

# GREEN WALL BASIC INSTALLATION TIPS

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*Our basic installation tips and suggestions are provided to help give guidance so that your green wall will look as realistic as possible.*

**HANGING** (a laser level is recommended to keep all panels level)

- **Back-mount using security hanging hardware.** Attach provided cleats and/or security hardware to back side of green walls in desired locations. **Be careful not to drill screws too deep** through the wood backing and into the top layer of manufactured moss fiber. Spinning screws can snag the moss material which can twist and tear the manufactured moss fiber.
- **Hanging with screws through front side of panels.** Pre-drilling and using appropriate screws/ anchors is recommended. Using scissors, be sure to cut a small space in the manufactured moss fiber prior to screwing. **IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO SEPARATE THE MOSS FIBER AND KEEP THE MOSS FIBERS AWAY FROM SPINNING SCREWS.** Spinning screws can snag the moss material which can twist and tear the manufactured moss fiber. The best location for screw placement is under lush botanicals and foliage. Leafy, fluffy, lush foliage will hide screw heads.

**LAYOUT** (a laser level is recommended to keep all panels level)

- The back side of each substrate/ shadow box is labeled indicating the direction, sequence and placement which relates to the 'front side visual'. Refer to the coordinating installation sketch if provided. When hanging multiple panels together, horizontally hang the bottom panels first and then continue hanging the next horizontal row on top of the first row. Continue this until all panels are hung. This will allow the bottom pieces to help support the weight of the top pieces, making installation easier and will aid in a better natural botanical growth pattern of overlaying.

**'FLUFFING' and manipulating foliage**

- After all panels have been installed, botanicals must be re-shaped due to packing, shipping and installation. Manipulate all parts of each plant so that they appear as they would naturally grow (flat leaves grow to sunlight, stems and vines not unnaturally straight, etc.). Remember that hanging stems/ vines in a green wall hang down over the plant below. And, the tip ends of vines grow up as if reaching for the sun and against gravity.

