

## **GREEN BUILDING RETROFIT** CHECKLIST CERTIFICATION

Solution 2 Rehabilitation



## What is the Green Building **Retrofit Checklist?**

For homes being rehabilitated, the HUD Green Building Retrofit Checklist (GBR Checklist) is a Federal construction standard requiring that work performed when receiving Federal funds must meet certain energy efficiency and indoor air quality standards. The GBR Checklist standard does not apply to reconstruction projects. This standard impacts homewoners in the following circumstances.

## Your Estimated Cost of Repairs (ECR) includes costs and specifications that allow you to comply with the GBR Checklist.

- The itemized scope of work in your ECR report includes costs for the labor and materials necessary to meet the required specifications of the GBR Checklist.
- Use the GBR Checklist to ensure your construction is built to energy efficient and healthy standards, including the use of mold resistant products when replacing surfaces such as drywall. Products and appliances replaced as part of the rehabilitation work, must be ENERGY STAR labeled, WaterSense-labeled, or Federal Energy Management Program (FEMP)-designated products or appliances.
- During Program inspections, a Program inspector will inspect for compliance with the GBR Checklist to the extent applicable for the ECR items.
- Any items in your house that are not being repaired or replaced during construction do NOT need to meet GBR Checklist requirements.

Prior to starting any further construction with your contractor:

## **Solution 2: Homeowner-Managed**

- The homeowner informs the contractor that they must comply with GBS.
- The homeowner's contractor completes the work in conformance with GBS.
- The Program inspector completes the GBR Checklist.

By Signing below, I certify that I have read and acknowledged my obligation to comply with the above mentioned Green Building Checklist Standards as applicable:

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