



**LEED
Qualifying**

WHAT DOES LEED QUALIFYING MEAN?

The U.S. Green Building Council developed the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) program to encourage greener construction and maintenance of homes and other buildings. How does this apply to vacuums? By using a LEED-qualifying vacuum cleaner, building owners can earn credits toward their LEED building rating.

LEED-qualifying vacuums must have a CRI seal of approval. They must also have rubber bumpers and an ergonomic design that minimizes vibration and noise during use. But it's not just sound that's important; cleaning is key to creating and maintaining healthy environments. Therefore, another critical aspect is filtration to ensure the vacuum has a positive effect on indoor air quality.

To learn more about LEED-qualifying products, visit usbc.org/leed.