Claridge. Tack Wall



INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

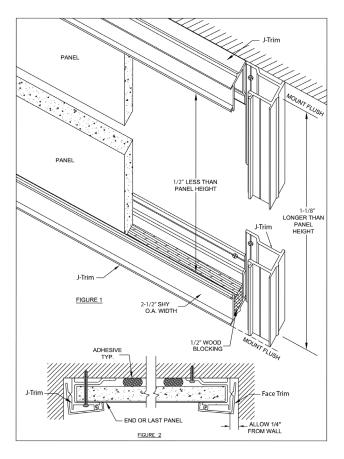
Tools Needed:

- Laser/level
- Drill and drill bit
- Screw driver
- Tape measure
- Caulk gun
- Suction cups (recommended)
- If cut outs are needed jig saw with a metal cutting blade
- Rubber mallet
- Safety glasses

WARNING

Risk of injury to installers and users Read the entire assembly directions before beginning assembly.

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Note: Throughout installation, be sure to allow a ¼" spacing around perimeter of J-trim, this will allow your top trim to snap in place.

- 1. Install bottom J trim cut 2 ½" less than overall width allowing 1 ¼" on each side. Make sure bottom J trim is level then insert ½" wood blocking (see Figure 1)
- 2. Install J-trim from either side aligning side trim with the bottom of the bottom J-trim. Make sure it is plumb.

 Note: side trim must be 1 1/8" longer than panel height.
- 3. Install top J-trim flush with the top of your side trim. Cut top trim the same length of your bottom trim. Note: overall opening height must be ½" shorter than panel height. (see Figure 1)
- 4. Apply egg-size globs of adhesive to the back of the first panel, in a 1' grid pattern. Install panel by inserting into the top J-trim, swinging bottom of panel over bottom J-trim and setting down onto blocking. Adjust panel sideways to fit inside side trim. Compress panel to wall to ensure bonding between panel and wall, making sure your panel is plumb.
- 5. After last panel is installed, secure last piece of J-trim to wall by screw through J-trim and panel into wall.

 Note: Be sure not to overtighten so that trim reveal stays consistent.
- 6. We suggest you shore up the joints. In order to shore the joints, cut 2x4 the height of your unit. Securing 2x4 to top and bottom J-trim by screwing through 2x4 into trim and panel (holes will be later concealed with face trim). Insert shims at any high spots along the joint so that the joint is flush. The joint should not overlap or have high or low spots. Allow adhesive to properly cure, and then remove 2x4s and shims.
- 7. At this point, to finish the unit, apply face trim. When applying face trim, always start with the ends. Cutting side face trim 3/16" longer than the side J-trim installed previously. Then cut the face trim for bottom and top to fit between the side face trim.

