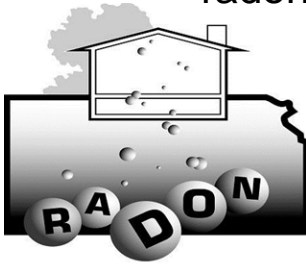


Choosing A Radon Mitigation Technician?

One of the most common questions the Kansas Radon Program is asked by residents is: How can I be sure I am hiring a reliable radon contractor who will do a good job for me?



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With any contractor, remember to:

- Check references
- Get competing bids
- Ask to see examples of previous work
- Review the contract thoroughly



1. Is the technician's Kansas Radon Mitigation Technician certification current and in good standing?

A full list of Kansas-certified radon measurement and mitigation technicians is available at www.kdheks.gov/radiation/download/Certified_Contractor_List.pdf. If you have questions concerning a particular technician, you can contact Kansas Radon Program certification personnel by phone at 785-296-1560 or by email at radon@kdheks.gov.

2. Is the radon mitigation technician willing to perform an on-site evaluation of the home before giving you a bid?

A radon mitigation technician should perform an on-site assessment of the home as part of the development of the bid for radon mitigation system installation.

3. Is there a system warranty?

Review post-system installation services expected. Questions include, but are not limited to:

- Is system performance guaranteed to achieve results less than 4.0 picocuries of radon per liter of air (pCi/L)?
- Who is performing the post-mitigation radon test and how will I get my results?
- What warranty on the system and parts does the mitigation technician include?
- What happens if the post-mitigation test indicates the radon mitigation system failed to reduce radon levels below the EPA's Action Level of 4.0 pCi/L?

All radon mitigation technicians should guarantee that their system will reduce the radon levels to below 4.0 pCi/L for no additional costs.

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