

Summary Only

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Property Address: 1303 Pine Mills Drive Richmond Texas 77469



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General Summary



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I. Structural Systems

A. Foundations

Inspected, Deficient

(1)



The foundation has minor corner pop(s) that are considered cosmetic. Further deterioration may occur if not corrected. I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed. (2)



There are trees roots too close to the foundation. I recommend removal or the use of root diverters. (3)



left

The foundation wall appears to be showing signs of flaking and deterioration. I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed.

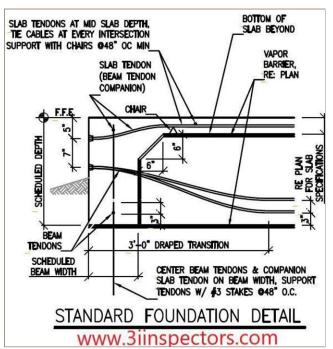
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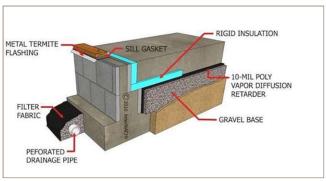


This is not an engineering report, but is only an opinion based on observation of conditions known to be related to foundation performance, using the knowledge and experience of the inspector.

Relative floor elevation were measured at time of inspection using a water level.

(5)







The foundation is showing signs of movement. I recommend consulting with a foundation professional. The home slopes **1.5-inches from rear to front (lower at front of home)**. Majority of this movement could be contributed to poor drainage at front of home. Standing water after rainstorms or negative drainage has adverse effects on foundation movement.

B. Grading and Drainage

Inspected, Deficient

(1)





left front corner

The gutters are missing elbows or splashblocks. Erosion is occurring. Have a qualified person repair as needed. (2)





left

front





front



There is a negative slope towards foundation at exterior areas. This area does not appear to drain water away from home and needs landscaping and drainage corrected. It's best to have six inches drop in first 10ft away from home. See sample drainage sketch diagram below.

(3)





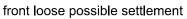
right front



The landscape at the exterior may require a trench or drain if water stands or puddles after heavy rain. I am unable to determine due to no rain during inspection period. Areas with missing grass usually have ponding storm water. Repair as needed.

(4)







front right loose use hard pipe if buried



The gutters are missing downspout extenders to move storm water away from foundation. Erosion is occurring. Have a qualified person repair as needed.

(5)



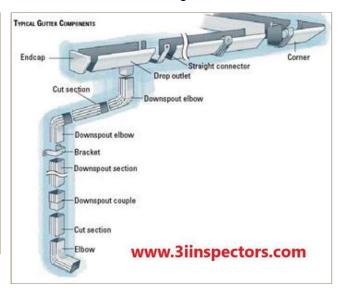


right

rear right



rear left



Install gutters to improve drainage around exterior perimeter. This will cause erosion at foundation perimeter. Have a qualified person install gutters as needed.

(6) The gutters are full of debris in areas and needs to be cleaned. The debris in gutters can also conceal rust, deterioration or leaks that are not visible until cleaned, and I am unable to determine if such conditions exist. (7)



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C. Roof Covering Materials

Inspected, Deficient

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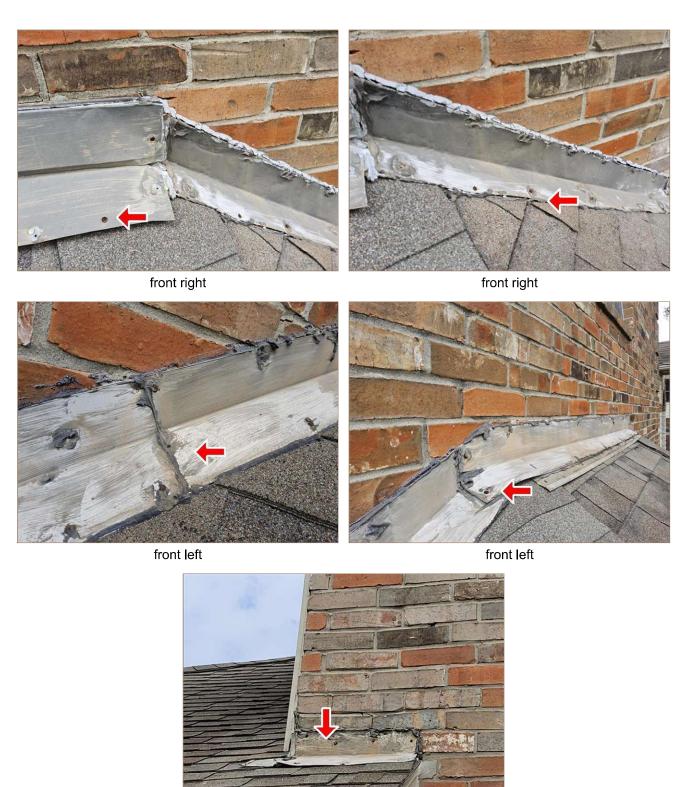
Flashing is loose in areas. I recommend having a qualified person evaluate and make repairs as needed. (2)







There is a satellite dish bracket mounted on roof that is screwed directly through roofing surface. This is not considered to be today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person remove and patch roofing as needed. (The area will need periodic maintenance)
(3)



The roofing surface has exposed nail heads that are showing signs of deterioration. Further deterioration will occur if not corrected. I recommend having a qualified person repair or replace as needed, (4)

left



The roof flashing is missing kickout flashing in areas. This is not considered today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person evaluate and make repairs as needed.
(5)



The roof covering is damaged at home. This area will need periodical maintenance. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(6)





The roof flashing is missing splash guard. This is not considered today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person evaluate and make repairs as needed.

(7)





The roof covering is old, and the life of covering has expired. The covering does need to be replaced. While it could last a year or so, some areas may need patching with tar as leaks develop. The roof has a lot of patches and will need to be replaced soon.

(8)





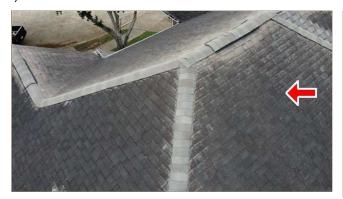
The roof shingles has more than one color in areas. I recommend consulting with a roofing professional.. A qualified contractor should inspect and repair as needed.

(9)



replace all pipe jacks and vents at next re-roof

The plumbing and appliance venting at roof are rusted. This is not considered to be today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed. (10)





Ventilation was not added, when the most recent roof covering was installed. I recommend increasing the ventilation to promote life expectancy of covering.

(11)







The roof flashing is missing tie-off loops for safety. This is not considered today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person evaluate and make repairs as needed.

D. Roof Structures and Attics

Inspected, Deficient

(1)





loose screw

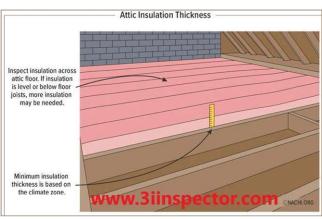


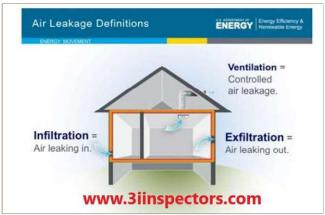
pull at close

The attic stairs is damaged and weak or unstable. This is a small repair. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(2)







The attic space has area's of missing insulation. This is causing energy loss and is not today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person evaluate and add insulation as needed.

(3)

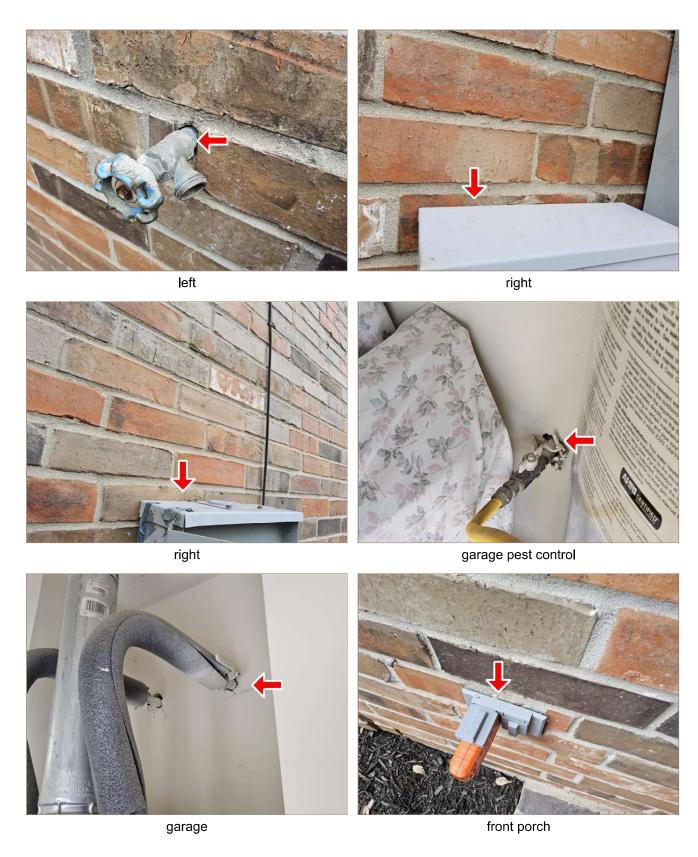


The pull down stairs are not properly insulated. This can cause some heat loss in winter and loss of cool air in summer if not corrected. I recommend repair as desired.

E. Walls (Interior and Exterior)

Inspected, Deficient

(1)







rear patio

rear patio





right rear

right rear





left x5

left





rear



Areas where wiring or piping passes through walls should be sealed. I recommend having a qualified person seal as needed. Use urethane sealant between dissimilar materials or equal.

(2)



right rear

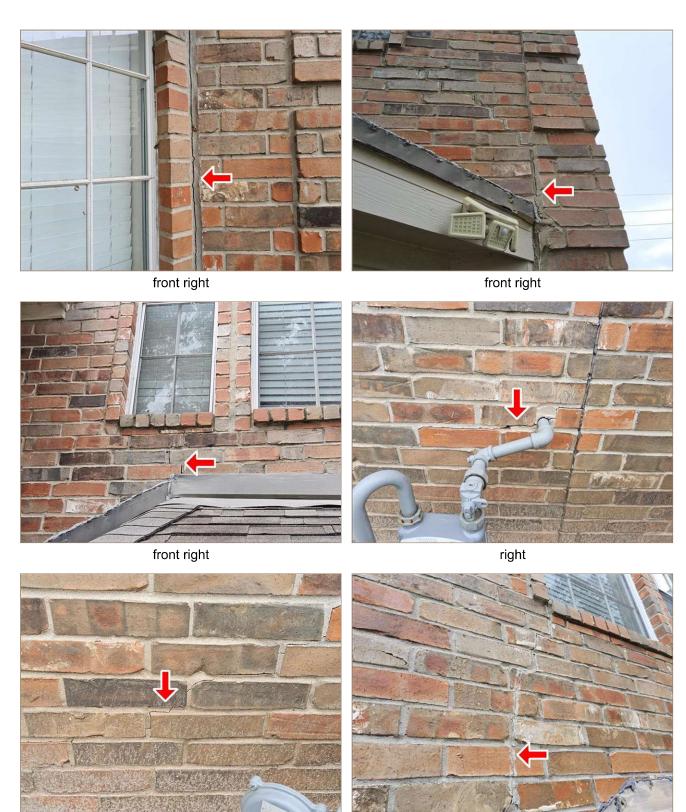
left master bath



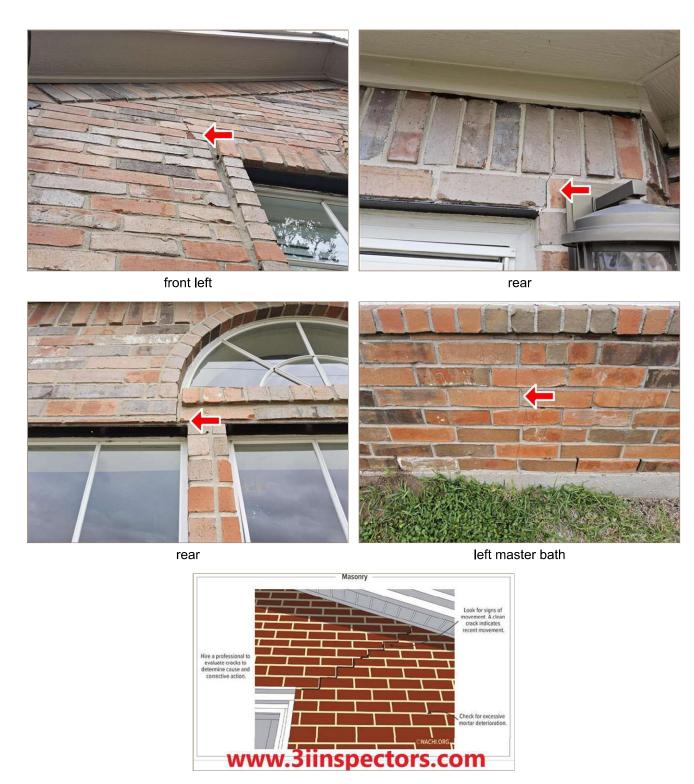
right

The siding exterior has sealant that is weathered or missing and some lifted nails. Deterioration can eventually occur if not corrected. A qualified person should repair as needed. Use urethane sealant or equal between dissimilar materials.

(3)



right front left



The Brick siding at the exterior has step cracks caused from settlement. Deterioration can eventually occur if not corrected. A qualified contractor should inspect and repair as needed.

(4)





front right debris







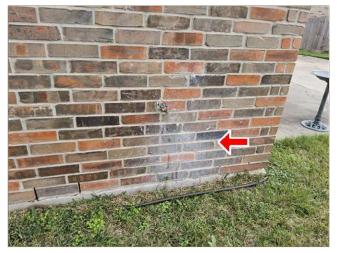
front porch

right





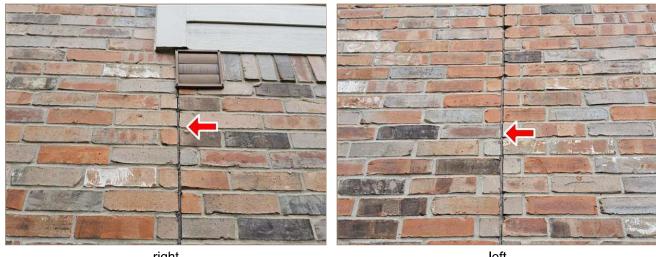
right rear



rear clean paint

Exterior siding is need of cleaning and routine maintenance. I recommend having a qualified person clean and make repairs as needed,

(5)



right left



The brick siding at the exterior of the home has expansion joint sealant that is weathered or missing. Further deterioration can occur if not corrected. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(6)



utility room

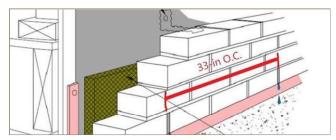
The drywall on the wall is damaged. While this damage is cosmetic, it needs to be repaired. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

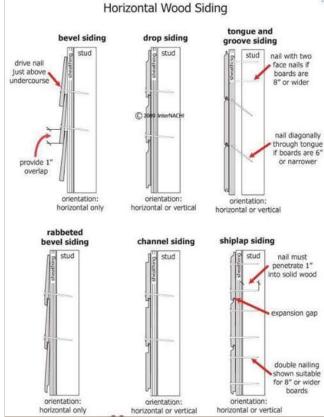
(7)



rear patio missing kickout

right rear





The exterior facade is damaged in areas. Further deterioration can occur if not corrected. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(8)





The exterior wall is missing metal flashing at AC penetrations. This is not considered today's standard. Further deterioration can occur if not corrected. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(9)





right rear



The exterior siding and trim is deteriorated in areas. Further deterioration will occur if not corrected. A qualified contractor should inspect and repair as needed.

F. Ceilings and Floors

Inspected, Deficient

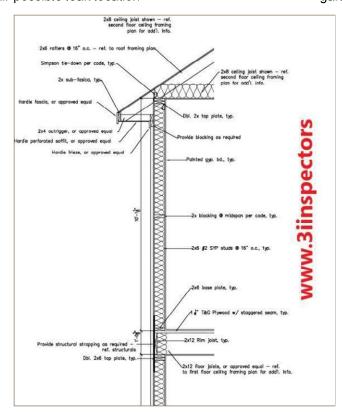
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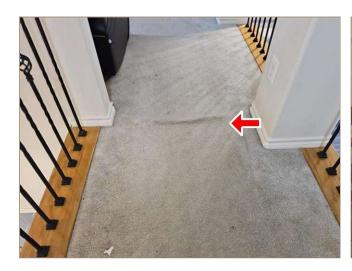
living previously repair possible leak location

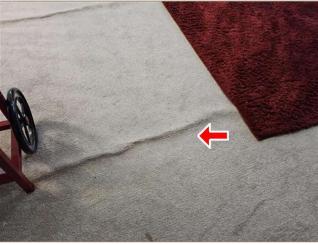
garage



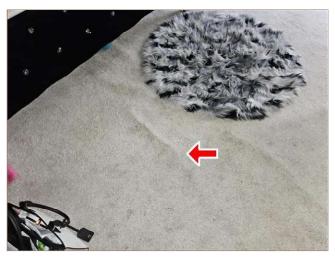
The Drywall on the ceiling is damaged at the home. Repairs are needed. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(2)





game room



front left bedroom

The Carpet is damaged in areas. Repairs are needed.. A qualified contractor should inspect and clean or replace as needed.

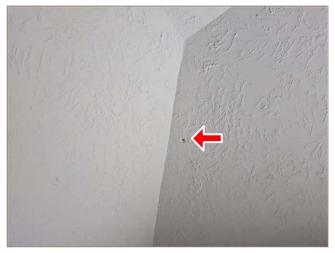
(3)



upstairs

Several floor joist(s) are deteriorated from moisture absorption or water intrusion under the home. Repairs are needed. I recommend a qualified engineer inspect and repair or replace as needed.

(4)



rear right bedroom

The ceiling has a "nail pop" in some areas at upstairs. These are cosmetic where likely the installer missed the ceiling rafter when nailing. I recommend a qualified person correct as desired.

G. Doors (Interior and Exterior)

Inspected, Deficient

(1)



8ft



The door springs are rusted. A repair or replacement is needed. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(2)





8ft



loose rails

The door is missing support struts and loose. A repair or replacement is needed. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(3)



The interior garage door does not have the required self closing hinge. This is not considered to be today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed.

(4)



utility to garage

There are door stops missing in the home. This is not considered to be today's standard I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed.

(5)



utility to garage

The exterior door has keyed dead bolt lock. This prevents proper egress and is a safety hazard until repaired. I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed.

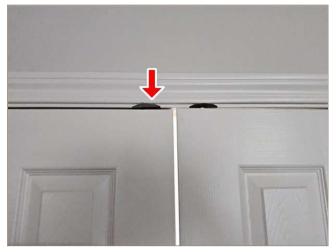
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hallway half bath swings to egress safety hazard

The door needs adjustment . A repair or replacement is needed. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

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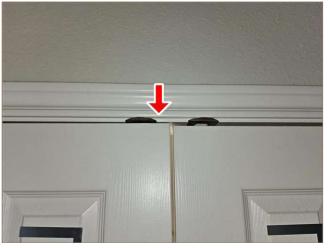




master bath downstairs







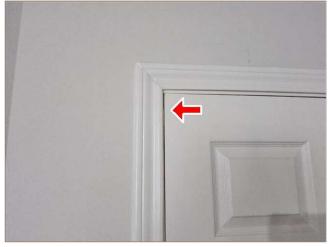
upstairs bath

front left bedroom



upstairs left bath water closet

The interior door does not shut and latch properly. This is a maintenance issue and is for your information. A qualified contractor should inspect and repair as needed.
(8)



master bedroom downstairs

The door does not shut properly and needs adjustment . A repair or replacement is needed. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

(9)





front glass panes broken front entrance

weather-stripping front entrance

The door is damaged. A repair or replacement is needed. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed. (10)





rear right bedroom missing screws

narage

The hinges is loose at main entry door. I recommend repair or replace by a qualified person.

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H. Windows

Inspected, Deficient

(1)





front right

front left



rear x7

Windows have missing or damaged screens in areas. Further deterioration may occur if not repaired. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.





living rear



right kitchen and most windows

Windows have loose or damaged seals. Further deterioration may occur if not repaired. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

J. Fireplaces and Chimneys

Inspected, Deficient

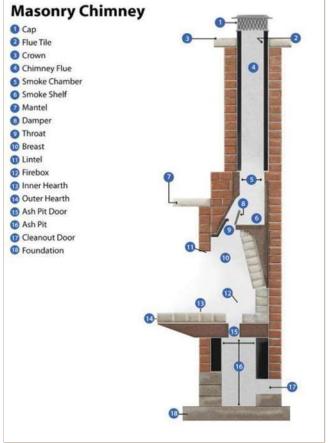
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Chimney gas piping is damaged. I recommend having a qualified contractor inspect and repair as needed. (2)



does not stay close



The fireplace dampener is damaged or loose. This is a safety hazard. Have a qualified person repair as needed.

K. Porches, Balconies, Decks and Carports

Inspected, Deficient



The fence at exterior is damaged. This is a maintenance issue and for your information. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

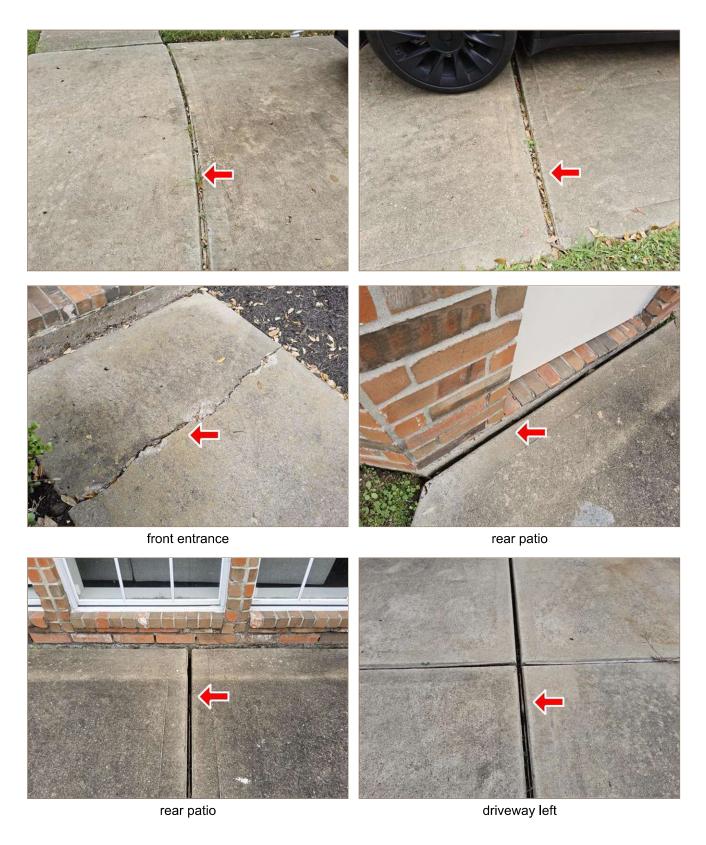
Other L.

Inspected, Deficient

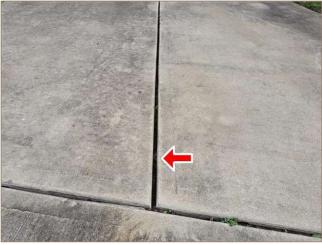
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front tripping hazard







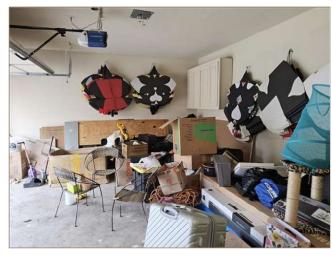
left driveway

left driveway



The concrete walkway / driveway at the exterior areas deteriorated in areas. Further deterioration can occur if not repaired. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed. Remove wood forms, seal with backer rod and self-leveling sealant.

(2)



Areas of the home have limited access due to furniture or occupants belongings. This is for your information. (3)



There is what appears to be an active insect / bee colony. I recommend contacting a qualified pest control company to inspect and treat as needed.

(4)



left rear

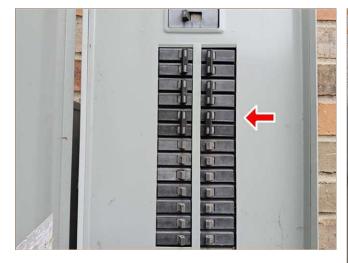
There is wood to ground to structure contact. This create conducive conditions for certain types of wood destroying insects. I recommend having a qualified pest control company inspect and treat if necessary.

II. Electrical Systems

A. Service Entrance and Panels

Inspected, Deficient

(1)



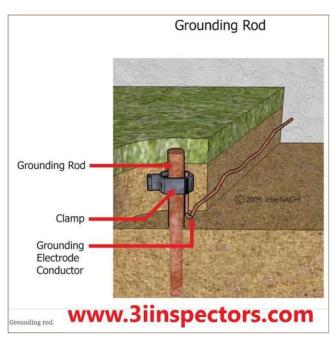


The panel is missing circuit identification. **This is a safety hazard.** I recommend having a qualified person mark circuits as needed.

(2)



damaged rod





The grounding wire wall anchor is loose and needs repair outside. This is not today's standard. (3)

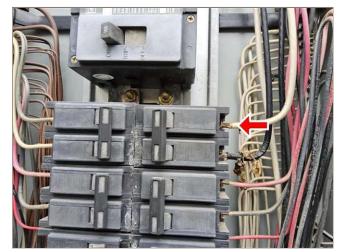


There is no antioxidant on aluminum conductors feeding panel. This is not considered to be today's standard. I recommend having a qualified electrician evaluate make repairs as needed.

B. Branch Circuits, Connected Devices and Fixtures

Inspected, Deficient

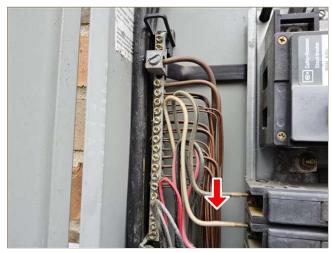
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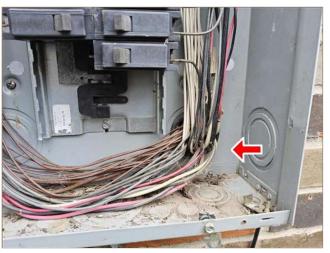
partially terminated conductor



label white conductor with black tape



double tapped ground wire



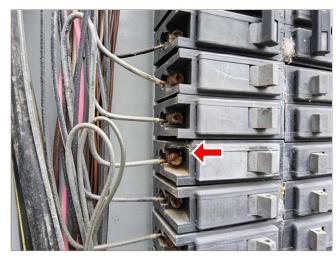
service bundle congestion





clean debris

clean debris



rusted breakers

Problem(s) discovered with Branch Circuits such as amateur wiring installation, and any other problems that an electrical contractor may discover while performing repairs need correcting. I recommend a licensed electrical contractor inspect further and correct as needed.

(2)



half bath

The light switch is damaged. I recommend having a qualified person repair.

(3)





dining room

kitchen bar to living





kitchen

front porch





front office

rear patio





front right bedroom

upstairs left bath

Outlet(s) loose in wall in areas. Electrical issues are considered a hazard until repaired. A qualified licensed electrical contractor should perform repairs that involve wiring. (4)





kitchen

The cover is damaged or missing. I recommend having a qualified person repair.

(5)





living to fan remote can be lost

The light switch is missing connection. I recommend having a qualified person repair.

(6)



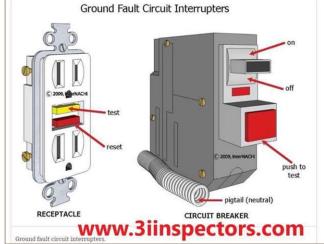


garage garage

There is exposed wiring in areas of the home. This is a safety hazard. I recommend having a qualified electrician inspect and make repairs as needed.

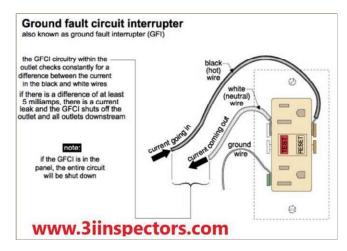
(7)





Ground Fault Circuit Interrupters

front porch



There are no GFCI protected circuits in required area's. This is not considered to be today's standard. I recommend having a qualified electrician make repairs as needed.
(8)



left garage

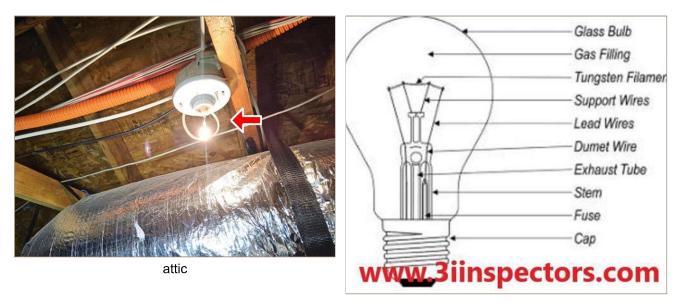
The electrical fixture is loose. Electrical issues are considered a hazard until repaired. I recommend repair as needed.

(9)



rear right bedroom

Missing or non function smoke detectors at all sleeping rooms, outside sleeping rooms and on each level of the home. Recommend having a qualified contractor install smoke detectors in the mentioned areas. (10)

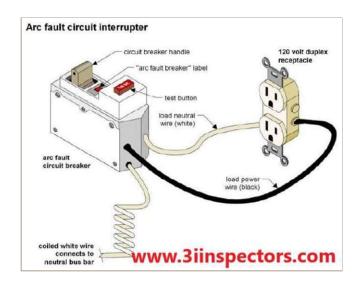


The light bulb is damaged. I recommend having a qualified person repair. (11)



The electrical fixture is missing globe cover. Electrical issues are considered a hazard until repaired. I recommend repair as needed.

(12)



Arc fault Circuit Interrupters (AFCI) is not installed. This is not today's standard. I recommend having a qualified person repair.

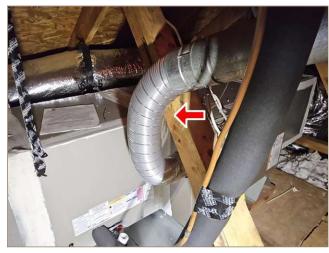
AFCI or "Arc Fault Circuit Interrupters" are the latest in electrical safety devices for dwellings. AFCI standards were introduced in the 1999 NEC (National Electrical Code) and are required in new dwelling construction and when installing, extending or updating new circuits in an existing dwelling, or when replacing receptacles located in designated locations. AFCI and GFCI protection devices may look similar, but perform very different functions to protect against different dangers.

III. Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Systems

A. Heating Equipment

Inspected, Deficient

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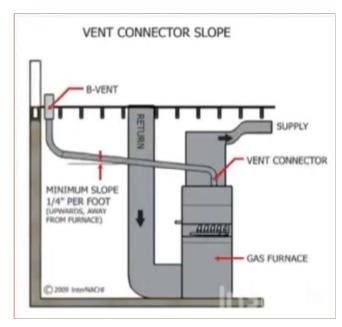


downstairs unit - missing B-vent





b vent



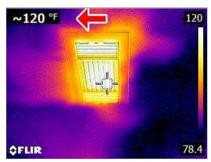
The furnace exhaust flue is loose or improper flue pipe. This is a safety hazard. Have a qualified person repair as needed.

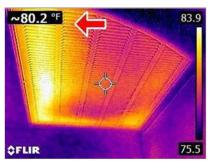
(2)



unable to test heater upstairs

The thermostat upstairs is damaged. I recommend repair or replace as needed. (3)





120 avg supply downstairs

80 return downstairs

The heater was tested and working properly at the time of inspection. The ambient air test was performed by using thermometers on the furnace to determine if the difference in temperatures of the supply and return air are between 30 degrees and 50 degrees which indicates that the unit is heating as intended. This indicates the range in temperature drop is normal.

This is within normal range. Normal Δ range 30° - 50°

(4)



The heater upstairs did not turn-on at inspection. I recommend repair or replace as needed.

B. Cooling Equipment

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(1)



downstairs unit connected directly safety hazard



Exterior A/C is missing the required service disconnect. This is not today's standard. I recommend a qualified person make repairs as needed,

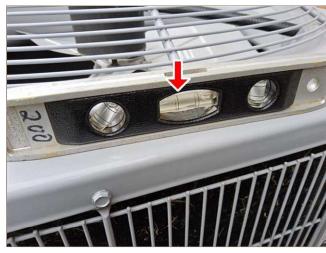
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downstairs unit



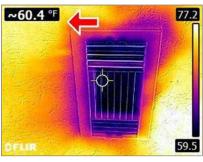


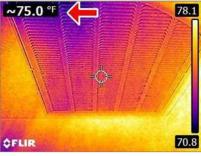
upstairs unit

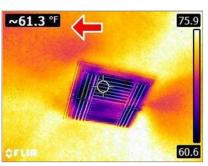
upstairs unit

The condenser is not level. A replacement is needed This is a safety issue and should be repaired. A licensed HVAC contractor should service or repair unit. This can cause premature failure to compressor and void manufacturers warranty.

(3)



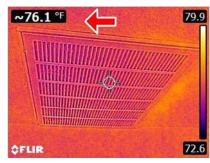




60 avg supply upstairs

75 return upstairs

61 avg supply downstairs



76 return downstairs

The ambient air test was performed by using thermometers on the air handler of Air conditioner to determine if the difference in temperatures of the supply and return air are between 14 degrees and 22 degrees which indicates that the unit is cooling as intended. This indicates the range in temperature drop is normal.

Normal Δ range 14° - 22°

C. Duct Systems, Chases and Vents

Inspected, Deficient

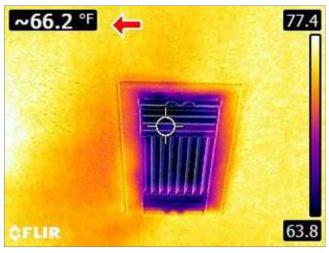
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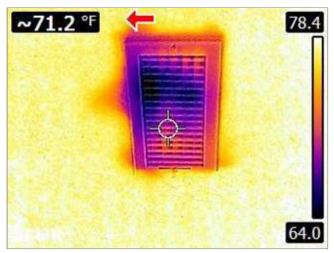




dining room

rear right bedroom





upstairs rear right bedroom

dining room

The supply to rooms needs adjustment or balances. Repairs are needed. (2)



Duct piping appears to be in contact with one another in the attic space. Condensation could occur if not corrected. I recommend having a qualified HVAC contractor further evaluate and make repairs as needed

IV. Plumbing System

A. Plumbing Supply, Distribution System and Fixtures

Inspected, Deficient

(1)





half bath

upstairs hallway

The faucet is damaged. Repairs are needed This is not considered up to today's standard. A qualified licensed plumber should repair or correct as needed.

(2)



master bath



upstairs left bath x2 sinks

The piping has corrosion at fittings. This is a possible leak location. A qualified person should make repairs as needed.

(3)

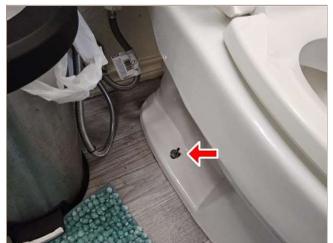


The water shutoff valve not located. Repairs are needed This is not considered up to today's standard. A qualified licensed plumber should repair or correct as needed.

B. Drains, Waste and Vents

Inspected, Deficient

(1)





half bath

master bath





upstairs

upstairs left bath

The toilet is missing cap at screws. Repairs are needed. A qualified licensed plumber should repair or correct as needed.

(2)





master x2

upstairs hallway



upstairs left bath



The waste overflow is missing, leaks or does not function / under sized. A qualified licensed plumber should repair or correct as needed.

(3)





upstairs



left upstairs bath

The tub or sink is damaged. Repairs are needed. (4)





upstairs left bath x2



upstairs

The drain stopper does not function as intended at bath sink. Repairs are needed. A qualified licensed plumber should repair or correct as needed.

(5)



hair clogged

The tub drain drains slowly under the hall bath. Repairs are needed This is not considered up to today's standard. A qualified licensed plumber should repair or correct as needed.

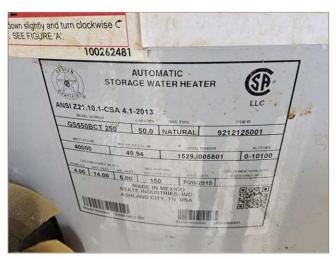
C. Water Heating Equipment

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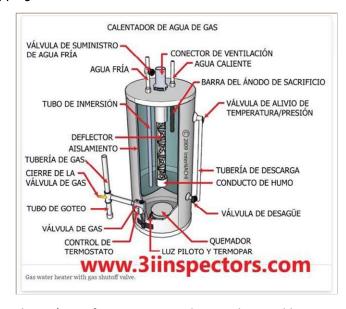
Inspected, Deficient

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2015 popping at use



The water heater is very old and may last a few years more, but maybe not. I have seen units fail shortly after a home inspection during the seasonal change from mild to hot weather. I cannot determine how long your water heater will last before a replacement is necessary.

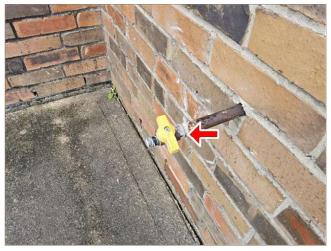
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The water heat has corrosion at fittings. I recommend having a qualified person make repairs as needed.

E. Gas Distribution Systems and Gas Appliances

Inspected, Deficient



patio kitchen missing cap safety hazard

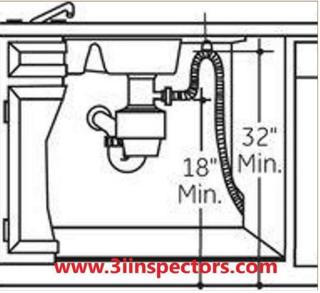
The gas meter and piping around meter are rusted or deteriorated. Repairs are needed.

V. Appliances

A. Dishwasher

Inspected, Deficient





The dishwasher is missing high-loop. I recommend repair as necessary.

F. Mechanical Exhaust Vents and bathroom Heaters

Inspected, Deficient

(1)





The exhaust vent cover is loose. This is a safety issue. Repairs are needed.

(2)



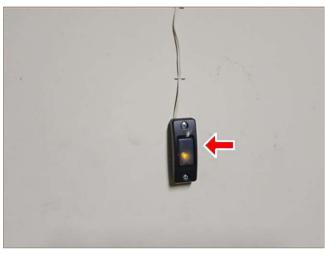


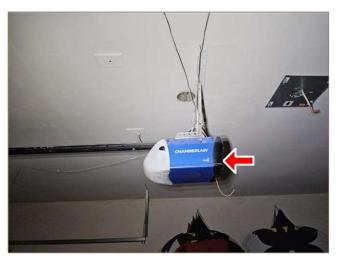
upstairs left bath

The Exhaust fan is damaged or missing in areas. This is a safety hazard. A qualified person should repair or replace as needed.

G. Garage Door Operator(s)

Inspected, Deficient





hold down switch to close

The garage door operator is damaged or missing. This is not considered today's standard. Have a qualified person repair as needed.

H. Dryer Exhaust System

Inspected, Deficient



The dryer vent piping is long and vertical which can trap lint at elbow. Vent pipes should be cleaned regularly if they are longer than normal (10 feet or more) or vented vertically. I recommend repair as needed.

I. Other

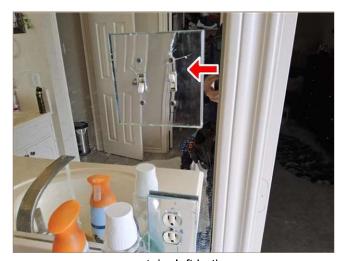
Inspected, Deficient

(1)



The cabinet door is damaged or loose. This is a cosmetic issue for your information. I recommend repair or replace as necessary.

(2)



upstairs left bath

Drawer face is damaged or does not work smoothly. This is a cosmetic issue for your information. I recommend repair or replace as necessary.

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