WELL v2 LIGHT Concept Summary

There are ten *Concepts* in the WELL Building Standard version 2:



About the WELL Standard: <u>https://dev-wellv2.wellcertified.com/wellv2/en/overview</u>

The WELL **Light Concept** promotes exposure to light and aims to create lighting environments that promote visual, mental and biological health:

- reduced circadian phase disruption.
- improved sleep quality.
- positive impact on mood and productivity.

Points towards WELL Certification are earned by achieving health intents described in the concept *Features*. Features are either Preconditions (required) or Optimizations (optional). *About the WELL Standard Light Concept: <u>https://dev-wellv2.wellcertified.com/wellv2/en/light</u>*

WELL LIGHT CONCEPT FEATURES

L01 Light Exposure (Precondition) - Provide indoor light exposure through daylight and electric light strategies.

LO2 Visual Lighting Design (Precondition) - Provide visual comfort and enhance visual acuity for all users through electric lighting.

LO3 Circadian Lighting Design (Optimization) - Support circadian and psychological health through indoor daylight exposure and outdoor views.

L04 Electric Light Glare Control (Optimization) - Minimize glare caused by electric light.

L05 Daylight Design Strategies (Optimization) - Provide daylight exposure indoors through design strategies.

L06 Daylight Simulation (Optimization) - Ensure indoor daylight exposure through daylight simulation strategies.

L07 Visual Balance (Optimization) - Create lighting environments that enhance visual comfort.

L08 Electric Light Quality (Optimization) - Enhance visual comfort and minimize flicker for electric light.

L09 Occupant Lighting Control (Optimization) - Provide individuals with access to customizable lighting environments.

Points towards WELL Certification may also be earned through innovations that are not explicitly in the standard, but demonstrably support its goals and intentions:

Feature 101 Innovate WELL (Optimization) - To promote the continuous evolution of WELL, by encouraging projects to propose a new intervention that addresses health and well-being in a novel way.