

Continuous Load Path: Evaluator Checklist

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE FORTIFIED HOME™ EVALUATOR

(Note: this form and the photo documentation required by this form to be uploaded to FOCUS as part of the documentation for Continuous Load Path)

PROPERTY INFORMATION

Homeowner's name:

Property address:

State:

ZIP Code:

City:

County:

FORTIFIED ID:

1. Roof to Wall Anchorage

- Check here if a metal connector is installed at every roof to wall framing member.

Describe the typical roof to wall connection

IMPORTANT NOTE: The FORTIFIED Home™ Evaluator must inspect, verify and photo document the installed roof to wall connection. Evaluator to upload a photo(s) of the roof to wall connection indicating connections at each roof to wall intersection.

2. Shear Wall Construction

- Check here if exterior walls are fully sheathed with minimum 7/16" wood structural panels

IMPORTANT NOTE: The FORTIFIED Evaluator must inspect, verify, and photo document that the exterior walls are fully sheathed with 7/16" wood structural panels. Evaluator to upload a photo(s) showing that the exterior walls are fully sheathed.

3. Connection of Wall Above to Wall Below

- Not Applicable. Check here if the home is single story.

For two story homes:

- Check here if metal straps are used to connect wall above to the wall below and the metal straps are spaced no more than 4 feet apart
- Check here if minimum 4 ft. continuous wall sheathing is used to connect the wall above to the wall below

IMPORTANT NOTE: The FORTIFIED Home™ Evaluator must inspect, verify and photo document the installed wall above to wall below connection. Evaluator to upload a photo(s) of the wall above to wall below connection.

4. FLOOR SYSTEM AND EXTERIOR WALL ANCHORAGE

- Slab on grade
- 5/8" anchor bolts with 3"x3"x 1/4" thick plate washers spaced at 24" on center
- Other . Describe:

- Raised floor/stem wall foundation

One story

- 5/8" anchor bolts with 3"x3"x1/4" thick plate washer at 36" on center in the short direction (across the width) ; 72" on center in the long direction (along the length)

- Other. Describe

Two story

- 5/8" anchor bolts with 3"x3"x1/4" thick plate washer at 24" on center in the short direction (across the width); 56" on center in the long direction (along the length)

- Other. Describe

IMPORTANT NOTE: The FORTIFIED Home™ Evaluator must inspect, verify and photo document the installed exterior wall anchorage. Evaluator to upload a photo(s) of the exterior wall anchorage.

5. SHEAR WALL HOLD-DOWNS

- Check here if hold-downs are installed at all exterior corners

Describe hold down (make/model/and capacity)

IMPORTANT NOTE: The FORTIFIED Evaluator must inspect, verify, and photo document the installed hold down connectors. Evaluator to upload a photo(s) of a typical hold-down connection.

FORTIFIED Evaluator Signature:

Date:

Printed Name:

Company:

Phone number:

Note: Completion of this form in its entirety does not, by itself, satisfy FORTIFIED requirements for attached structure anchorage. Additional information presented by the FORTIFIED Evaluator will also be considered in determining if FORTIFIED attached structure anchorage requirements have been satisfied.