# CLOSET ROD INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

### **DETERMINE ROD PLACEMENT**

Determine the height at which you want to install the closet rod. Measure up from the floor and make a mark on one side wall inside the closet with a pencil. Determine the distance away from the wall at which you want to install the closet rod. A minimum of 10 inches is best, but it will depend on the size of your hanger. Adjust your mark so that it continues to be at the correct height and now at the correct depth. Repeat this process on the other side of the closet. If there is a shelf above the rod, determine the vertical distance from the rod to the shelf, two inches should be enough.

# **DRILL AND ATTACH WALL BRACKETS**

Determine if there is a stud behind the wall at the locations you marked. If there is a stud there, you can proceed with pre-drilling a hole for the bracket screw using a 1/4 inch drill bit. Attach the round-bracket to the wall using a two-inch wood screw. Repeat the process on the other side of the closet for the u-shaped bracket, making sure the open section is up. If there is no stud, you must install a drywall anchor, or 1 by 5 piece of wood screwed into the studs on the side walls. These will give you a solid base where you can attach your bracket. (Note: It is recommended to place supports every 16 inches.)

# **MEASURE. MARK AND CUT THE ROD**

Measure the distance from bracket to bracket. Then measure and mark the closet rod at that measurement. Double check your measurement before cutting the closet rod. If you accidentally cut the rod too short, it will be useless. Then cut the rod to size.

# **SLIDE ROD INTO BRACKETS**

Insert the rod into the round bracket first then slide the rod into the u-shaped bracket.

### **SUPPLIES:**

Tape measure Screws

Stud finder Wooden closet rod

Drill Saw

Drill bits Screwdriver

