



STANDARDS ACTIONS

PUBLIC REVIEW—CALL FOR COMMENTS

Constructive comments are invited for the following Public Review Drafts, which can be accessed at <https://osr.ashrae.org>. To obtain a paper copy contact ASHRAE, Inc. Attn: Standards Public Review, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092, or via email at: standards.section@ashrae.org. Paper copies are \$35.00/copy if 100 pages or less and \$45.00 if over 100 pages.

30-day Public Review from November 26, 2021 – December 26, 2021

♦ **1st Public Review BSR/ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum e to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***

In the right climate, location and application, natural ventilation can provide and enhance the healing environment. Natural ventilation has been successfully implemented in healthcare facilities throughout the world. This proposed addendum allows Natural Ventilation for certain limited healthcare spaces and under certain conditions. ASHRAE Standard 62.1's natural ventilation procedure which was completely revamped in 2019 was used as a starting point for this proposed addendum.

ERRATA

New errata sheets for the following standard are now available on the ASHRAE website at <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-errata>.

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated November 15, 2021. This replaces the version dated August 12, 2021
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum m to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated November 15, 2021

INTERIM MEETINGS

A complete listing of project committee interim meetings is provided on ASHRAE's website at: <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/project-committee-interim-meetings>.

- ♦ **GPC 20-2010R, *Documenting HVAC&R Work Processes and Data Exchange Requirements***, will hold conference calls from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
 - ⇒ December 7, 2021
 - ⇒ January 4, 2022
 For additional information contact David Branson, Chair of GPC 20 (djbranson@csg.net).

- ♦ **GPC 21-2018R, *Guide for the Ventilation and Thermal Management of Batteries for Stationary Applications***, will hold a conference call on December 15, 2021 from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Deep Ghosh, Chair of GPC 21 (dghosh@southernco.com).

- ♦ **GPC 37, *Guidelines for the Application of Upper-Air (Upper Room) Ultraviolet Germicidal (UV-C) Devices to Control the Transmission of Airborne Pathogens***, will hold conference calls from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
 - ⇒ December 3, 2021
 - ⇒ December 17, 2021
 - ⇒ December 31, 2021
 - ⇒ January 14, 2022
 - ⇒ January 28, 2022
 - ⇒ February 11, 2022
 - ⇒ February 25, 2022
 - ⇒ March 11, 2022
 - ⇒ March 25, 2022
 - ⇒ April 8, 2022
 - ⇒ April 22, 2022
 - ⇒ May 6, 2022
 - ⇒ May 20, 2022

For additional information contact Richard Vincent, Chair of GPC 37 (vincentr1777@gmail.com).



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- ♦ **GPC 44P, *Protecting Building Occupants from Smoke During Wildfire and Prescribed Burn Events***, will hold a virtual meeting on December 15, 2021 from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Steven Emmerich, Chair of GPC 44 (steven.emmerich@nist.gov).
- ♦ **SSPC 62.1, *Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality***. SSPC 62.1 IAQ Guideline (GDL 42P) Subcommittee will hold a webinar on December 8, 2021 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern) For additional information please contact Mark Weber at mweber@ashrae.org.
- ♦ **SPC 133-2015R, *Method of Testing Direct Evaporative Air Coolers***, will hold a conference call on December 9, 2021 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am (Eastern). For additional information contact Patricia Graef, Chair of SPC 133 and SPC 143 (pat.graef@att.net).
- ♦ **SPC 143-2015R, *Method of Test for Rating Indirect Evaporative Coolers***, will hold a conference call on December 9, 2021 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am (Eastern). For additional information contact Patricia Graef, Chair of SPC 133 and SPC 143 (pat.graef@att.net).
- ♦ **SPC 209-2018R, *Energy Simulation Aided Design for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***, will hold conference calls on the following dates and times.
 - ⇒ November 30, 2021 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern)
 - ⇒ January 6, 2022 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm (Eastern)
 - ⇒ March 8, 2022 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern)
 For additional information contact Jason Glazer, Chair of SPC 209 (jglazer@gard.com).

STANDARDS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Each year the Society recognizes the outstanding efforts of a single volunteer in the area of standards development. The Standards Achievement Award recognizes excellence in volunteer service and serves to heighten general membership awareness of, and interest in, standards activities.

The award is open to ASHRAE members who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in the ASHRAE standards development process based on criteria presented in Appendix B of the Standards Committee Reference Manual, which can be found on the ASHRAE website at: <https://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures>.

Nominations are solicited during the first half of the Society year and then the Standards Committee will select the recipient at the 2022 ASHRAE Winter Meeting.

The Standards Achievement Award will be presented during the Honors and Awards portion of the Plenary Session at the ASHRAE Annual Meeting in Toronto. A certificate will be presented to the recipient by the ASHRAE President..

Nominations are due to the Sr. Manager of Standards, Connor Barbaree (cbarbaree@ashrae.org), by December 31, 2021. The nomination form can be found on the ASHRAE website at: <https://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures>.



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- ⇒ [SSPC 41 — Standard Methods for Measurement](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 62.1 — Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 62.2 — Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 90.1 — Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 90.2 — Energy Efficient Design of Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SPC 90.4 — Energy Standard for Data Centers and Telecommunications Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 161 — Air Quality within Commercial Aircraft](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 188 — Legionellosis: Risk Management for Building Water Systems](#)
- ⇒ [SSPC 189.1 — Standard for the Design of High-Performance Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings](#)
- ⇒ [Code Interaction Subcommittee \(CIS\) Listserve](#)