

## Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC)

**Training Provider:** Catholic Charities  
**Program Address:** NCIA  
Herbert Hoelter Vocational Training Center  
301 S. Central Ave.  
Baltimore, MD 21202

**Potential Job Title:**  
HVAC Journeyman

**Average starting wage:**  
\$25.00/hour

### ***Program Description:***

Trained and experienced HVAC (heating, ventilation, and air-conditioning) technicians are among the many trade positions in demand today. The VTC HVAC training program prepares participants to acquire an entry-level position in the HVAC field. Upon successful completion of this 15-week course, participants receive the Section EPA 608 CFC Universal Certification, Employment Ready Certifications in areas of Gas Heat, Basic Refrigeration & Electrical Charging Procedures and Electrical, required for entry-level HVAC jobs. Participants can continue their education to obtain additional certificates and/ or pursue an Associate Degree in Applied Science—Heating, Ventilation & Air Conditioning (HVAC) and Energy Technology.

### ***Credential or Certification Earned:***

- See above

### ***What do HVAC technicians do?***

An HVAC technician may install, maintain, and repair heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration systems. Some technicians concentrate on only one type of system, either heating, air conditioning, or refrigeration, while others offer a broader range of services. Technicians may...

- Oversee installations
- Troubleshoot and repair HVAC equipment
- Apply local HVAC codes in a practical manner on the job
- Provide technical support at sites
- Layout, design, and install low-voltage wiring

### ***To be admitted to this program, you must:***

- Take a math and reading test and attend orientation, which is held on the first and second day of the cohort. During orientation, students are introduced to their instructors and center staff and provided learning materials. Orientation is typically two hours long and offered at 9:00 am or 11:00 am.

### ***Important Dates:***

Please contact G2C staff for the most up-to-date cohort dates, and to determine whether the start dates fit in with your scheduling needs.

### ***Main Program Contacts:***

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