

Thank you for your RoomDividersNow purchase! Instructions for installing your tension rod can be found below:

## STEP 1:



### 1. First, connect both portions of the tension rod.

- Slide/Twist the hollow tension rod tube over the silver connector piece until the rods are fully attached.
- Turn the hollow tension rod tube until the 2 holes near the end of the tube are lined-up over the screws in the silver connector piece.

## STEP 2:



### 2. Tighten the connection.

- Using the larger allen wrench found in your tension rod box, turn the 4 screws (already installed at your point of connection) clockwise until tight.
- Tightening the screws will expand the silver connector (inside the tension rod) providing a strong and sturdy connection between both sections of the rod.

## STEP 3:



### 3. Now that the tension rod is attached and ready to go, we'll begin to extend the rod.

- Locate the extension end cap of the tension rod and rotate the end cap counter-clockwise to begin expanding the rod.
- If you are having trouble expanding the tension rod, make sure you are turning the correct end of the rod that rotates counter-clockwise.

## STEP 4:



### 4. Extend the tension rod to a distance larger than the width of your space. For a strong hold, please make sure to extend the rod within the size ranges below:

- Spaces 120in to 130in wide, extend the tension rod 1.75in to 3in wider than your space.
- Spaces 130in to 140in wide, extend the tension rod 3in to 4in wider than your space.
- Spaces 140in to 150in wide, extend the tension rod 4in to 5in wider than your space.
- Please note: the tension rod may bend if the rod is extended beyond the size ranges provided above.

## STEP 5:



### 5. To hang a curtain or room divider from your rod:

- Grab the smaller allen wrench from your tension rod box.
- Use the allen wrench to loosen (but don't remove) the set screws, on one of the end caps, just enough to remove the end cap from the rod.



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## STEP 6:



**6. Now slide your curtain or room divider over the tension rod.**

- After the curtain has been fully loaded onto the rod, place the end cap back on the rod and tighten each set screw with the small allen wrench.

## STEP 7:



**7. Now you are ready to install your tension rod.**

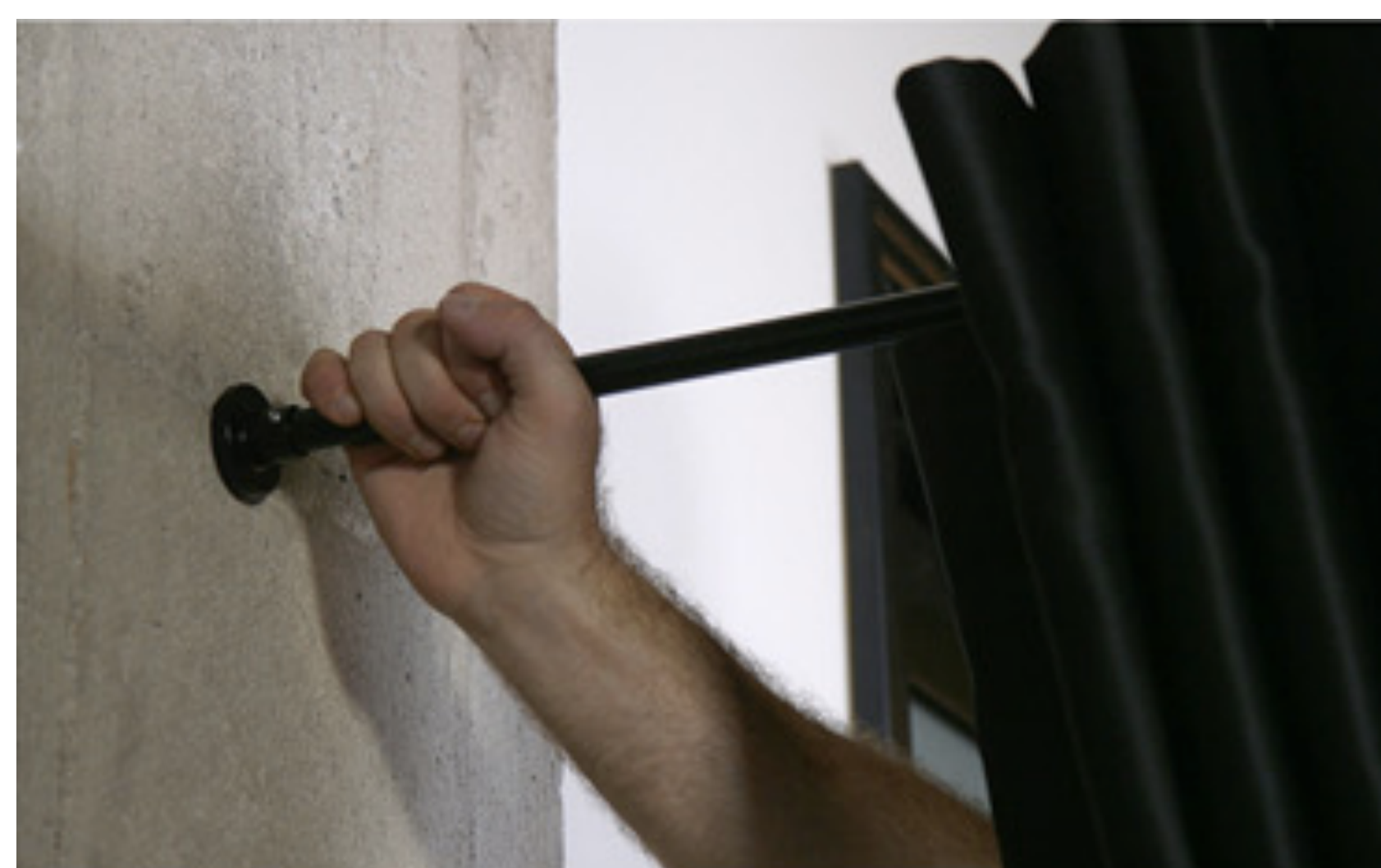
- Tension rods can be installed by 1 person but it can also be helpful to have a second person assist with the setup.

## STEP 8:



**8. Place one end of the rod at the desired position on the opposite wall. Push the rod against the opposite wall with enough force to cause the rod to reduce in size. You can then bring the end closest to you up to it's final position and release.**

## STEP 9:



**9. Make sure the rod has enough tension to stay firmly in place but not so much tension that might cause the rod to bend. You can increase or decrease the tension by turning the rod while still pressing the other end against the opposite wall.**

- When the tension is properly set, the rod will hold firmly in place. If the rod slips on the wall, it needs more tension and you should lengthen the rod a bit more.

## STEP 10:



**10. And there you have it! A tension rod setup in no time!**



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