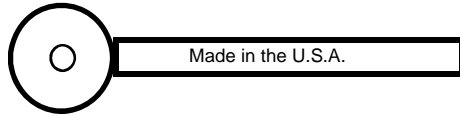


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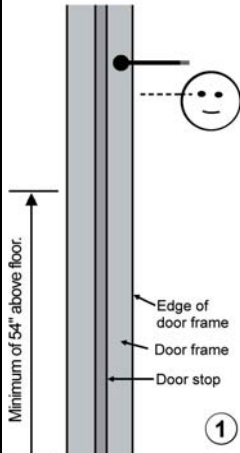
**Warranty Information:** (to original owner)  
We want our product to work well to protect you and your loved ones. At anytime during the first **3 years** of ownership simply return the damaged part along with shipping and handling to HTH Resources, LLC for a free replacement. (see website for details)  
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## - Step 1 - Determine Mounting Height

Safety: Take consideration for the users height.

### MOUNTING HEIGHT

Don't mount at eye level(s)



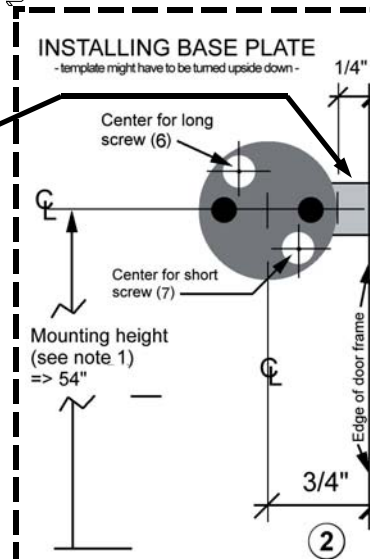
- Mounting height: Minimum of 54" above floor, usually 5-1/2' - 6'. Avoid mounting at adults eye level(s) if possible. (see fig. 1)
- Mark a dot 3/4" in from the frames edge at the mounting height. (see centerlines fig. 2) Check height for ease of use and eye safety.
- Using the 1" spade bit, drill a shallow recess approximately 1/8" deep (.125" -.138") at mark.

## - Step 2 - Fitting Base Plate

Use shaft and base plate as a guide.

- Place shaft centered vertically in recess to mark doorframe above and below the shaft.
- Remove a portion of frame with a utility knife to accommodate shaft, approx. - 3/32" deep. (see grey area on fig. 2)
- Place base plate in recess, nut side down, fit shaft over pins and hold horizontally. (see note)
- Mark center of the diagonal holes where screws will go, pre-drill as necessary.

**Note:** you may have to enlarge center hole to accommodate nut.



## - Step 3 - Mount Base Plate & Assembly

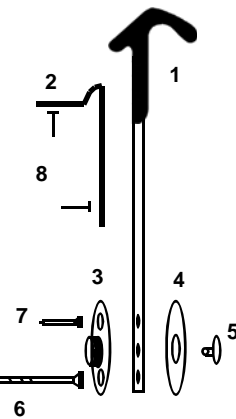
Mounted assembly should be nearly flush with the door frame, shim if necessary.

- Mount base plate. Using the 2" screw in the hole furthest from the edge of door frame and the 3/4" screw closest to the edge. Make sure the shaft (pins) will be horizontal to the ground when mounted.
- Assemble the shaft to the base plate using the cover plate and machine screw.

**Note:** Later when shaft is removed, the base mount can remain in place and won't affect the door's function.

## Parts List

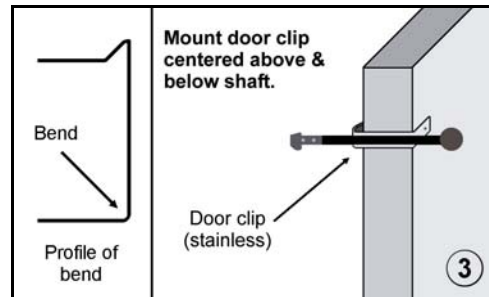
- Hook & Shaft
- Door clip
- Base plate
- Cover plate
- Cover plate screw
- Long 2" screw
- Medium 3/4" screw
- Small door clip screws (2)
- Spade drill bit 1"



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## - Step 4 - Mount Door Clip



- Place metal clip with the barb hooked over the door's edge and bend the overhanging tab to form a "U" so the clip now fits the thickness of the door - use pliers if necessary.
- Mount the clip at the exact height of the shaft, aligning the barb with the hook for a proper catch using the two small clip screws.

## FOR CONTINUED PROTECTION\*

Routinely check assembly for:

- Loose screws & parts
- Adequate curve in shaft
- Hook / Barb alignment
- Overall function

Latch can be over-riden using a stick or stool, etc. - keep items away from doors with latches.

\*Add self-closing hinges for additional safety.

## Different mounting methods available contact us with your situation.

- Arcadia (sliding) door mount,
- Metal door jamb - countersunk rivets,
- Double doors - make one fixed, etc.

Feel free to email, write, or call with any product questions or input.

## READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS BEFORE BEGINING

Periodically...

Check latch for working order

- adjust as required

and

Never over-bend the  
natural curve of the shaft.

This could cause permanent  
distortion and failure.

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