

[Professional Air Conditioning in Phoenix](#)

The Importance Of Professional Air Conditioning Maintenance And Installation

When living in a hot and dry environment like Phoenix, AZ, the importance of having an air conditioner that works seamlessly - one that you can depend on - simply can't be overstated. Heat waves, without the benefit of proper air conditioning, aren't just uncomfortable. They can actually be deadly.

This is why it is so essential to make sure that you keep up to date with regular maintenance of an air conditioning unit. Many of the problems that air conditioners start to exhibit as they age could be prevented if they were properly maintained by professionals or had [air conditioning repair](#). Preventative maintenance will actually save money in the long run. Especially in hot locations such as Phoenix, where the units are in near-constant use, maintenance is critical because the heavy use can cause minor problems to grow quickly.

In order to keep [air conditioning phoenix](#) systems in perfect working condition, a homeowner should change air filters weekly and make sure that coils are always clean and free of dust. But best practices go beyond what the typical homeowner can do on their own. They should also include air conditioning maintenance service from certified air conditioning professionals once every two months.

Following this regimen will significantly reduce the chance for air conditioner problems: a dirty air filter will make the unit work harder than it needs to. It can create trouble with temperature stability throughout your home.

While regular maintenance can absolutely extend the life of an air conditioner, though, at a certain point, it does become more cost-effective to simply replace an old air conditioner. When necessary repairs and maintenance have become so costly that the outlay is greater to keep the old unit going than to invest in a new one, that is when it is time to consider upgrading.

But [air conditioning maintenance](#) is still essential, even when your air conditioner has been replaced by a brand-new one. A well-maintained air conditioner will hold out longer before requiring replacement, and run more smoothly while in use, than one that hasn't been maintained well. But not only that, a well-maintained unit can also lower your utility bills by up to 25 percent every month. That makes the cost of the maintenance visits a good investment twice over!

The other thing to consider is that newer units are much more efficient than those available in the past. It is virtually guaranteed that the new unit will cool the house much faster than an older one will. This also adds to the energy savings element, because it takes a lot more power to change the temperature of the air than to maintain it. Therefore, if the unit cools the house down to the desired temperature faster, more time is spent in maintenance mode than in cooling mode.

Remember, too, that a new air conditioner will be much more energy-efficient than one that was sold even five or ten years ago. Modern air conditioners are considerably more effective at cooling a home using less energy than older models, simply due to technological advances.

So whether a homeowner decides to push through with their older model or invest in a new one, one thing is clear: regular maintenance by qualified professionals is the key to both the longevity of the unit for the future, as well as energy savings for the present.

Should you need to schedule service or are interested in new air conditioning installation call the [A.P.E.S.](#) office today. (623)521-1172

