



TIPS FOR MAINTAINING SMOOTH SYSTEM OPERATIONS

Replace your Filter

The first step in air conditioner maintenance is changing your air filter. This keeps your home's air clean and prevents your AC unit from getting clogged with dirt and debris. For optimal efficiency, replace your filter every three months, preferably at the start of the hot season. If you have a reusable filter, clean it well before the season begins to improve AC performance and air quality.

Schedule a Unit Inspection

Before putting your AC through heavy usage, have it professionally inspected. Local HVAC experts like LA Heating and Air can ensure your AC is in top condition and provide maintenance if needed. Establishing a relationship with a reputable company guarantees quality service and value.

Verify your Thermostat

Many overlook the thermostat in air conditioner maintenance. An inefficient or outdated thermostat can cause your AC to overwork. Test your unit by setting it to cool and confirming cold air is coming out. If you encounter issues, seek professional help. Consider upgrading your thermostat at the beginning of the season for optimal performance.

Clean your Outdoor Unit

This step is crucial. Start the summer by cleaning your outdoor unit. A dirty system is inefficient, leading to increased energy consumption and costs. Keep the condenser coils clean to prevent overworking your AC. Either hire a professional or use a manufacturer-recommended cleaner and a hose for a DIY cleaning.

Program your Thermostat

Utilize a programmable thermostat for energy efficiency. Set it to adjust according to your daily schedule to maintain a comfortable environment without constant adjustments.

Utilize Fans

Fans complement HVAC systems by providing targeted cooling. Position a fan towards you, particularly at your face or feet while sleeping, to reduce the workload on your AC during warm nights.

Recognize When to Upgrade

Despite proper maintenance, AC units have a lifespan of around 15 years. If your unit is older, consider consulting professionals for a more efficient replacement.

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