



CARE ABOUT COMFORT & REDUCING EMISSIONS?

NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

THIS OPPORTUNITY MAY BE FOR YOU!

ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in a Massachusetts single-family, detached home
- Have a forced-air heating and cooling system

BENEFITS



Up to \$450 for completing all parts of the study



Monthly chances to win a \$50 gift card



Smartwatch for up to two adult occupants in the home



Ecobee smart thermostat yours to keep



Home energy assessment



Contribute to a flexible, resilient, sustainable future electric grid

PARTICIPATE IN RESEARCH FOR CLIMATE SOLUTIONS

We are seeking participants for a study about how people interact with their thermostats to control the temperature in their homes. This is important because electrifying heating and cooling systems and powering these systems with renewable energy is an essential strategy for mitigating climate change. Innovations are needed for greater flexibility to control household energy use as we transition to renewable energy sources. We are trying to understand how “flexible” homes can be to balance the demands of the grid while continuing to provide comfortable spaces for occupants.

WHAT WILL YOU DO?

- Interact with your thermostat using a mobile application on your smart phone and adjust your home's temperature as you normally would
- Complete brief surveys on your phone or smartwatch
- Participate in occasional questionnaires

HOW WE'LL USE YOUR DATA:

- Develop **flexible** energy management strategies that place the consumer experience first
- Inform policies to expand use of **renewable energy**
- Shape the future of **resilient** electric infrastructure

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