



A HIGHER STANDARD OF SAFETY®

INSTALLATION GUIDE

Crystal® & Spectrum® Designer Baby Gate
Pressure Mount



For more information & FAQs visit: QdosSafety.com

Scan the QR code to watch the installation video!



Min. Opening
29.9"
(76 cm)



Max Opening with
2 Included Extensions
37.8" (96 cm). *48.8" (124
cm) w/Additional Extensions



Gate Height
30.3"
(77 cm)



PARTS LIST:



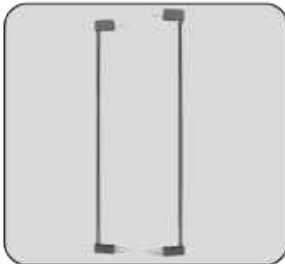
Crystal or Spectrum Gate, held together with zip tie-**DO NOT REMOVE ZIP TIE UNTIL AFTER STEP 12**



Hinge-Side Bottom Spindle Housing



Handle-Side Bottom Spindle Housing, with AccuInstall Indicator



2 Designer Extensions (1 Short for Hinge Side, 1 Tall for Handle Side)



Top Spindles with Adjustment Wheels



Bottom Spindles with Nuts



Quarter Round Spindles (Used instead of Bottom Spindles if installing over quarter round)



2 Adhesive Wall Cups for Bottom Spindles or Quarter Round Spindles



2 Adhesive Wall Cups for Top Spindles

PARTS LIST CONTINUED:



4 Short Wall Cup
Screws



4 Long Wall Cup
Screws



Installation Wrench



Magnetic Installation
Level with Marking
Tool



2 Allen Wrenches



Extra Long Barrel Nut
(Only used in Optional
Step 15)



Right Side & Left Side
One-Way Stop (Only
used in Optional Step
14)

At Qdos, we are committed to helping you keep your children safe from the dangers that lurk in a home.

IMPORTANT: Please read and follow the instructions carefully to ensure your gate is installed correctly.

IMPORTANT!

PLEASE FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY & KEEP FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

When installed between two strong and rigid surfaces and according to these instructions, this gate has been tested to meet or exceed the following Safety Standards: US- ASTM F-1004, Canada- SOR/2016-179, and European-EN 1930.

WARNING!

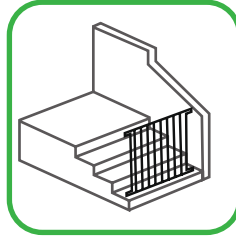
- Children have died or been seriously injured when gates are not securely installed.
- **ALWAYS** install with all required parts & use as directed.
- You **MUST** install wall cups to keep gate in place. Without wall cups, child can push out and escape.
- **STOP** using when a child can climb over or dislodge the gate.
- Use only with the locking mechanism securely engaged.
- **NEVER** use to keep child away from pool.
- Intended for use with children 6 months to 24 months.
- This product will not necessarily prevent all accidents. **NEVER** leave child unattended.
- Regularly check all hardware and do not use if any part of gate is broken or missing.
- **NEVER** step or climb over the gate, always open to pass through.
- For inside residential use only.
- **NEVER** use this gate at top of stairs as the bottom cross bar creates a tripping hazard.
- Fits openings 29.9-37.8" (76-96 cm). *48.8" (124 cm) with Additional Extensions, Sold Separately.
- Never leave the gate unlocked/open. Older children may play with the gate and get injured or damage the gate.

USE LOCATIONS

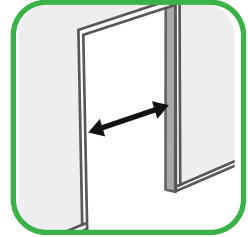
This gate is only intended to be used in openings/doorways or at the bottom of stairs and must be installed between two rigid surfaces. **NEVER USE ANY PRESSURE MOUNTED GATE AT THE TOP OF STAIRS!** The bottom cross bar creates a tripping hazard!



Top of Stairs



Bottom of Stairs



Inside Opening

OPENING SIZE AND EXTENSIONS

Inside Opening Size	Extensions Required	Accessories Needed	Extension Placement
29.9-32.3" (76-82 cm)	No	No	None Needed
32.3-35" (82-89 cm)	Yes, 1	No, Included	1 on Hinge Side
35-37.8" (89-96 cm)	Yes, 2	No, Included	1 on Hinge Side & 1 on Handle Side
37.8-40.6" (96-103 cm)	Yes, 3	Yes, 1 Designer Extension Kit	2 on Hinge Side & 1 on Handle Side
40.6-43.3" (103-110 cm)	Yes, 4	Yes, 1 Designer Extension Kit	2 on Hinge Side & 2 on Handle Side
43.3-46.1" (110-117 cm)	Yes, 5	Yes, 2 Designer Extension Kits	3 on Hinge Side & 2 on Handle Side
46.1-48.8" (117-124 cm)	Yes, 6	Yes, 2 Designer Extension Kits	3 on Hinge Side & 3 on Handle Side

IMPORTANT: Max 3 Extensions on each side for a total of 6 Extensions.

BEFORE YOU START: WALL CUPS

Nobody wants to make holes in their walls. At Qdos we do our best to minimize the impact of installation, but our main priority, which we hope you share, is to protect your children.

All baby gates will make some kind of mark after being used and anybody saying the opposite is simply not telling the truth. Our adhesive is removable and should only leave minor marks on the wall if removed according to the instructions. Then you'll just need to repair the screw holes. Your children's safety is worth it! After a few years with young children it's probably time for a fresh coat of paint anyway!

INSTALLING ON DOOR FRAMES OR WOOD FRAMED OPENINGS:

In **Step 7 and 11** attach the Adhesive Wall Cups with the **Short Screws**. If drilling a pilot hole, use a 3/32" (2 mm) drill bit.

INSTALLING ON DRYWALL OR WALLPAPER:

In **Step 7 and 11** attach the Adhesive Wall Cups with the **Long Screws**, ideally into a stud. If drilling a pilot hole, use a 3/32" (2mm) drill bit.

INSTALLING AT THE BOTTOM OF THE STAIRS ON BANISTERS:



Don't screw into your banisters! Use the **Qdos Universal Stair Mounting Adapter** (scan the QR code to purchase) that wraps around square banisters up to 4" or round banisters up to 5" in circumference. Then, use the Adhesive Wall Cups with the Small Screws in **Step 7 and 11**.

IMPORTANT: THIS GATE MUST BE MOUNTED/USED WITH BOTH THE INCLUDED ADHESIVE WALL CUPS PROPERLY INSTALLED, AND WITH SCREWS (SHORT OR LONG DEPENDING ON THE TYPE OF SURFACE AS DESCRIBED ABOVE).

INSTALLATION

IMPORTANT: Keep the zip-tie holding the handle to the frame in place until after **Step 12** to make installation much easier!



STEP 1: Insert the Hinge-Side Bottom Spindle Housing on the bottom of the HINGE SIDE of the gate. Next, insert the Handle-Side Bottom Spindle Housing with the AccuInstall® Indicator (Red Mark) into the bottom bar on the HANDLE SIDE of the gate.

NOTE: The Handle-Side Bottom Spindle Housing with AccuInstall Indicator will not push all the way in until fully installed with the appropriate pressure in **Step 9**.

If your opening is between 29.9" (76 cm) and 32.3" (82 cm), no extensions are needed and you can skip to **Step 3**. If your opening is wider than 32.3" (82 cm), see chart on **Page 5** for information on the quantity you need and their placement.



STEP 2: There are two extensions included with your gate, a Short Extension that goes on the Hinge Side, and a Tall Extension that goes on the Handle side. Always put the first extension on the Hinge Side, then alternate adding extensions on each side of the gate based on the chart on **Page 5**.



Insert Extension(s) into the Spindle Housings and push them all the way in, both at the top and bottom. **IMPORTANT:** When adding multiple extensions, DO NOT put them all on the same side. Refer to the chart on **Page 5** for correct placement.



STEP 3: Prepare the Top Spindles by spinning the Adjustment Wheels until they rest against the head of the Spindles. Repeat with the nuts on the Bottom Spindles, or if you're installing over Quarter Round, move the nuts from the Bottom Spindles to the Quarter Round Spindles and spin the nuts until they rest against the head of the Spindles.



STEP 4: Attach the Wall Cups to the Spindles. For the Top Spindles use the Adhesive Wall Cups with the 3M logo printed on the protective liner.

For the Bottom Spindles or Quarter Round Spindles use the plain white Adhesive Wall Cups.



STEP 5: Slide the Bottom Spindles or the Quarter Round Spindles into the Bottom Spindle Housing on each side.

Slide the Top Spindles with Adjustment Wheels into the upper hole of the Top Spindle Housing on each side.

TIP: Its easier to complete the next steps if you have a helper, one person to hold the gate in place while the other person installs.

Alternatively, if there is room to lay the gate down, position it with the Bottom Spindles in place where you want them to be installed.

IMPORTANT: THE BOTTOM CROSS BAR *MUST* BE INSTALLED FLAT ON THE FLOOR.



STEP 6: Remove the protective liners from the bottom Adhesive Wall Cups and move the gate into the installation location.

Extend the Bottom Spindles until each Bottom Wall Cup firmly sticks to the surface on both sides (if you are using the Quarter Round Spindles, make sure the Wall Cups stick to the surface above the quarter round).



Leaving the Wall Cups attached to the installation surface, push the Spindles back into the gate and temporarily remove the gate.



STEP 7: Now secure the Bottom Wall Cups with the included screws. When screwing into door frames, baseboards or wood framed openings, use the Short Screws.



STEP 8: Move the gate back into installation position, making sure the spaces on both sides are even. Use a tape measure to measure the gap between the gate frame, or extension, to the installation surface. **If the gap is more than 2.75" (7 cm), the gap is too wide, and another extension needs to be added.**



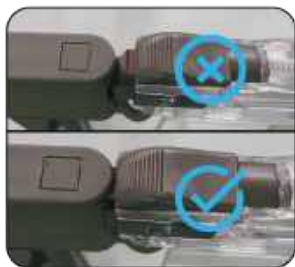
STEP 9: With the gate centered in the opening, extend the Bottom Spindles until they nest inside the Wall Cups. Turn the nuts on the Bottom Spindles by hand until they touch the gate, then fully tighten them using the Installation Wrench. Alternate between the sides until the red area inside the AccuInstall Indicator® disappears. This means the bottom of the gate is securely installed.



STEP 10: Remove the protective liners from the Top Adhesive Wall Cups. Hold the gate vertical and attach the Magnetic Installation Level to the gate. While confirming the gate is vertical, slide the Top Spindles out until the Top Wall Cups firmly stick to the surface and then slide the Top Spindles back into the gate.



STEP 11: Tilt the gate out of the way and attach the Top Wall Cups with the screws as described on [Page 6](#) based on your installation surface. When screwing into door frames or wood framed openings use the Short Screws. When screwing into a stud behind drywall, use the Long Screws.



STEP 12: While alternating between sides, adjust the tension with the Adjustment Wheels until the distance between the handle and the gate is 1/8" (3mm). When looking from the top, the red line on the locking tab should not be visible.

Now, remove the zip-tie holding the handle to the frame.



STEP 13: Check to ensure the gate opens and closes correctly. To open, slide the Locking Latch back and lift up the door at the same time. The door has a 'push to close' feature, so when pushed closed it should automatically lock and the At-A-Glance Indicator® will show Green, meaning it's safely locked. If the door doesn't lock when pushed close, fine tune the gap between the handle and the gate with the Adjustment Wheels on the Top Spindles.

NOTE: The gate intentionally requires a double action to open so children can't easily figure out how to open the gate.

IMPORTANT: Never leave the gate unlocked or open as older children may play with the gate which can cause personal injury or damage to the gate, voiding the manufacturer's warranty.

OPTIONAL ONE-WAY STOP



OPTIONAL STEP 14: If you only want the door to open in one direction, the optional One-Way Stop can be installed.



Use the Allen Wrenches to remove the socket screw and barrel nut closest to the At-A-Glance Indicator on the handle. There is a One-Way Stop for each side depending on which way you want to restrict the gate from opening. Position the One-Way Stop on the side of the gate that you want the door to open towards. The small lip fits under the bottom of the handle and the curved end faces toward the side rail. Use the socket screw you previously removed and replace the barrel nut with the Extra Long Barrel Nut to attach.

Please do not over tighten the screws!

MAINTENANCE & CLEANING

Check the gate regularly to ensure all the hardware is properly tightened and overall mounting is solid. To clean, use a mild soap and wipe with a damp cloth.

REMOVING THE GATE



To remove the gate, release the tension in the gate by unscrewing the Adjustment Wheels at the top of the gate and using the Installation Wrench to loosen the nuts at the bottom of the gate.

Use a piece of dental floss to carefully “saw” through the foam until the Wall Cups come off. For remaining residue, heat with a blow dryer and use a finger to rub it away. Repair the screw holes with wood or drywall putty.

QUESTIONS? NEED HELP?



Scan the QR code to watch the installation video. For more information and FAQs, go to QdosSafety.com. You can also contact our Customer Care team at support@qdos.zendesk.com or call 800-593-5522.

WARRANTY

Your Qdos product (purchased new from an authorized dealer) is warrantied to be free from manufacturing defects in material or workmanship for a period of 1 year from date of purchase, when used under normal conditions and in compliance with these instructions. Qdos will either repair, or at its option, replace free of charge, any parts necessary to correct any defect in material or workmanship during the warranty period.

OTHER POPULAR QDOS PRODUCTS

Crystal Hardware Mount Baby Gate



Contemporary look takes baby safety gate design to a new level with the clear, see through acrylic that will complement, not take away from your home décor.

Safe for installation at the top or bottom of the stairs. Adjusts to fit inside openings from 29.5" up to 39.5" wide. This baby gate cannot be used with extensions.

StayPut® Single & Double Outlet Plugs



Clean design that blends with the outlet cover and goes unnoticed by children. Secure StayPut Fit - Unlike other outlet plugs on the market, Qdos Outlet Plugs have an extra tight fit and beveled edges that prevent small fingers from grasping and removing them. Available in single and double, where one plug covers both outlets.

Outlet Cover Box



Trying to keep chunky charging blocks or oversized adapters plugged in while keeping your little ones safe can be a challenge! The Qdos Safety Outlet Cover Box blends in seamlessly with your home decor, thanks to its sleek and discreet design, and it can even be painted to match your wall color. The hidden interior lock is easy for adults to operate, while protecting your little ones from electrical hazards, ensuring peace of mind for you and safety for your family.

OTHER POPULAR QDOS PRODUCTS

Zero-Screw Furniture Anti-Tip Kit



According to CPSC, tipped furniture or a falling TV sends an injured child to the ER about every 30 minutes. Qdos developed the first of its kind patent pending Furniture Anti-Tip Kit that can be installed completely without screws, yet it still holds up to 200 lbs. Qdos SecureHooks® only make holes the size of a picture hook, minimizing damage to walls.

Adhesive Stove Guard



Protects not only from the front, but also from the sides, and it blends in with your kitchen design, rather than creating an eyesore. Adjustable width that attaches with our strong heat resistant adhesive to fit cooktops and most freestanding gas and electric stoves from 22.5" to 38.5" wide. Disassembles in seconds for temporary removal without the use of any tools.

Adhesive Fridge/Freezer Lock



Comes in both white and chrome to complement your kitchen décor, while keeping curious toddlers out of harm's way from glass containers, raw meat and other dangers that lurk in a refrigerator or freezer. The Qdos Adhesive Fridge/Freezer Lock fits double door refrigerators, with or without drawers, and is adjustable in depth to accommodate doors and drawers up to a thickness of 5.5". It does NOT fit single door refrigerators or freezers.



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