

CODES CURRENTLY ADOPTED BY KENTUCKY

2018 Kentucky Building Code (Based on the 2015 International Building Code With Kentucky Amendments)

2018 Kentucky Residential Code (Based on the 2015 International Residential Code)

2015 International Mechanical Code

2012 International Fire Code (New construction projects, only when specifically referenced by the body of KBC)

2012 International Energy Conservation Code (for use with the Kentucky Building Code only)

2009 International Energy Conservation Code (for use with the Kentucky Residential Code only)

2009 ICC/ANSI A117.1 Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities

Kentucky State Plumbing Law, Regulations & Code (815 KAR Chapter 20)

State Boiler Regulation (KRS 236, 815 KAR 15)

2012 NFPA 1 - Fire Prevention Code (as directed by 815 KAR 10:60 Kentucky Standards of Safety)

2010 NFPA 13 - Installation of Sprinkler Systems

2010 NFPA 13D - Installation of Sprinkler Systems in One-and Two-Family Dwellings and Manufactured Homes

2010 NFPA 13R – Installation of Sprinkler Systems in Residential Occupancies Up to and Including Four Stories in Height

2010 NFPA 14 – Installation of Standpipe and Hose Systems

2009 NFPA 54 - National Fuel Gas Code

2017 NFPA 70 - National Electrical Code (effective October 1, 2014)

2010 NFPA 72 - National Fire Alarm and Signaling Code

2012 NFPA 101 - Life Safety Code (Health Care Facilities)

GB-03-01- Structural Engineers Association of Kentucky - Special Inspection Guidelines, Third Edition, March 2007 <http://seaok.org>

The above is for reference only and is only representative of the many codes and standards currently used in Kentucky. For specific applications not listed above, contact the Department of Housing, Buildings and Construction, Division of Building Codes Enforcement at (502) 573-0373 or refer to Chapter 35 of the KBC.