

## Ways to Save Energy While Staying Cool

If you've noticed that some of your rooms are too hot or cold, we can help you make your home more comfortable. As much as half of the energy used in your home goes toward cooling and heating. When it's time to replace your system, choosing high-efficiency HVAC equipment can make a big impact on your energy costs for years to come.

## Tips for This Summer



**Use fans so your air conditioner doesn't have to work as hard.** Be sure to turn all fans off when you leave the room to avoid wasting energy and money.



Change your HVAC air filter at least every three months. A dirty filter slows down air flow and makes your system less efficient.



**Caulk and weatherstrip around windows and exterior doors to reduce air leakage.** You could save up to \$200 a year in heating and cooling costs by sealing air leaks and adding insulation.

Learn more at delmarva.com/HVAC or call 1-866-353-5799.



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