


WARNING DEHUMIDIFIER

Any piece of equipment can be dangerous if not operated properly. **YOU** are responsible for the safe operation of this equipment. The operator must carefully read and follow any warnings, safety signs and instructions provided with or located on the equipment. Do not remove, defeat, deface or render inoperable any of the safety devices or warnings on this equipment. If any safety devices or warnings have been removed, defeated, defaced or rendered inoperable, **DO NOT USE THIS EQUIPMENT!!!**

 **WARNING:** This product may expose you to chemicals, including lead and phthalates, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65warnings.ca.gov

Attention: Keep Unit Upright at All Times

Dehumidifiers reduce humidity in enclosed structural environments by removing water vapor from the air. With proper use, they can help dry carpet, carpet pad, floors, walls, building contents and more. Using dehumidifiers can also help prevent secondary damage caused by high humidity. For best results, use dehumidifiers with air movers (fans) placed around the perimeter of the room to distribute heat energy and release moisture from wet surfaces into the air. How the dehumidifier works: refrigerant dehumidifiers operate by pulling moist air in across a very cold evaporator core. The moisture in the air condenses on the coil. In certain conditions, the machine operates in defrost mode, warming any frost accumulated on the evaporator coil back into water. The water collects in a tray and is pumped out through a hose.

IMPORTANT SAFETY RULES TO FOLLOW

1. Keep the dehumidifier grounded. Do not alter the three-pronged grounding plug for any reason.
2. Protect the power cord from damage. Do not use if the cord is frayed. Do not close a door on the cord. Keep the cord away from heated surfaces and out of standing water.
3. Keep out of water. Do not operate or store the dehumidifier outdoors or expose to rain or water.
4. If using an open bucket to catch water from the dehumidifier, the container must be labeled with a warning to help prevent children from drowning.
5. If using multiple units, do not position them in such a way that one unit blows directly at another.
6. Avoid putting the dehumidifier on or over hardwood floors. Unexpected spillage from the unit could cause damage to the floor.
7. Do not operate the dehumidifier at ambient condition above 90°F.
8. If the unit is switched off during use, wait 5 minutes before restarting. Attempting to restart the unit sooner may cause damage to the compressor

OPERATING YOUR DEHUMIDIFIER

Always operate the dehumidifier in an upright position. If the unit has been stored or transported in a horizontal position, set it upright (vertical) for at least 30 minutes before operating it. When the unit is placed in a horizontal position, oil from the compressor flows into the refrigerant coils reducing the ability of the dehumidifier to function.

SETTING UP THE DRAIN HOSE

The dehumidifier's condensate pump connects to a plastic drainage hose that is wrapped around the air outlet located at the back of the unit. Unwrap the entire hose and place the unattached end in a sink, drain, bucket or outside – anywhere that water can drain out safely. If you use a bucket or other receptacle for water collection, check it regularly to prevent spills.

NOTE: Uncoil and straighten the entire drain hose. Do not leave any part of the hose coiled on the unit and do not place the end of the hose higher than its outlet from the unit. Also check for kinks, or obstructions that would restrict the flow of water. Failure to do so may cause a water backup in the pump resulting in leakage.

If the person receiving this handout will not be the user of the equipment, forward these instructions to the operator. If there is any doubt as to the operation or safety of the equipment,

DO NOT USE!!! CALL A TOOL SHED IMMEDIATELY!!! FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS COULD RESULT IN INJURY OR DEATH