



Installation of Carbon Monoxide Detectors in New Residential Buildings

Pursuant to the requirements of Public Act 05-161, An Act Requiring the Installation of Carbon Monoxide Detectors in New Residential Buildings, carbon monoxide detectors are required to be installed in all one-and two-family dwellings for which a building permit for new occupancy is issued on or after October 1, 2005. The 2005 State Building Code, which will be effective on or about 12/31/05 goes a step further and in addition, will also require them in Group R-4 small residential care/assisted living facilities and in Group R-1 Bed and Breakfast Establishments, as well as requiring them in applicable buildings undergoing alterations and additions.