

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

953, 9531, 9538 & 9539 SHOWER ROD WITH FLANGES

PLEASE READ THESE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS THOROUGHLY PRIOR TO INSTALLING THIS SHOWER ROD

IMPORTANT: THIS PRODUCT SHOULD ONLY BE INSTALLED BY QUALIFIED AND TRAINED PERSONNEL

FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS COULD LEAD TO IMPROPER INSTALLATION OF THE SHOWER ROD & FLANGES, STRUCTURAL AND/OR WATER DAMAGE TO THE WALL AND IN-WALL SUPPORT STRUCTURES, AND/OR SERIOUS BODILY INJURY IN USE. IN ADDITION, ALL WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, WILL BE NULL & VOID DUE TO IMPROPER INSTALLATION OF THIS PRODUCT. SEACHROME CORPORATION DOES NOT ASSUME ANY LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE RESULTING FROM SERVICES PERFORMED BY OTHERS, OR FAULTY INSTALLATION, MISUSE OR MISAPPLICATION OF GOODS.

THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS PRODUCT IS SIGNIFICANTLY IMPACTED BY THE STRENGTH AND CONSTRUCTION OF THE WALL TO WHICH IT IS ATTACHED.

TO ASSURE PROPER AND SAFE INSTALLATION, THIS SHOWER ROD & FLANGES MUST BE INSTALLED INTO A MINIMUM 2" THICK, SOLID WOOD, IN-WALL BACKING MATERIAL. MAKE CERTAIN IN-WALL BACKING COMPLIES WITH ALL LOCAL BUILDING CODE REQUIREMENTS.

DO NOT EXCEED 50 POUNDS OF FORCE IN USE OF THIS PRODUCT.

- 1. Remove the Shower Rod & Flanges (1 pair) from the shipping carton.
- 2. Locating the Shower Rod & Flanges in the desired position.

Locate and ensure the area where the shower rod is to be mounted is reinforced with 2" solid wood in-wall backing. Using the shower rod flanges as a template, align the hole centerlines on the flanges with the 2" solid wood in-wall backing.

Mark the center of the mounting hole slots on the mounting surface with a marking pencil/pen. It is *extremely important* you mark the center of each mounting hole precisely on the mounting surface.

Proceed cautiously through the following steps in this installation process to avoid drilling into in-wall water supply lines.

All mounting points must fasten into structural wood backing, minimum 2" thickness.

Avoid electrical and/or plumbing behind the wall, and where possible drill through tile – not through grout.

3. Mounting the Shower Rod & Flanges.

Use a power drill with 3/32" carbide tip drill bit (not provided) and drill into the 2" thick solid wood backing in the wall where marked (Step 2).

Fill the holes on the mounting surface with silicone to ensure a water-tight seal will be created at all mounting locations. Secure the shower rod & flanges to the wall using the hardware provided and screw INTO 2" THICK, SOLID WOOD IN-WALL BACKING MATERIAL. Tighten screws completely <u>AFTER</u> all screws are in place.

To ensure proper and safe installation, the shower rod should not shift in any direction on the mounting surface.

Tools required: Marking pencil/pen, level, power drill, 3/32" carbide tip drill bit, #2 phillips driver, silicone.

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