

# FREON PHASEOUT

*What Every Homeowner Should Know*

- As of January 2020, the Environmental Protection Agency has banned the production and importation of Freon, also known as R-22, which is used in many home's AC units. Puron (R410A) is replacing Freon.
- The production of R-22 HVAC units and parts stopped in 2015.
- Using Freon is **NOT** illegal, nor do you need to pro-actively replace your HVAC unit. It will likely be **more expensive for you** when your R-22 HVAC unit needs to be repaired.
- If your Freon condenser needs to be replaced, it must be replaced with a Puron condenser. Freon components are not typically compatible with Puron, therefore the coil or air handler would also need to be replaced.
- The retail cost (without proper coverage) of upgrading a coil or air handler to be Puron compatible is \$1,200-\$2,500 per component.



*OneGuard offers*  
**HVAC INCOMPATIBILITY  
COVERAGE\***

If a Freon component must be replaced with Puron equipment, OneGuard will update the paired air conditioning equipment to maintain compatibility.

Learn more about the Freon phaseout by visiting [oneguardhw.com/freon](https://oneguardhw.com/freon) or by calling **888.896.0014**

\*Limitations and exclusions apply. HVAC Incompatibility Coverage is included in the Centurion and Guardian plans. It can be added to the Sentinel plan for \$100.

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