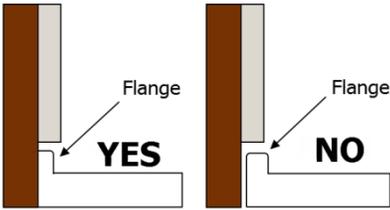




## INSTALLATION GUIDE FOR PIXO SHOWER WALLS

### PREPARATION

<p>1. Install shower base or bathtub as per manufacturer's instructions.</p>	<p>2. Make sure that shower base/bathtub is leveled in both directions.</p> 
<p>3. Install drywall, plywood or fibrocement panels on the studs. Make sure that the shower base/bathtub flange does not exceed.</p>  <div style="margin-left: 300px;"> <p>Legend</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><span style="display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px; background-color: #cccccc; border-radius: 50%; margin-right: 5px;"></span> Drywall, plywood or fibrocement panel</li> <li><span style="display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px; background-color: #800000; border-radius: 50%; margin-right: 5px;"></span> Studs</li> <li><span style="display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px; border: 1px solid #000; border-radius: 50%; margin-right: 5px;"></span> Shower base or bathtub</li> </ul> </div>	<p>4. Install water proofing membrane in each corner (i.e. Resisto 4" wide). Make sure to cover the flange with the membrane.</p> 
<p>5. Unpack and inspect the PIXO walls.</p>	

### CUTTING AND GLUING

<p>6. Measure and note the required dimensions for panels. To cut panels, use a straight edge and a utility knife (exacto) with a sharp blade :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Cut first layer of aluminium (4-5 knife passes)</li> <li>B. Place panel along the side of a table and fold along the cut line</li> <li>C. Fold and unfold the part you want to remove</li> <li>D. Sand the freshly cut edge at 45 deg (use a 120, 180 or 220 grid sand paper on a manual block).</li> </ol>	<p>7. Measure and mark all holes for plumbing fixtures. To drill the holes, use a step cone drill bit or a wood hole saw. For special cut, use a drywall cut-out tool.</p> 
<p>8. Place panel to its final location and check if panel dimensions are ok.</p>	<p>9. Clean panel and walls. Surfaces must be clean, dry, free of dirt and non-greasy.</p>

<p>10. Apply adhesive (silicone or PL Premium construction glue). Make a bead every 6" approximately.</p> 	<p>11. Place the bottom of panel first and then push gradually going up to glue it completely while allowing air to escape.</p>
<p>12. Repeat steps 6 to 11 with the remaining panels.</p>	<p><b>TIP :</b> For an alcove installation (3 walls), install the back panel first. Otherwise, back panel can damage the other 2 ones during its installation.</p>

## FINISHING

<p>13. Measure and cut vertical aluminium end J mouldings.</p>	<p>14. Add a few dots of silicone inside the J mouldings and install them at the end of panels. Remove any silicone excess.</p>
<p>15. Measure and cut corner moulding(s).</p>	<p>16. Apply a large bead of silicone all along the junction between two panels. Place corner moulding into it while it is still fresh. Push it until silicone comes out on each sides. Remove all excess (silicone finishing tool works well).</p>
<p>17. Measure and cut top moldings.</p>	<p>18. Apply a small bead of silicone on the back of the top moulding and glue it in place. Use masking tape to make sure it stays in place during silicone cure.</p>
<p>19. Clean bottom of each panel and shower base/bathtub. <b>TIP :</b> methyl hydrate (methyl alcohol, wood spirit, wood alcohol) works well to clean acrylic surfaces.</p>	<p>20. Apply a bead of silicone to seal the junction between bottom of panels and shower base/bathtub.</p>

### Notes :

- For 2 hours, avoid any activity than can contaminate fresh silicone (dust or dirt)
- Wait 24 hours before using the shower
- To clean PIXO walls, use the same products used to clean your shower base/bathtub (water/vinegar solution, Fantastik Original, Windex). Do not use abrasive products.

For any additional information, please contact us. We will be glad to answer your questions.

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