Doors and hardware can contribute to the following categories in WELL:

**Air** — Features 04, 06, 11, 12, 17, 25, 27
- Feature 04: VOC Reduction
- Feature 06: Microbe and Mold Control
- Feature 11: Fundamental Material Safety
- Feature 12: Moisture Management
- Feature 17: Direct Source Ventilation
- Feature 25: Toxic Material Reduction
- Feature 27: Antimicrobial Activity for Surfaces

**Light** — Features 54, 61, 62
- Feature 54: Circadian Lighting Design
- Feature 61: Right to Light
- Feature 62: Daylight Modeling

**Comfort** — Features 74, 77, 81
- Feature 74: Exterior Noise Intrusion
- Feature 77: Olfactory Comfort
- Feature 81: Sound Barriers

**Mind** — Features 88, 97
- Feature 88: Biophilia I - Qualitative
- Feature 97: Material Transparency
What's NEW in WELL v2?

In 2018, WELL introduced a pilot standard, WELL v2, which has streamlined and revised WELL v1 to be easier for certification teams to understand and utilize. Constantly evolving and expanding, the WELL Building Standard made several key updates from WELL v1 to the WELL v2 pilot. The WELL v2 pilot highlights new concepts and features, such as Sound and Materials, a point system, and no building type rules or restrictions. In addition, projects can now pursue individual parts within optimization features without obtaining full credit within that feature.

While there are several new traits to WELL v2, the underlying intent remains the same – improve human health and wellbeing through the built environment. Therefore, ASSA ABLOY’s door and hardware solutions can still contribute to a variety of WELL features. If you are perusing a WELL v2 pilot project, please contact ASSA ABLOY for more detailed information on how we can contribute to the new standard.

For more information on understanding the comparison between WELL v1 and WELL v2 pilot visit:
www.wellcertified.com/en/articles/tip-comparison-v1-well-v2-pilot
Air

**Feature 04: VOC Reduction (Prerequisite)**
Core and Shell  |  New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*Ensure a basic level of high indoor air quality by reducing indoor pollutants, volatile organic compounds (VOCs), and airborne particulate matter.*

ASSA ABLOY metal hardware products are considered Inherently Non-Emitting Materials and do not qualify for this credit. However, our doors and weatherproofing products may help contribute toward achieving this credit. Many of our doors and weatherproofing products have obtained GREENGUARD and GREENGUARD Gold certification, verifying low emitting criterion. To find products that have obtained this certification, please go to the UL Environment Sustainable Product Guide to search for our products.

**Feature 06: Microbe and Mold Control (Prerequisite)**
Core and Shell  |  New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To reduce mold and bacteria growth within buildings, which can lead to asthma, headaches, allergies, and other respiratory disorders.*

Products from ASSA ABLOY Group brands offer MicroShield® antimicrobial coatings. This natural ion antimicrobial coating can be applied to doors and hardware to prevent the spread of bacteria and other microbes, including mold.

**Feature 11: Fundamental Material Safety (Prerequisite)**
Core and Shell  |  New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To reduce or eliminate occupant exposure to lead, asbestos, and PCBs from building materials.*

ASSA ABLOY provides the required documentation to document the attempt to meet this requirement; contact ASSA ABLOY for documentation on why it is challenging to remove lead completely from door hardware and also the status of the industry in this regard.

**Feature 12: Moisture Management (Prerequisite)**
Core and Shell  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To limit the potential for bacteria and mold growth within buildings from water infiltration and condensation.*

ASSA ABLOY provides moisture-resistant door systems that are suitable for areas susceptible to moisture.

**Feature 17: Direct Source Ventilation**
Core and Shell  |  New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To preserve air quality in occupied spaces through the isolation and proper ventilation of indoor pollution sources and chemical storage areas.*

ASSA ABLOY self-closing doors can be utilized to ensure all cleaning and chemical storage units, all bathrooms, and all rooms that contain printers and copiers are separated from occupied spaces.

**Feature 25: Toxic Material Reduction**
Core and Shell  |  New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To minimize the impact of hazardous building material chemicals on indoor air quality and protect the health of manufacturing and maintenance workers.*

ASSA ABLOY products have third-party verified Declare labels which will contribute to the requirements of this feature. ASSA ABLOY plans to continue to verify their Declare labels through a third-party certification company.

**Feature 26: Enhanced Material Safety**
New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To minimize the impact of hazardous building material ingredients on indoor air quality and protect the health of manufacturing and maintenance workers.*

ASSA ABLOY products with Red-List free or Living Building Challenge Compliant Declare labels contribute to the Imperatives in the Materials Petal under the Living Building Challenge 3.0.

**Feature 27: Antimicrobial Activity for Surfaces**
New and Existing Interiors  |  New and Existing Buildings

*To reduce occupant exposure to both harmful pathogens and hazardous cleaning agents.*

Products from ASSA ABLOY Group brands offer MicroShield® antimicrobial coatings. This natural ion antimicrobial coating can be applied to hardware to prevent the spread of bacteria and other microbes, including mold.
Light

Feature 54: Circadian Lighting Design (Prerequisite)
New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To support circadian health by setting a minimum threshold for daytime light intensity.
ASSA ABLOY Glass Products can help to provide building occupants with additional exposure to natural daylight. Adding glazing and sidelights to ASSA ABLOY doors and frames will assist projects in integrating circadian lighting design.

Feature 61: Right to Light
Core and Shell | New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To promote exposure to daylight and views of varying distances by limiting the distance workstations can be from a window or atrium.
ASSA ABLOY Glass Products can help architects and designers to easily incorporate daylight into office design, providing building occupants with additional exposure to natural daylight and exterior views.

Feature 62: Daylight Modeling
Core and Shell | New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To support circadian and psychological health by setting thresholds for indoor sunlight exposure.
ASSA ABLOY Glass Products can help ensure that occupants have access to daylight and assist architects and designers to easily incorporate daylight into lighting simulations.

Comfort

Feature 74: Exterior Noise Intrusion (Prerequisite)
Core and Shell | New and Existing Interiors (Optimization) | New and Existing Buildings

To reduce acoustic disruptions by limiting external noise intrusion.
ASSA ABLOY door systems use superior sound absorbing technology and have been acoustically tested. Our product lines include a variety of hardware options as well. Choosing ASSA ABLOY hardware and door closers ensure that STC rated door openings are latched and closed, reducing sound infiltration, and helping WELL projects reach their goals for exterior noise intrusion.

Feature 77: Olfactory Comfort
New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To maximize olfactory comfort by reducing the transmission of strong smells and odors within the building.
ASSA ABLOY self-closing doors can be utilized to ensure all All restrooms, janitorial closets, kitchens, cafeterias, and pantries are separated from occupied spaces.

Feature 81: Sound Barriers
New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To reduce sound transmission and acoustic disruptions through sound barriers.
ASSA ABLOY door systems use superior sound absorbing technology and have been acoustically tested. By selecting ASSA ABLOY doors constructed with gaskets, sweeps, and/or non-hollow cores, WELL projects can meet the requirements for this feature.
Mind

Feature 88: Biophilia I - Qualitative (Prerequisite)
Core and Shell (Optimization) | New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To nurture the innate human-nature connection within the project.
ASSA ABLOY Glass Products can help to provide building occupants with additional exposure to natural daylight and views. Adding glazing and sidelights to ASSA ABLOY doors and frames will assist project teams in developing a plan that incorporates nature.

Feature 97: Material Transparency
Core and Shell | New and Existing Interiors | New and Existing Buildings

To promote material transparency along the supply chain
WELL specifies that at least 50%, by cost, of interior finishes and finish materials, furnishings, and built-in furniture can provide material transparency documentation. ASSA ABLOY seeks to understand and transparently report the materials we use in our products, ensuring that our products are safe for the consumer. ASSA ABLOY has published compliant Health Product Declarations (HPDs) and/or Declare labels for products in the following businesses.