South Central College

HVAC 2301 Indoor Air Quality

Course Outcome Summary

Course Information

Description
This course covers equipment that deals with today's problem with indoor air quality. Students will study, analyze the causes of poor IAQ in homes and the workplace. Each student will give an oral report on a topic picked by the instructor.

Total Credits 1
Total Hours 16

Types of Instruction

Instruction Type
Lecture

Pre/Corequisites
None

Institutional Core Competencies

Civic Engagement and Social Responsibility - Students will be able to demonstrate the ability to engage in the social responsibilities expected of a community member.

Communication - Students will be able to demonstrate appropriate and effective interactions with others to achieve their personal, academic, and professional objectives.

Critical and Creative Thinking - Students will be able to demonstrate purposeful thinking with the goal of using a creative process for developing and building upon ideas and/or the goal of using a critical process for the analyzing and evaluating of ideas.

Course Competencies

1. Examine health effects associated with poor IAQ.
   Learning Objectives
   - List health issues caused by poor IAQ
   - Study the causes of poor IAQ
   - Identify long term effects of poor IAQ

2. Examine methods of controlling indoor air pollutants.
   Learning Objectives
   - Compare filters and the materials they are made from
Identify equipment that is designed to clean indoor air.
Demonstrate the function of an EAC unit.
Describe the operation of the air to air exchanger.
Describe the operation of the heat recovery vessel.
Draw the air-flow pattern of a heat recovery vessel.

3. **Summarize what we can do to improve IAQ.**

   **Learning Objectives**
   - List improvements that can be made in our homes.
   - Present an oral report on IAQ.
   - Answer questions about IAQ.

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