Aluminum Tray Installation Instructions

Examine materials to assure that the quantity and product is as ordered. Lay out all product components included in the shipping carton. The parts will comprise all necessary items to complete the installation; including aluminum tray, mounting clips, screws and end caps. One screw is required for each mounting clip; clips are installed 16" on center.

Determine the finished length of the aluminum tray prior to cutting. Using a miter saw with a fine tooth carbide tip blade cut the aluminum tray to its finished width at a 90° angle. This will help ensure a square edge.

Determine the finished height, top of the tray and side-to-side location for the tray on the wall. Snap a level chalk line 3/32" below the finished height. Line up the top of the steel mounting clips, i.e. the flat beveled side, to the chalk line. Mount using condition appropriate hardware, as noted above, 16" on center into the wall studs, wood blocking, or masonry. Toggle bolts or similar hardware may be substituted at locations where studs cannot be located. The clips should always be mounted with the angled side facing the ceiling while the rounded edge faces the floor.

To fasten the tray to the clips simply place the aluminum tray over the angled side of the steel clips; hold the face of the tray at a 45° angle from the wall. Hook the top back edge over the tops of the clips and apply downward pressure to lock the tray in place. The tray will then snap into a secure position.

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