



## **NFCA and QAP specification 2020**

.1 All preparation, materials and workmanship shall be in strict accordance with NFCA requirements as detailed in the latest (online) edition of the NFCA Floor Covering Reference Manual of Canada, ([www.floorcoveringreferencemanual.com](http://www.floorcoveringreferencemanual.com)) and the material manufacturer's written recommendations for conditions of work and guarantee periods stated.

.2 Companies specializing in performing work of this section shall have a minimum five (5) years documented experience.

**Spec note: Where Quality Assurance Program (QAP), third party inspector is required, include the following:**

### **1.0 QUALITY ASSURANCE**

.1 All Work described in this Section is included under the Quality Assurance Program (QAP) of NFCA (National Floor Covering Association), as detailed in the latest (online) edition of the Floor Covering Reference Manual of Canada ([www.floorcoveringreferencemanual.com](http://www.floorcoveringreferencemanual.com)) and will be reviewed in accordance with QAP requirements therein by an Inspection Agency assigned by the Accredited Quality Assurance (AQA) Provider. Include the cost of this program in the Contract Price.

.2 Contact the Quality Assurance Program provider for costs and any clarifications prior to submitting a bid.

.3 Any preparation, materials, and workmanship that do not meet NFCA requirements will be replaced in accordance with Quality Assurance requirements without any additional cost to the Owner.

.4 The cost of a 100%, two-year, Maintenance Bond is to be carried under the project by the flooring contractor.

.5 On award of contract, request a QA Review Form (Part A04A) and submit prior to ordering materials.

.6 Qualification of installers performing all work shall meet the requirements detailed in PART A05 Trade Qualifications in the latest edition of the NFCA Floor covering Reference Manual.

.7 Installer Qualifications – The floor covering contractor at the time of and through-out the performance of the work shall be a member in good standing of the National Floor Covering Association (NFCA) and referenced on the NFCA website ([www.nfca.ca](http://www.nfca.ca))



## QAP (Quality Assurance Program) cost sheet 2020.

<b>Flooring Contract amount</b>	<b>QAP cost</b>
\$100,000	\$5000
\$200,000	\$10,000
\$300,000	\$12,000
\$400,000	\$14,000
\$450,000	\$15,000
\$500,000	\$16,000
\$750,000	\$21,000
\$900,000	\$24,000
\$1,000,000	\$26,000
\$1,250,000	\$28,500
\$1,500,000	\$31,000

### **Cost of QAP**

A minimum QAP cost of \$5000 applies  
Travel costs for QAP inspectors will apply.  
Contractors must add the price of Bonding when QAP is specified.  
Add applicable taxes.