



# Utah Weatherization Program Notice

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Effective Date 23 January 2012

UWPN 12-2

**Subject:** Drill & Fill Wall Insulation

**Basis:** Program Amendment

**Purpose:** In response to inquiries from the local agencies it has been determined that there are no provisions in the DOE requirements that would prevent the finishing & painting of the drill & fill holes on the inside of the client's home. With the color matching technology available it should be reasonable to provide an acceptable match and only purchase a small quantity of paint.

It is the intent to provide better service to our clients without placing undue burden on the agencies. The agencies should only be spot painting the area affected by the work and not the entire wall surface. This additional measure is optional and the final decision shall be made by the local agencies. The agency may choose to only prime the surface if they desire.

**Scope:** This notice will affect all future clients from the effective date, to include work that is currently in production. If the agency chooses to offer this service it shall be applied impartially across the entire service area covered.

**Responsibilities:**

Local Agencies – Establish written agency policy on the level of finish they will provide when doing interior drill & fill insulation. Policy needs to be included as part of the Operations Plan.

State WAP Staff – Amend the State Guidelines

- Provide additional information in Section B8 that clarifies the allowance of local agency's authority to choose level of finish.

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