have begun to interact with the training center and are excited about what we offer!

In addition to a visual tour of what we offer, we have put together a course catalog. If you are working with an agency, please have the agency contact us about training as there may be discounts for supplying your own materials and tools for some courses. CEU's are available for the HEP Professional courses, but fluctuate depending on the instructor. Please inquire if you're in need of some credits. We are still working on getting online courses up and running, but those are coming soon!

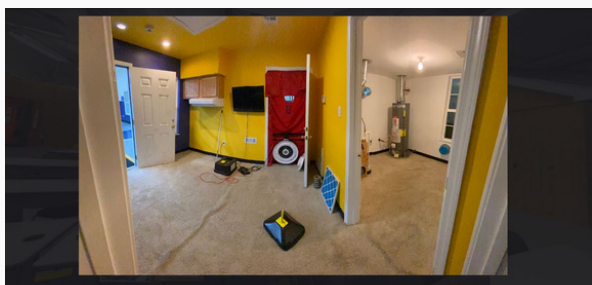
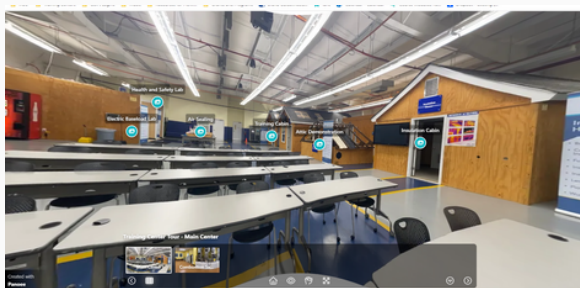


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03	<u>HEP Professionals</u> HEP Certification Courses Align with HEP City Approved curricula for the respective cities and counties	
04	<u>Contractors</u> Qualified Representative Contractors State Contractor Certifying & Education Council	
05	<u>Inspectors</u> Certified inspectors with Associations identify various efficiency controls in actual functions of the home	
06	<u>Homeowners</u> Discover how to build and homeowners can increase energy efficiency and sustainable living habits	

Skills Classes	Beginner Intermediate	Advanced	
SA - Building Skills Learn the skills and techniques for building a successful business.	YES		<h2>HSP PROFESSIONALS</h2> <p>Complete all three courses and earn your HSP certification. Complete all three courses and earn your HSP certification.</p>
SA - Marketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for marketing your business.	YES		
SA - Financial Skills Learn the skills and techniques for managing your business's finances.	YES		
SA - Legal Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's legal obligations.	YES		
SA - Selling Skills Learn the skills and techniques for selling your business's products and services.	YES		
SA - Customer Service Skills Learn the skills and techniques for providing excellent customer service.	YES		
SA - Team Management Skills Learn the skills and techniques for managing your business's team.	YES		
SA - Business Plan Skills Learn the skills and techniques for developing a business plan.	YES		
SA - Financial Statement Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's financial statements.	YES		
SA - Tax Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's tax obligations.	YES		
SA - Insurance Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's insurance needs.	YES		
SA - Risk Management Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's risk management needs.	YES		
SA - Compliance Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's compliance needs.	YES		
SA - Ethics Skills Learn the skills and techniques for understanding your business's ethical obligations.	YES		
SA - Social Media Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using social media to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Email Marketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using email to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Content Marketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using content to promote your business.	YES		
SA - SEO Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using SEO to promote your business.	YES		
SA - PPC Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using PPC to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Affiliate Marketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using affiliate marketing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Influencer Marketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using influencer marketing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Referral Marketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using referral marketing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Direct Mail Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using direct mail to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Telemarketing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using telemarketing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Cold Calling Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using cold calling to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Networking Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using networking to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Public Speaking Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using public speaking to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Writing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using writing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Editing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using editing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Design Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using design to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Photography Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using photography to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Video Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using video to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Audio Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using audio to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Animation Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using animation to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Game Development Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using game development to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Mobile App Development Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using mobile app development to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Web Development Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using web development to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Database Management Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using database management to promote your business.	YES		
SA - System Administration Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using system administration to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Network Security Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using network security to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Cloud Computing Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using cloud computing to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Big Data Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using big data to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Artificial Intelligence Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using artificial intelligence to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Blockchain Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using blockchain to promote your business.	YES		
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SA - Nanotechnology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using nanotechnology to promote your business.	YES		
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SA - Space Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using space technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Ocean Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using ocean technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Atmospheric Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using atmospheric technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Earth Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using earth technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Planetary Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using planetary technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Galactic Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using galactic technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Cosmic Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using cosmic technology to promote your business.	YES		
SA - Universal Technology Skills Learn the skills and techniques for using universal technology to promote your business.	YES		

ASHRAE

Quad Community Action Agency requested training for ASHRAE calculations and installation. LHC worked with Quad Community Action Agency to administer on ASHRAE calculations and installation. Due to the agency's proximity and material supply, we were able to provide the sessions at no cost to the Quad Community Action Agency team.

Chris Dunn, our QC Inspector, worked with the Quad Community Action Agency team to provide a fun, engaging environment for the agency to review policy, calculation methods, available tools, and procedures.



Contact Pam Lewandowski at plewandowski@lhc.la.gov or 225-754-1474 for questions, training requests, and scheduling.

Agency Spotlight – Cherelle Lee

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Cherelle Lee has worked with Quad Community Action Agency for 20 years, but is new to Weatherization. In the past she has worked with Veterans and that work has helped to make her very personable.

She works as an intake worker and outreach specialist and has set a goal to maintain 125% of the contracted number of units for each of the 19 parishes served. She has traveled to 7 of these parishes, prioritizing the areas most in need of applications.

Outside of being an excellent professional in the field, she is a great person to be around. She is a loving wife to a husband that has served in the military for 20 plus years and is the mother of two children. In her spare time she also cares for exotic animals.

Trainers Summit

The National Trainers' Consortium met in Washington, D.C. in early April to discuss best practices and challenges. One of the recurring themes was the need to spread the word about weatherization programs to help generate public interest in the field for potential workers. We are working towards strategies to retain crew members and make the field more desirable and sustainable.

Next month, we are meeting with a local school district to discuss training within public school curriculum and how that might help to prepare and build the workforce. Another idea is to build courses online that will introduce skills to new crew members without being overwhelming or removing them from the field for days at a time.

Ultimately, the training center is here to serve the agencies in whatever way we can. Please feel free to reach out and communicate any ideas or needs you may have.



LIHEAP

Priscilla and Donna gave a presentation on weatherization at the state LIHEAP conference to help spread the word about your programs.



They did an excellent job representing the work our agencies do in their communities. These women are passionate about the field and it shows in their work.

Upcoming Events

[Website](#)

5/10 CTE Meeting with WBR Parish Schools
5/12 IDL Certification Training
5/15 Dense Packing Skill Training 4 CEU's
5/16 Venting to Daylight Training 4CEU's
5/17 Air Sealing Training 4 CEU's
5/19 IDL Certification Training (Matt K.)
5/22-5/26 BA Training with BPS (Matt K.)
7/10-7/14 EA Training with Everblue

Anytime: BPI Certification Renewal Available



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