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**LIMITED WARRANTY**

This product is warranted against defects in workmanship and/or materials. This warranty extends only to the original purchaser of the product and lasts for one (1) year from the date of original purchase or until the original purchaser of the product sells or transfers the product, whichever first occurs.

WHAT THIS WARRANTY DOES COVER:

This warranty does not apply if the product was damaged or failed because of accident, improper handling or operation, shipping damage, abuse, misuse, unauthorized repairs made or attempted. This warranty does not cover shipping costs for the return of products to Lasko for repair or replacement. This warranty does not apply if the product was damaged or failed because of accident, improper handling or operation, shipping damage, abuse, misuse, unauthorized repairs made or attempted.

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WHAT THIS WARRANTY EXCLUDES:

This warranty excludes all incidental or consequential damages from any cause whatsoever, or (II) Replacement or repair of any house fixture, electrical device, or plumbing fixture. This warranty excludes all incidental or consequential damages from any cause whatsoever, or (II) Replacement or repair of any house fixture, electrical device, or plumbing fixture.

TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE

1. Make certain that the power source conforms to the electrical requirements of the Humidifier. 2. When possible, avoid using extension cords. If you must use an extension cord, minimize the risk of overheating by using a single extension cord powerful enough and ensuring that it is UL Listed. NEVER use a single extension cord to operate more than one appliance.

CUSTOMER SERVICE:

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Our Customer Service team is available to assist you with product questions, service center locations, and replacement parts. They can be reached Monday through Friday, 8am-5pm Eastern. Please have your model number available, as well as the type and style.

**IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

**READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

Congratulations on your purchase of the Recirculating Evaporative Humidifier. Featuring the unique use of pump driven water circulation, this unit provides exclusive features that no other humidifiers offer.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND FEATURES**

Your Recirculating Humidifier is an EVAPORATIVE TYPE HUMIDIFIER. This means that the air being drawn through the moistened filter naturally evaporates the water and disperses INVISIBLE MOISTURE into the air. This type of humidifier DOES NOT PRODUCE MIST, WATER DROPLETS, STEAM OR EXCESSIVE CONDENSATION associated with other types of humidifiers.

EXCESSIVE HUMIDITY CAN OFTEN LEAD TO UNANTICIPATED PROBLEMS. Air containing water droplets or mist can create a good habitat for the growth of mold and mildew. Mixing units often oversaturate the air, while the Lasko Recirculating Evaporative Humidifier reaches a maximum humidity output level without oversaturating. With a properly operating Evaporative Humidifier, the evaporation rate increases naturally when the air is dry. When the humidity in your home is high, moisture output automatically decreases to help prevent damaging condensation.

The Watershow Vewing Window provides a visible way for you to know that your Humidifier is operating. As air passes through the filter, the humidity in the room will increase, and the water level in the Unit will begin to decrease. The Watershow Viewing Window for your Recirculating Humidifier also traps unwanted minerals that reside in tap water. This filtering also assures there is NO MOLD DUST dispersed into the air.

1. Do not insert fingers or foreign objects into the Humidifier. Do not place Humidifier near a heat source such as stoves, radiators or heaters.
2. Do not store a used Evaporative Pad in the Humidifier. Do not dispose of Evaporative Pad Holder.
3. Do not insert fingers or foreign objects into the Humidifier. Do not place Humidifier near a heat source such as stoves, radiators or heaters.
4. Always unplug the Humidifier before filling, servicing or moving the Humidifier.

**SPECIAL SITUATIONS**

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**GENERAL SAFETY INFORMATION**

When using electrical appliances, basic precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury to persons, including the following:

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2. Where possible, avoid using extension cords. If you must use an extension cord, minimize the risk of overheating by using a single extension cord powerful enough and ensuring that it is UL Listed. NEVER use a single extension cord to operate more than one appliance.
3. Do not insert fingers or foreign objects into the Humidifier. Do not block or tamper with the Humidifier in any manner while it is in operation. NEVER lift or attempt to move the Humidifier while it is operating.
4. Always place the Humidifier on a stable, level flat surface when operating, to avoid the risk of the Humidifier overtopping. Locate the power cord so the Humidifier or other objects are not resting on it. Keep the power cord away from room traffic.

This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to be used in a polarized outlet only one way. Match wide blade of plug to wide slot. Fully insert. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. DO NOT attempt to defeat this safety feature.

**WARNING:** REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK - DO NOT USE THIS HUMIDIFIER WITH ANY SOLID STATE SPEED CONTROL DEVICES.

1. This Humidifier is intended for general use only. It must NOT be used in potentially dangerous locations such as flammable, explosive, chemical-laden or wet atmospheres.
2. Always place the Humidifier on a stable, level flat surface when operating, to avoid the risk of the Humidifier overtopping. Locate the power cord so the Humidifier or other objects are not resting on it. Keep the power cord away from room traffic.
3. Do not store a used Evaporative Pad in the Humidifier. Do not dispose of Evaporative Pad Holder.
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5. Do not store a used Evaporative Pad in the Humidifier. Do not dispose of Evaporative Pad Holder.

**STORAGE**

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3. Place Humidifier back in the carton and store in a cool dry place.
1. It is recommended that all Humidifiers be cleaned prior to use. Please read the CLEANING and FILTER CARE section on page 3 for cleaning instructions.

2. Remove the Upper Housing from the Base. Make sure that the Evaporative Pad Holder is properly placed in the Base. (Figure 1)

3. The Humidifier unit will produce approximately 3 gallons in a 24 hour period*, however, the actual water capacity (amount of water the Humidifier will hold at one time) is 1.75 gallons.

4. You may fill your Recirculating Evaporative Humidifier two different ways:
   A) Fill the Base with cool water to level indicated in Figure 2A.
   B) Replace the Upper Housing on the Base and push Water Lens down to pour water into the Humidifier (Figure 2B) until it reaches the level indicated in Figure 2A.

OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

CAUTION: Always place Humidifier on a firm and level surface. Locate the Power Cord so the Humidifier is not resting on it, and the cord is away from room traffic. Always carry filled Humidifier carefully. Never move water filled Humidifier while plugged in.

1. Take extra care to prevent water spillage that may damage furniture or flooring. The manufacturer will not accept responsibility for damage to property caused by water spillage.

2. Always be sure that the Power Control Knob is in the OFF (0) position when plugging Humidifier into a polarized 120 volt AC wall outlet.

CAUTION: Do not plug Humidifier into electrical outlet with wet hands, or electrical shock may occur.

3. Set Moisture Control Knob to regulate desired amount of humidity. (Figure 3)

HIGH (3): For fast humidification of a large room. This setting will provide approximately 3 gallons of moisture output in a 24 hour period.*

MED (2): For normal operation.

LOW (1): For quiet, night time operation.

OFF (0): Turn unit off when refilling, cleaning or moving the humidifier.

* Calculations based on ambient conditions of 70° F and 30% relative humidity in a room of average insulation.

4. Remove Evaporative Pad Holder from Base and inspect Small Water Drip Holes for any blockage. (Figure 4)

5. Refill Humidifier when water level in the Base is low. Refer to the FILLING HUMIDIFIER section above.

6. If you do not plan to use your Humidifier for several days, empty all water from the Unit. Standing water may provide an environment for the growth of algae or bacteria.

FILLING HUMIDIFIER

1. Mix one part undiluted white vinegar with four parts warm tap water. Let vinegar solution stand for 20 minutes then wipe away any scale buildup using a soft brush or cloth. Do not use soap or detergents and never use an abrasive cleaner.

2. Remove Upper Housing from Base. Be careful not to let excess water from pump spill onto furniture or flooring.

3. With Water Lens pushed down, the filter may be removed for cleaning or replacing. (Figure 4)

DO NOT OVERFILL UNIT. OVERFILLING THE HUMIDIFIER WILL CAUSE MOTOR DAMAGE.

NEVER USE HOT WATER WHEN FILLING HUMIDIFIER.

CLEANING and FILTER CARE

1. Regular cleaning is necessary to ensure proper and efficient operation. The frequency of cleaning depends on the amount of impurities which may be found in the water or how often the Humidifier is in operation. In either instance, it is recommended that the Humidifier be cleaned at least once a week.

CAUTION: To prevent electric shock, always turn Control Knob to OFF (0) position and unplug the Humidifier before cleaning.

2. Remove Upper Housing from Base. Be careful not to let excess water from pump spill onto furniture or flooring.

3. With Water Lens pushed down, the filter may be removed for cleaning or replacing. (Figure 4)

4. Remove Evaporative Pad Holder from Base and inspect Small Water Drip Holes for any blockage. (Figure 5)

5. To increase the life of your Evaporative Pad, unsnap Holder, remove Pad and flip over. (Figure 6)

6. Discoloration of the Evaporative Pad is normal after extended use. The discoloration is caused by mineral deposits in the water, and the degree of discoloration will vary depending upon the amount of mineral content in the water. When the Pad surface area is thoroughly discolored, or you notice reduced water usage, it is a good indicator that the Evaporative Pad needs to be replaced. The Evaporative Pad should be replaced at least once every season.

The Replacement Pad to be used in this unit is:

The Lasko Replacement Evaporative Pad Model THF 15 (Available Separately)

7. TO DESCALE BASE AND DRIP SHIELD: Mix one part undiluted white vinegar with four parts warm tap water. Let vinegar solution stand for 20 minutes then wipe away any scale buildup using a soft brush or cloth. DO NOT use soap or detergents and NEVER use an abrasive cleaner.

8. TO DISINFECT BASE AND DRIP SHIELD: Fill with 1 teaspoon of chlorine bleach and 1 gallon of water. Let solution stand for 20 minutes. Carefully empty Jug and rinse well with water until bleach smell is gone.

9. Use a dry soft cloth to wipe the Chassis area, which includes the motor area. DO NOT use water to clean the Motor or Switch area. Doing so may result in electrical shock or damage to the Humidifier.

10. Commercial “Descalers” and “Bacteriostats” are available at your local home improvement center.

11. DO not operate Humidifier when there is still cleaner in the water.

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DO NOT FLATTEN, SQUEEZE OR TWIST FILTER WHEN CLEANING.