

Installation Instructions Shower Niches

FNIBN Series (Stainless Steel Finished) • **NI Series** (Raw Surface for Tiled In)



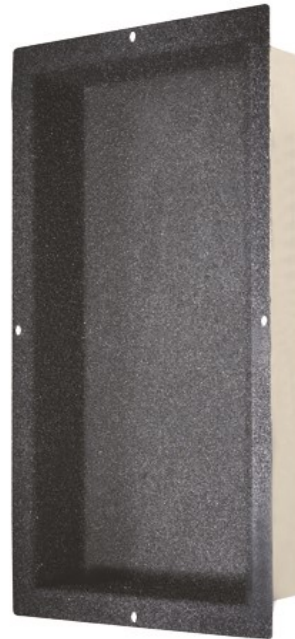
FNIBN Series
Available in:

59", 42" (Polished Satin)

36", 32", 24", 18", 14", 5"

(Polished Satin, Matte Black, Matte Gold)

*Glass shelf/shelves not included on
14" and 5" models*



NI Series
Available in:

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Please read all instructions carefully before starting the installation.

INSTALLATION

IMPORTANT: Recommended for professional installers only. The installer maintains responsibility for installing the product safely.

Dawn® Shower Niche Installation Instructions (for Stainless Steel Finished Niches)

PREPARATION

- Installation instructions are for reference only. Products should be installed by professionals only. Before installing any products in your new or remodeled home, please make sure that you are in compliance with all local plumbing codes and regulations.
- Please check the condition of the product and its components prior to installation. Some items may be missing or sold separately. If there is any problem with the product and/or its components, please contact the store you purchased it from for a replacement. When you have finished inspecting the product, please return it to its original packaging until you are ready to install.

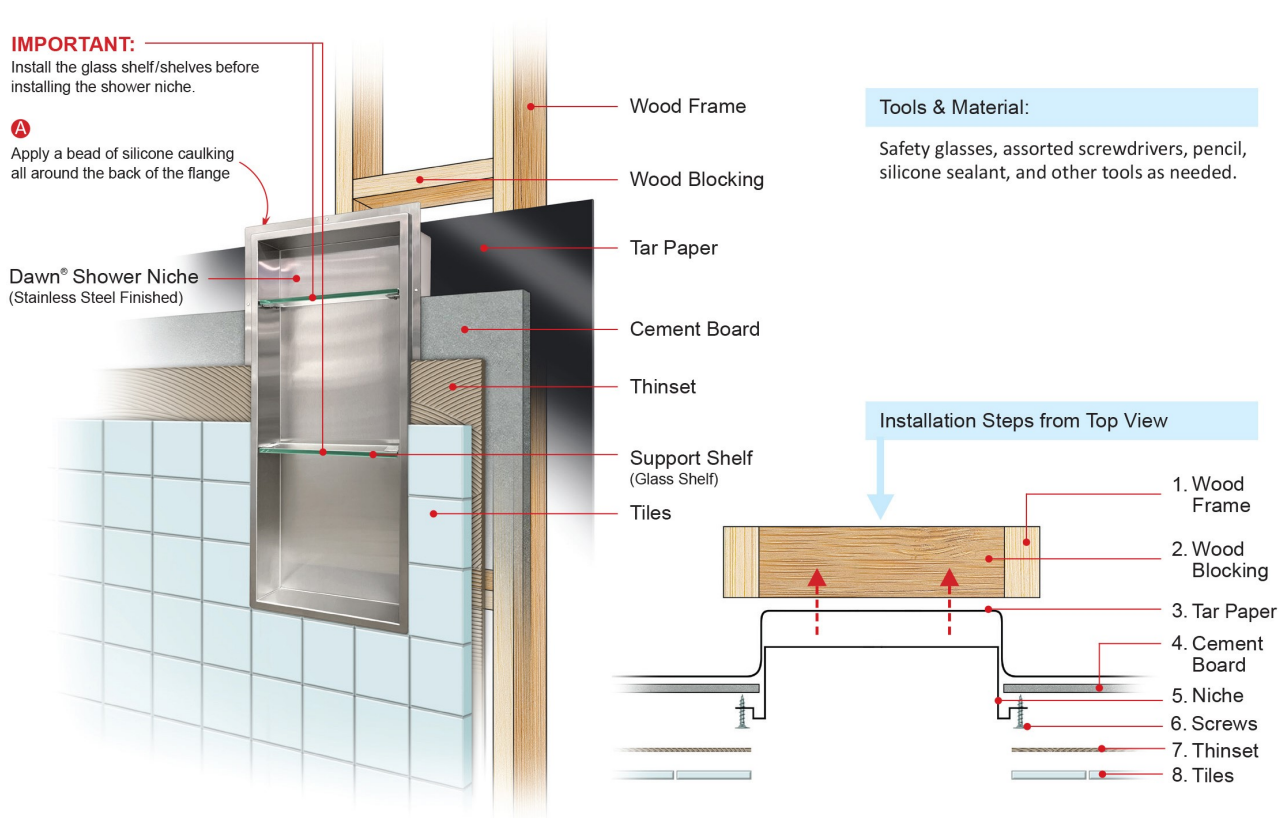
IMPORTANT:

Install the glass shelf/shelves before installing the shower niche.

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Dawn® Shower Niche
(Stainless Steel Finished)



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- Locate desired position. Level and build wood frame and wood blocking according to your Niche measurements. Install tar paper and cement board on your walls.
- Locate frame and place Niche against the cement board. Make sure the Niche is level. Proceed by tracing around Niche onto the cement board. Cut the traced portion allowing 1/4" along the outside for adjustments.
- Apply a bead of silicone caulking all around the back of the flange (see **A**) and place it in the cut out. Once you have made sure it is level, fasten the Niche by screwing it to the cement board.
- Spread thinset from flange to the cement board to ensure the wall is flat and smooth. The Niche is now ready for tile installation.

* Glass Shelf/Shelves are included for the 59" (3 pcs), 42" (2 pcs), 36" (2 pcs), 32" (2 pcs), 24" (1 pc), and 18" (1 pc) models.

* Drawings are for reference only. Please refer to actual product for exact size, shape and parts.

* Dawn reserves the right to make revisions in the design of products without notice for improvement of its performance and quality.

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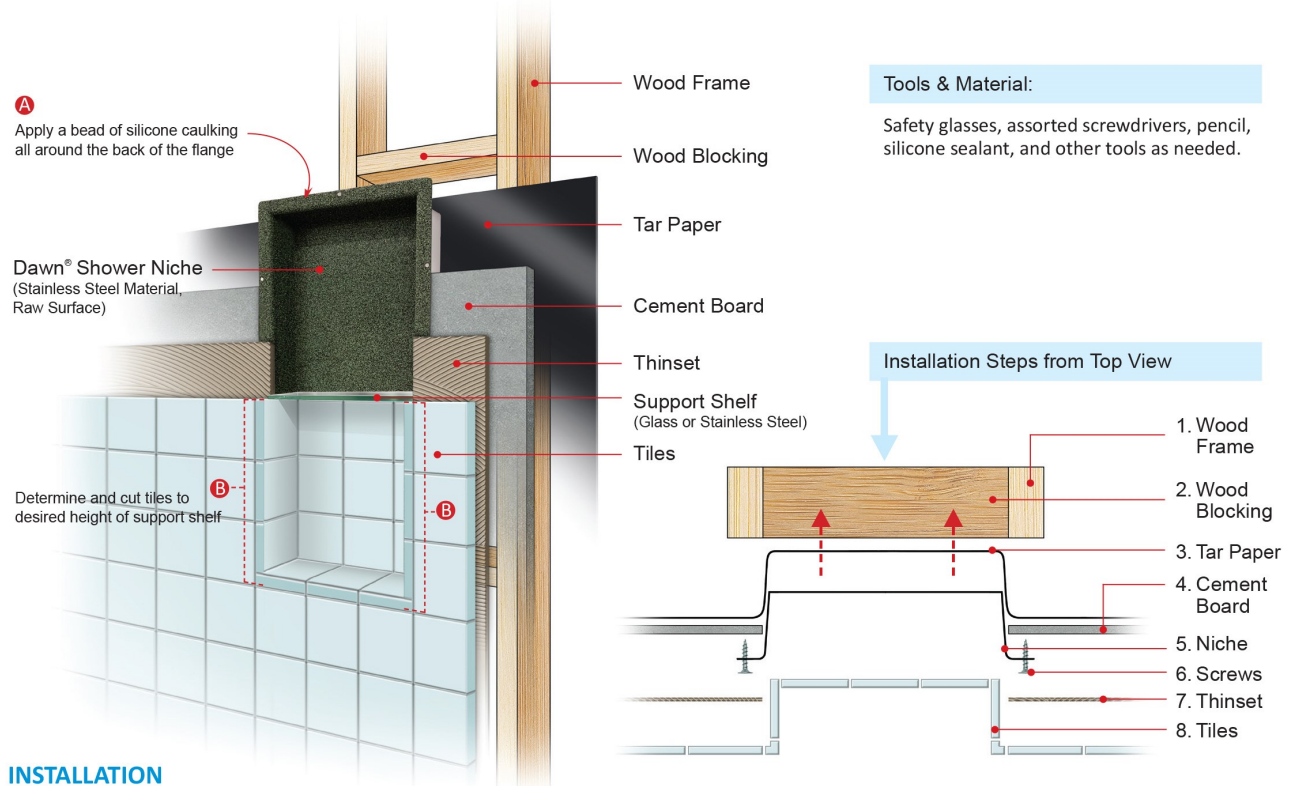
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(for Stainless Steel Material, Raw Surface Niches)

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TO INSTALL SUPPORT SHELF

- Determine and cut tiles to desired height of support shelf (see **B**). Place tiles and make sure you're satisfied with the height of the shelf.
- Once you are satisfied measure and cut the support tiles, make sure to allow space for grout joint at the bottom.
- Insert support shelf to ensure it fits against the back, is flush to the front and is level while resting on the back wall tiles and support tiles on both sides.
- Insert spacers under support tiles for grout/caulk joint. Place shelf on the tiles and begin tile installation.

LEGAL DISCLAIMER:

- This instruction guide is done as a public service to customers of Dawn Kitchen & Bath Products, Inc. ("Dawn"). For special situations or further assistance, please consult professionals.
- All products should be inspected by customers upon receipt and before any installation. Any defective product should be reported immediately and should NOT be installed.
- Requirements may vary for installation in a granite, marble, stone, or butcher block countertop.
- Installation by professional installers is highly recommended. Dawn assumes no liability for any damages incurred through the use of information provided in this guide.

CARE AND CLEANING

To maintain the product and to avoid possible damage:

1. Clean as and when required. Regular cleaning prevents scale buildup and water spotting.
2. To clean, flush with clean water and dry with a soft cloth.
3. To remove scale or water spots, only use cleaners made specifically for that purpose. Apply cleaners to cleaning cloths, pads, or sponges first; do not apply directly onto the product.
4. Do not allow any cleaning product to remain on your shower door for longer than necessary.
5. Do not use any abrasive cleaning products, such as scrubbing detergent, polisher, sand-cloth, paper tissue, or scrapper.
6. Do not use detergents or soaps that contain acid or that are undissolvable.
7. After cleaning, rinse thoroughly with clean water to remove any cleaner residue.



WARRANTY

Limited Lifetime Warranty

Dawn® warranties all of its products to be free from manufacturing defects in material and workmanship during normal residential use for as long as the original purchaser owns his or her home. This warranty only extends to the original consumer and this warranty is non-transferable. If any defect is found in normal residential use, Dawn® will, at its own election, repair, provide a replacement part of product, or make appropriate adjustment at no charge (excluding labor charges and other incidental or consequential costs). Damage to a product caused by accident, misuse, or abuse is NOT covered by this warranty. Improper care and cleaning will void the warranty. If Dawn® is unable to provide a replacement and repair cannot be made, Dawn® may elect to refund the purchase price to the original consumer purchaser in exchange for the return of the product. (IMPORTANT: The original consumer/purchaser should be responsible for inspecting products upon receipt. Any defective product should be reported immediately and should NOT be installed.)

DAWN® WARRANTIES DO NOT COVER, AND DAWN® DISCLAIMS ANY LIABILITY FOR:

1. Conditions or damage NOT resulting from defects in material or workmanship.
2. Conditions or damage resulting from:
 - Normal wear and tear, improper installation or maintenance, misuse, abuse, negligence, accident, moving (tipping) or alteration, scratches or handling damages.
 - Use of abrasive cleaning products or the use of the product in any manner contrary to the product instructions.
 - Conditions in the home such as excessive water pressure, water quality or corrosion.
3. Labor, shipping or other costs for removal, installation, replacement or return of product for warranty service.
4. Parts, accessories, connected materials or related products that are not manufactured by Dawn®.
5. Imperfections such as checks (small surface splits), pitch pockets (small dark holes), grain or darker mineral streaks are natural and are not considered defects.
6. An invoice number will be required for proof of purchase

Dawn® reserves the right to inspect any Dawn® product reported to be defective prior to any repair or replacement. Repair and replacement costs EXCLUDE shipping, labor, and consequential expenses.

To obtain warranty service, contact Dawn® either through your Dealer, Plumbing Contractor, Home Center or E-retailer, or by contacting Dawn® at the contact information listed below. Proof of purchase (original sales receipt) and description of problem must be provided with all warranty claims.

RETURN POLICY

You may only return new, uninstalled, or unused items sold and fulfilled by Dawn Kitchen & Bath Products, Inc. for a full refund within 30 days of delivery. Items must be returned in its original package. Returns of used items or returns after 30 days of delivery may be accepted with a 15% restocking fee. Dawn will pay for return shipping costs only if the return is a result of our fault. If you receive a faulty product and need to exchange it for the same product, please contact our customer service via phone, fax, or e-mail to request a replacement. If you would like to exchange a product for a different one, please first return the original product to our location at [27688 Industrial Blvd., Hayward, CA 94545](#) and then place a new order.

PARTIAL REFUNDS MAY BE GIVEN TO:

- Most of the items that are returned after 30 days of delivery
- Any item not returned in the condition it was delivered
- Any item that has obvious signs of use
- A 15% restocking fee will apply to all used items or items returned after 30 days of delivery.

ASKING FOR ASSISTANCE

Dawn Customer Service Department
27688 Industrial Blvd., Hayward, CA 94545
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