

# **Indoor Air Quality Assessment Checklist**

18 Aug 2023 / Cillian Johnson				Complete	
Score	7 / 9 (77.78%)	Flagged items	3	Actions	2
Site/Facility/Building Name			Hor	izon Heights Office Complex	
Location				(40.678	Brooklyn, NY, USA 1784, -73.9441579)
Conducted o	n			18	.08.2023 12:30 PST
Assessor/Ins	pector Name				Cillian Johnson

#### Flagged items & Actions

3 flagged, 2 actions

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Indoor Air Quality Assessment / Visual Inspection and Maintenance

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At Risk

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Photo 1

**To do** | Assignee SafetyCulture Staff | Priority Low | Due 25.08.2023 13:35 PST | Created by S afetyCulture Staff

Repair ceiling on 2nd floor.

Indoor Air Quality Assessment / Potential Pollutant Sources

Evaluate presence of mold or moisture issues in bathrooms, kitchens, and other areas.

At Risk



Photo 2

**To do** | Assignee SafetyCulture Staff | Priority Low | Due 25.08.2023 13:36 PST | Created by S afetyCulture Staff

Address mold growth in the 3rd bathroom cubicle on the 2nd floor.

Indoor Air Quality Assessment / Potential Pollutant Sources

Check for the use of strong fragrances, candles, or incense.

At Risk

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Other actions 0 actions

## **Visual Inspection and Maintenance**

1 flagged, 1 action

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Check for cracks or gaps in windows, doors, and walls.	Safe
Evaluate overall cleanliness and tidiness of living spaces.	Safe

### **Potential Pollutant Sources**

2 flagged, 1 action

Identify and list potential sources of indoor air pollutants (e.g., cleaning products, smoking, cooking emissions).

Identified potential sources of indoor air pollutants are the use of cleaning products with strong fragrances and occasional instances of employees using personal air fresheners.

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# **Temperature and Humidity**

Measure and record temperature in different rooms.	Safe
Within recommended comfort ranges	
Measure and record humidity levels using a hygrometer.	Safe
Within recommended comfort ranges	
Compare readings to recommended comfort ranges.	Safe
Air Filtration and Cleaning	
Check HVAC filters for cleanliness and replacement needs.	Safe
No replacement needed	
Assess use of air purifiers or indoor plants for air purification.	Safe
Inspect and clean HVAC system components, including coils and ducts.	Safe
Review cleaning practices, including dusting, vacuuming, and mopping.	Safe
Ventilation and Air Exchange	
Check HVAC system for proper operation and filter cleanliness.	Safe
Inspect air vents and registers for cleanliness and obstruction.	Safe
Assess windows and doors for proper sealing and ventilation options.	Safe
Ensure exhaust fans in bathrooms and kitchen are functioning well.	Safe
Evaluate overall air circulation and comfort level.	Safe
Occupant Activities	1 / 1 (100%)

# Identify any activities that might impact indoor air quality (e.g., cooking, smoking).

- Employees were observed following proper office practices, such as refraining from smoking indoors and adhering to cleanliness standards.
- Occupants were observed practicing responsible waste disposal, minimizing potential indoor air quality impacts.
- However, there were occasional instances of employees using personal air fresheners.

#### Discuss occupant habits and practices related to IAQ.



## **Carbon Dioxide Levels (Optional)**

materials.

Measure carbon dioxide levels using a CO2 monitor. The CO2 readings are around 700 parts per million (ppm). Compare readings to recommended levels for indoor air quality. **Recommendations and Action Steps** 6 / 8 (75%)  $\checkmark$ Improve ventilation by keeping windows open or using fans. Replace HVAC filters as needed and consider regular maintenance. No replacement needed Address potential sources of pollutants (e.g., smoking areas,  $\overline{\mathsf{V}}$ chemical products).  $\overline{\mathsf{V}}$ Maintain indoor plants and use natural air purifiers if desired. Repair leaks, address moisture issues, and prevent mold growth. For resolution - corrective actions are already assigned in this report Educate occupants on proper cleaning practices and IAQ  $\overline{\mathsf{V}}$ habits. Use environmentally friendly cleaning products. Properly store and dispose of chemicals and hazardous  $\overline{\mathsf{V}}$ 

## Completion

#### **Notes and Observations**

Two corrective actions are needed to be resolved until next Friday, August 25. Both issues were found on the 2nd floor, one in the ceiling and one in the bathroom. Both are pollutants, so immediate resolution is recommended.

#### **Follow-Up Assessment**

25.08.2023 14:00 PST

## **Assessor/Inspector Name and Signature**



Cillian Johnson 18.08.2023 13:46 PST

# Media summary





Photo 1 Photo 2