

SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY. ALL DACOR APPLIANCES ARE DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED TO GIVE YOU MANY YEARS OF SAFE OPERATION. THE OPERATION WILL BE FURTHER ENHANCED IF PROPER CARE AND JUDGEMENT ARE EXERCISED IN THE USE AND MAINTENANCE OF THIS APPLIANCE.



**WARNINGS:**

Must be followed carefully to avoid personal injury or damage.



**NOTES:**

Contains helpful hints and tips.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

- Operating Instructions
- Care and Cleaning Instructions
- Safety Tips

**Please Read Before Using Your Hood**

Place Serial Number Label Here



Dear DACOR Consumer,

Congratulations! You have purchased the very latest in kitchen appliances. Your new DACOR product offers features, styling and performance not found in any other appliance.

Please read this manual before operating your new appliance. It is imperative that you read the IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS section and become familiar with the controls and procedures to understand the full potential of this product.

All DACOR appliances are designed and manufactured to meet the highest quality standards. Each unit is thoroughly tested. Should you have a problem, however, please first check the PROBLEM SOLVING section in this manual. This section contains a checklist of possible problems and solutions that may save you the time and expense of an unnecessary service call.

If you cannot readily find the solution to the problem, please contact your nearest DACOR Authorized Service Representative. In the unlikely event they are unable to solve your problem to your satisfaction, please contact DACOR Customer Service.

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DACOR Customer Service  
1440 Bridge Gate Dr.  
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Thank you for selecting DACOR for your home. We are dedicated to you and ensure that this appliance in your home will bring years of outstanding performance for your family and friends.

Sincerely,

S. Michael Joseph  
Chairman/CEO

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### Purpose of This Manual

This **Use & Care Manual** is designed to enable you to properly operate and maintain your new warming oven. Please keep this manual handy for easy access and quick reference.

Additional information may be requested by e-mailing, writing or phoning the DACOR Customer Service Department. The address and phone number of this department are listed on the inside front cover of this manual.

### What to Do

1. Begin by ensuring proper installation and grounding of the hood by a qualified technician. Have the installer show you where the fuse or junction box is located so that you know how and where to turn off power.
2. Always be certain that nothing will interfere with the vent intake.
3. Use the vent system for its intended purpose only as outlined in this manual.
4. Clean the filters and all grease-laden surfaces often to prevent grease fires and maintain performance.
5. If the cooktop and hood are near a window, use an appropriate window treatment. Avoid long drapes or other window coverings that could blow over the cooktop and hood, resulting in a fire hazard.
6. Always run the blower whenever a cooktop is operating.

### Product Registration



Please enter the information requested in the spaces provided below. This information will be required in the unlikely event that a service call becomes necessary:

Model No. \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date Purchased \_\_\_\_\_ Date Installed \_\_\_\_\_

Purchased From \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### What Not to Do

1. Never operate the hood without the filters in place.
2. Do not operate the blower if a flame or flare-up develops. In the event of a flame, immediately turn off the blower. Smother the flame or use an appropriate class dry chemical or foam-type fire extinguisher.
3. Never leave the appliance unattended when using high heat settings. Boil-overs and greasy spills may smoke and/or ignite.
4. Do not leave children alone or unattended in the area where the cooktop and vent are in use. Never allow children to sit or stand on an appliance. Do not let children play with a cooktop or vent.
5. CAUTION: Do not store items of interest to children above or at the back of the cooktop or vent, as they could climb on the appliance to reach items and be injured.
6. Do not repair or replace any part of the vent system unless specifically recommended in literature accompanying this appliance. All service should be referred to a qualified technician.
7. Do not use water on grease fires. A violent steam explosion may result. Also, avoid using wet potholders, sponges or clothes, as steam burn may occur.

### Operating Controls

The DACOR Epicure™ Hood has two knobs that control the function of the hoods Halogen lights and the exhaust blower.

Turning the knobs clockwise will turn on the lights and the blower. The blower has an infinite speed range between these settings.

#### OPERATING TIPS:

1. Activate the blower a few minutes before starting to cook to establish an airflow pattern in the room.
2. Adjust the fan speed according to the volume and weight of the cooking exhaust.
3. Always activate the blower whenever using the cooking appliance.
4. Eliminate air currents in the hood vicinity by shutting nearby windows and doors, turning off ceiling fans and closing adjacent heating and air conditioning outlets.
5. Place your largest pans, skillets and stock [pots on the rear burners whenever possible.

**If you received a damaged product, immediately contact your dealer or builder. Do not install or use a damaged appliance.**

### OPERATING DON'TS

Do not operate the vent system without the filters in place or with dirty, grease-laden filters.

### Energy Saving Tips

1. Do not operate the blower at a speed that is higher than necessary to remove the cooking exhaust. Running at excessive speeds removes more air from the inside of the house that must be replaced by outside air. This may be especially costly when the housing air conditioning or heating system is in operation.
2. Clean filters and grease-laden surfaces often to improve efficiency.
3. Turn off the blower as soon as all cooking smoke and odors have been eliminated.
4. Always use lids on cookware to retain heat and moisture.
5. Minimize the amount of liquid used to cook food.
6. Select cookware of the proper size, material and construction for the cooking task being performed.

### Care and Cleaning

Proper cleaning is necessary to maintain vent performance and appearance, while also ensuring safe operation. The frequency of cleaning should be adjusted according to the type and amount of cooking. Best results will be achieved by cleaning soiled components as soon as possible.

Filters must be cleaned regularly. Remove one filter at a time, grasp the filter handle and gently push back and pull the front down.

The filters may be cleaned by hand washing in hot water with a mild detergent solution or by placing them in an automatic dishwasher. Dry the filters completely before using them again.

STAINLESS STEEL, BRASS & CHROME SURFACES should be cleaned with a solution of mild detergent and warm water. Rinse and dry with a soft lint-free cloth.

CAUTION: If commercially available stainless steel cleaners are used, it is important to read the labels for chlorine compounds. Chlorine is a corrosive substance. If these compounds are present, rinse thoroughly and dry with a soft lint-free cloth.

Follow manufacturer's instructions for application of polish.

Always wipe stainless steel surfaces with the grain. Never wipe across the grain.

After cleaning, reinstall the filters carefully

### Changing the Light Bulb

The suction cup, part number 62408, supplied with the hood, is designed to assist in the removal and replacement of the halogen light bulbs, should they burn out. To remove a bulb, simply press the suction cup onto the face of the bulb and unscrew in a counter-clockwise direction (as you are facing the bulb). To install

the new bulb, start the new bulb in the socket in a clockwise direction by turning a few times by hand, then attach the suction cup to the face of the bulb and complete the installation. Keep the suction cup in a safe place for future maintenance.

For replacement lamps, contact your DACOR parts distributor and order part number 62351.

### Troubleshooting

Unnecessary service calls may be expensive, frustrating and time consuming. Before you call for service, please review the potential problems, possible causes and remedies shown in the table below.

Problem	Possible	Cause Remedy
1. Nothing works.	Vent power supply interrupted or not energized.	Have an electrician check power supply, including the house circuit breaker, wiring and fuses.
2. Lights do not turn on..	A loose or burned out light.	Check the light.

*Troubleshooting Guide*

### Product Maintenance

No maintenance, other than the **CARE AND CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS** identified in this **Use & Care Manual**, should be attempted by the owner/operator. All other maintenance and service must be performed by a qualified appliance technician.

### If You Need Service...

First, review the recommended checks listed in the preceding **Troubleshooting Guide**. Then, be certain that the appliance has been installed properly and is being operated correctly. Familiarize yourself with the warranty terms and conditions listed in the **PRODUCT WARRANTY** section.

If the above checks have been completed and the problem has not yet been remedied, call your local authorized DACOR service representative. Your dealer can normally provide the name and telephone number of the nearest service company.

DACOR works diligently to ensure your satisfaction when service is necessary. However, if you are not completely satisfied with the service provided, contact the company that performed the service and express why you are not pleased. Normally, they will be willing and able to resolve the problem.

If the service agency is not able to respond effectively, call or write the DACOR Customer Service Department. The phone number and address of this department are listed on the inside front cover of this manual. Please include your telephone number if you choose to write. We will then do our utmost to assure your happiness and satisfaction.

### What Is Covered

CERTIFICATE OF WARRANTIES  
DACOR WARMING OVENS

**WITHIN THE FIFTY STATES OF THE U.S.A., THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND CANADA\*:**

**FULL ONE-YEAR WARRANTY**

If your DACOR product fails to function within one year of the original date of purchase, due to a defect in material or workmanship, DACOR will remedy the defect without charge to you or subsequent users. The owner must provide proof of purchase, upon request, and have the appliance accessible for service.

\* Warranty is null and void if non-CSA approved product is transported from the U.S.

**OUTSIDE THE FIFTY STATES OF THE U.S.A., THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND CANADA:**

**LIMITED FIRST YEAR WARRANTY**

If your DACOR product fails to function within one year of the original date of purchase, due to a defect in material or workmanship, DACOR will furnish a new part, F.O.B. factory, to replace the defective part. All delivery, installation and labor costs are the responsibility of the purchaser. The owner must provide proof of purchase, upon request, and have the appliance accessible for service.

### What Is Not Covered

- Service calls to educate the customer in the proper use and care of the product.
- Failure of the product when used for commercial, business, rental or any application other than for residential consumer use.
- Replacement of house fuses or fuse boxes, or resetting of circuit breakers.
- Damage to the product caused by accident, fire, flood or other acts of God.
- Breakage, discoloration or damage to glass, metal surfaces, plastic components, trim, paint, or other cosmetic finish, caused by improper usage or care, abuse, or neglect.

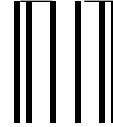
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Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, or do not allow the exclusion or limitation of inconsequential damages, so the above limitations or exclusions may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights that vary from state to state.

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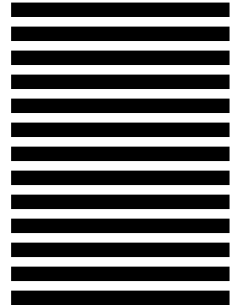


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PO BOX 6532  
DIAMOND BAR CA 91765-9861





Please visit [www.dacor.com](http://www.dacor.com) to activate your warranty online.

# WARRANTY INFORMATION



### IMPORTANT:

Your warranty for this product **CANNOT BE ACTIVATED** until this form has been returned to Dacor. If you have purchased more than one Dacor product, Please return all forms in one envelope.

Please rest assured that under no conditions will Dacor sell your name or any of the information on this form for mailing list purposes. We are very grateful that you have chosen Dacor products for your home and do not consider the sale of such information to be a proper way of expressing our gratitude!

(Please Print or Type)

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Purchase Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Dealer: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Your willingness to take a few seconds to fill in the section below will be sincerely appreciated. Thank you.

1. How were you **first** exposed to Dacor products? (Please check one only.)

- A. T.V. Cooking Show
- B. Magazine
- C. Appliance Dealer Showroom
- D. Kitchen Dealer Showroom
- E. Home Show
- F. Builder
- G. Architect/Designer
- H. Another Dacor Owner
- I. Model Home
- J. Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. Where did you buy your Dacor appliances?

- A. Appliance Dealer
- B. Kitchen Dealer
- C. Builder Supplier
- D. Builder
- E. Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. For what purpose was the product purchased?

- A. Replacement **only**
- B. Part of a Remodeled
- C. New Home
- D. Other \_\_\_\_\_

4. What is your household income?

- A. Under \$75,000
- B. \$75,000 – \$100,000
- C. \$100,000 – \$150,000
- D. \$150,000 – \$200,000
- E. \$200,000 – \$250,000
- E. Over \$250,000

5. For what purpose was the product purchased?

- A. Cooktop \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Oven \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Dishwasher \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Refrigerator \_\_\_\_\_

6. Would you buy or recommend another Dacor product?

- Yes
- No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you very much for your assistance. The information you have provided will be extremely valuable in helping us plan for the future and giving you the support you deserve.

