Before you start your project, incorporate these important services into your project specifications.

- **General Evaluation** — information collected by a knowledgeable representative is required to determine the best solutions for a specific project. Every building is unique and solutions must be customized to optimal performance. The structural stability of the building or other factors outside our expertise must be reviewed or assessed by qualified experts and are the responsibility of the owner or his representative. Our Technical Applications Consultants will work with those experts to ensure our solutions match their assessments.

- **Field Adhesion Test** — determines whether the renovation system’s adhesive will bond with the wall. This lends to peace of mind that comes with knowing you have the best solution. Consult the Senergy Technical bulletin, Conducting Adhesion Testing, for information on conducting this test.

- **Fastener Pull-out Test** — determines the strength of the substrate, which means you know the system will remain fastened for the service life of the wall.

- **WVT Analysis** — confirms the performance of the existing wall and contributes to selecting the best design options for enhancing the thermal and WVT performance. An analysis lends to peace of mind that comes with making the right decision. If you provide the input, we will run the analysis.

- **Product and System Recommendations** — based upon the building evaluations and the owner’s requirements, we will submit base recommendations, along with suggested options and alternatives.

- **Contractor Prequalification** — BASF Wall Systems provides the names of companies that are trained, experienced in the type of work that will be done, resourced with the right people and equipment, and financially stable.

- **Detail Review** — our technical department will review your building plans to ensure proper detailing, which is critical to building performance.

- **Pre-Construction Conferences** — ensure that all parties are working off the same documents and that documents and expectations are understood, trades are coordinated, safety issues are understood, materials are properly applied and details are properly addressed.
Residential Policy

On one and two-family residential framed construction, BASF Wall Systems requires that the wall system selected be one that includes provisions for moisture drainage. The choices include Senturion® line of water managed EIFS, commercial Senerflex® Wall Systems integrating moisture management features, Senergy Stucco Wall System, and Senergy Cement-Board Stucco® Systems. Senergy Exterior Surfacing Systems for insulating concrete forms are also acceptable. There are no exceptions to this policy. Under no circumstances will BASF Wall Systems warrant the use of any other system on this type of construction without expressed written authorization from BASF Wall Systems [Residential construction using EIFS on masonry (CMU) or poured concrete does not require the additional water management provisions described above.]

See the Senergy Residential Policy Bulletin for a more detailed discussion of this topic. Consult BASF Wall Systems Technical Services Department for specific recommendations concerning all other applications. Consult the Senergy web-site, www.senergy.cc for additional information about products and systems and for updated literature.

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