



IMPACT 2019

HEALTHY HOMES AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Limited resources of time, money and energy for families create struggles. Training and support through Extension Family and Consumer Science educators produce and deliver programs to help clients address their needs.

Healthy Homes Practices

Participants learn how to keep an indoor environment safe and healthy. They also learn about common chemical exposures and how to properly store items such as cosmetics, personal care products, and medicines.

Programs help senior adults live at home and equip them with the tools to do so.

Indoor Air Quality and Pollutants

Educators offer classes about testing indoor air quality and detecting radon to help promote clean air circulation while being energy efficient.

Conserving Resources and Money

Rental education programs for frontline workers help families obtain critical skills to obtain and sustain affordable housing.

Response

Educators teach energy efficiency, including evaluating water and power usage. Participants learn to improve health and maintenance of homes that participants occupy seasonally.

Pre-purchase homebuyers classes teach the benefits of homeownership and outline the home-buying process. The classes encourage changes and ways to improve credit scores and outline a plan to begin savings.

Recycling Programs

Educators teach recycling through the school system. They also offer classes about recycling and repurposing, which can impact the environment.



Raising kids
Eating right
Spending smart

