The value of certification for the installation of Spray Polyurethane Foam

**SPFA**

The Spray Polyurethane Foam Alliance’s (SPFA) Professional Certification Program (PCP) Benefits

**HOMEOWNERS**

Helps consumers identify spray foam contractors with certified professionals who have demonstrated knowledge of installation and safety standards.

**SPRAY FOAM INSTALLERS**

Enables individuals who completed the PCP to demonstrate knowledge, skills and professional accomplishment.

**ARCHITECTS & BUILDERS**

Instills confidence in architects, builders and their clients that the installer or company completed the PCP showing a commitment to safety, quality and professionalism.

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**Two Commitments to Safety and Professionalism**

The SPFA PCP’s multi-level certification is a rigorous and extensive program for professionals who install spray polyurethane foam (SPF) insulation and roofing. It is the only SPF industry certification program developed and operated in compliance with the internationally recognized ISO-17024 standard. Some of the requirements are that candidates must:

- pass the PCP exams related to the levels of certification being pursued. Master installers must also pass a Field Examination.
- document spraying experience for Installer/Master Installer and project management experience for the Project Manager.
- maintain certified status annually and recertify every seven years. CEUs required for recertification.

SPF Contractor Companies can also become PCP Accredited by meeting all designated requirements. In addition to demonstrating that a company is operating in compliance with local requirements, SPFA PCP Accredited Companies must:

- have all Field Personnel complete a chemical health and safety course provided online by the ACC Center for the Polyurethanes Industry (CPI).
- document company experience on SPF projects and submit their safety and training program for review.
- have an employee with an OSHA 30 hour card from a construction course and meet the personnel requirements for the number of SPFA PCP Certified Individuals.

Further details and requirements are available at [www.sprayfoam.org/certification](http://www.sprayfoam.org/certification)

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The Spray Foam Coalition, part of the American Chemistry Council’s Center for the Polyurethane Industry, supports the SPFA’s voluntary certification program that expands and other initiatives that expand industry’s efforts to create the highest standards of quality and safety. Voluntary certification questions? Visit www.sprayfoam.org, call 1-866-222-5000 or email admin@spfapcp.org. To learn about SPF’s benefits, visit www.whysprayfoam.org.