

Stay Environmentally Friendly at Hyatt Regency Washington



Hyatt Regency Washington earned the Green Seal certification by practicing:

Energy Efficiency, Conservation and Management

- The use of compact fluorescent light bulbs in all guest rooms
- The use of high efficiency fluorescent lighting in all public areas and offices throughout the hotel
- Use of photocells and timers in offices, storerooms, outside lighting and in some meeting rooms
- All guestroom thermostats are pre-set to 72 degrees in the summer and 68 degrees in the winter
- When meeting rooms are not in use, lighting and HVAC are turned off to conserve energy
- During low occupancy periods, escalators are turned off to the ballroom level guest floors are closed to minimize energy usage
- Kitchen equipment is pre-heated for use as needed
- Upgraded all burners on the boilers for more efficient hot water heating
- Utilize the current boilers to heat domestic hot water vs. using a separate hot water heater
- All utility meters are electronically monitored and reviewed daily for discrepancies and year over year analysis
- Newly installed energy efficient lobby skylights

Hyatt Regency Washington is proud to be One of only Two Certified Green Seal Approved Hotels in Washington, D.C.

Waste Minimization, Reuse And Recycle Programs

- The hotel currently recycles corrugated cardboard, newspapers, office paper, glass and plastic
- Pallets are collected and returned to the vendors
- Kitchen oils are collected and picked-up by Valley Proteins for recycling-reuse
- Paperless check-in at the Front Desk

Management of Fresh Water Resources and Waste Water

- The hotel offers a linen reuse option for our guests
- Towels should be hung-up if they want to re-use
- Sheets are changed every third day for extended stays
- Guestrooms are equipped with water saving showerheads, toilets and faucet aerators
- Public restrooms are equipped with low flow toilets and faucet aerators

Control of Hazardous Substances

- All chemicals are provided by EcoLab and are environmentally friendly
- All batteries, computers, light ballasts and fluorescent lamps are sent to Earth Protection Services for recycling
- Safety Kleen is used for removal of all liquid hazardous substances (ie: paints and paint thinner, Naptha, chiller oil)

Environmentally and Socially Sensitive Purchasing

- The hotel has a Trane chiller that minimizes tonnage per kilowatt of cooling than standard chillers
- Utilize suppliers who are GS-37 and GS-40 certified companies for cleaning
- When possible, new equipment purchases carry the Energy Star label
- Utilize 30% recycled content copy paper for hotel and offices

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