



## FIREPLACE SAFETY INFORMATION & WARNINGS

### **DANGER**



**HOT GLASS WILL  
CAUSE BURNS**

**DO NOT TOUCH GLASS  
UNTIL COOLED**

**NEVER ALLOW CHILDREN  
TO TOUCH GLASS**

**A barrier designed to reduce the burn hazard from the glass viewing area is provided with this appliance and shall be installed.**

### ***DANGER***

The direct vent system appliance must be installed as an OEM installation in manufactured homes (USA only) or an aftermarket permanently located, or a mobile home, **where not prohibited by local codes** and must be installed in accordance with Manufacturer's instructions and the Manufactured Home Construction and Safety Standard, Title 24 CFR, Part 3280, in the United States, or the Standard for Installation in Mobile Homes, CAN/CSA Z240 MH Series, in Canada.

If the information in these instructions are not followed exactly a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this appliance.

### ***SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS***

Make yourself fully aware of all the following instructions and the many features of the Ortal direct vent gas fireplace appliance.

**INSTALLER:** Leave this manual with the appliance.

**OWNER:** Keep this manual for future reference.

***DANGER: IF YOU SMELL GAS***

Do not try to light any appliance.

Do not touch any electrical switch; do not use any phone in your building.

Immediately call you gas supplier from a neighbor's phone. Follow the gas supplier's instructions.

If you cannot reach your gas supplier, call the fire department.

***WARNING: Fireplace Temperature***

**Due to high temperatures, the appliance should be located out of traffic and away from furniture and draperies.**

**Children and adults should be alerted to the hazards of high surface temperature and should stay away to avoid burns or clothing ignition.**

**Clothing or other flammable material should not be placed on or near the appliance.**

**Young children should be carefully supervised when they are in the same room as the appliance.** Toddlers, young children and others may be susceptible to accidental contact burns. A physical barrier is recommended if there are at risk individuals in the house. To restrict access to a fireplace or stove, install an adjustable safety gate to keep toddlers, young children and other at risk individuals out of the room and away from hot surfaces.

***WARNING: Screen Barrier***

A barrier designed to reduce the risk of burns from hot viewing glass is provided with this appliance and shall be installed.

If the barrier becomes damaged, the barrier shall be replaced with the manufacturer's barrier for this appliance.

Any safety screen, guard, or barrier removed for servicing the appliance, must be replaced prior to operating.

***WARNING: Glass Handling***

**The glass must ONLY be removed by an authorized &/or qualified installer.** The authorized technician should ONLY remove the glass with the glass vacuum holders supplied by the manufacturer. Lower the glass to rest in a safe place. This is to prevent damage to the glass edges.

Step 1. Prepare a safe place for the glass to rest.

Step 2. Remove the glass using the vacuum holder.

Step 3. The glass can now be rested safely.

***WARNING: Electrical Grounding***

These Direct Vent appliances must be electrically grounded in accordance with the local codes or, in the absence of local codes, with National Electric code, ANSI/NFPA 70, or the Canadian Electric Code, CSA C22.1.

***WARNING: Gas Appliance***

This appliance is only for use with the type of gas indicated on the rating plate. These appliances are not convertible for use with other gases, unless a certified kit is used and the conversion is performed by an authorized qualified technician.

Applicable standards are Vented Gas fireplace heaters ANSI Z21.88 / CSA 2.33a and gas-fired appliances for use at high altitudes CAN/CGA 2.17-M91.

***WARNING: Installation and Service***

Installation and repairs must be done by an authorized qualified installer service agency or gas supplier. The appliance should be inspected before use and at least annually by a professional service person. More frequent cleaning may be required due to excessive lint from carpeting, bedding material, etc. It is imperative that control apartments, burners and circulating air passageways of the appliance be kept clean.

Any alteration to the product that causes soot or carbon to form and results in damage is not the responsibility of the manufacturer.

In the case of models supplied with a door fitted in the frame of the heater, ONLY an authorized qualified installer may open this door. The end user must NOT open the door, as this may be unsafe and may result in voiding the manufacturer's warranty.

**ALL the warnings and instructions apply to ALL the models.**