

Shower Caddy Usage and Care Guide

Thank you for choosing our shower caddy. To ensure safe use, organized storage, and extended service life, please read and follow these instructions and care recommendations carefully.

1. Important Safety Instructions

- **Handle with Care:** Avoid dropping, hitting, or subjecting the caddy to strong impacts, as this may damage structural components, shelves, or hanging mechanisms. When moving or adjusting the caddy, use a secure grip to prevent slips, breakage, or spills of stored items.
- **Proper Placement:** Install or position the caddy on a stable, level surface or secure it to a suitable shower fixture (e.g., rod, wall) following standard mounting guidelines. Keep it away from sharp objects, high-heat sources, and direct sunlight for prolonged periods to prevent material degradation, warping, or discoloration. Ensure the placement area is well-ventilated to minimize moisture buildup.
- **Weight Limit Compliance:** Do not exceed the recommended weight capacity. Overloading—such as placing excessively heavy bottles or tools—may cause the caddy to detach, bend, or break, leading to safety hazards or damage to stored items.
- **Child and Pet Safety:** Keep the caddy and its contents out of reach of unsupervised young children and pets. Prevent access to small or loose parts (if applicable) to avoid choking hazards, and ensure children/pets do not pull on the caddy or stored items to avoid detachment or injury.

2. Usage Instructions

2.1 Preparing for Installation/Use

- **Surface/Fixture Preparation:** Before installation, clean the target surface or fixture thoroughly with a dry cloth to remove dust, soap scum, or moisture. Ensure the surface is completely dry and stable to ensure secure mounting (whether adhesive, hanging, or hardware-based).
- **Initial Inspection and Cleaning:** Check the caddy for any visible damage (e.g., cracks, loose shelves, or defective mounting components) before use. Wipe the caddy gently with a soft, dry cloth to remove dust accumulated during storage. For washable materials, rinse with mild soapy water and dry thoroughly to ensure hygiene.

2.2 Using the Shower Caddy

- **Organizing Items:** Place shower essentials (e.g., shampoo bottles, soap, loofahs) evenly across the caddy's shelves or compartments. Distribute weight evenly to maintain stability—place heavier items on lower shelves and lighter items on top. Avoid storing sharp, abrasive, or corrosive substances unless the caddy is specifically designed for such use.
- **Proper Handling:** Retrieve and replace items gently to avoid knocking over the caddy or spilling contents. Do not use the caddy as a handle or support for body weight, as this may compromise its structure or mounting.

2.3 Daily Maintenance

- **Regular Inspection:** Periodically check the caddy's stability, mounting security, and structural integrity. If signs of loosening (e.g., wobbling, gaps between the caddy and surface/fixture) are detected, re-secure the caddy immediately or adjust its position.

- **Surface and Caddy Cleaning:** Wipe the caddy with a damp cloth daily to remove soap scum, water spots, or residue. Empty any standing water from shelves or compartments to prevent mold, mildew, or mineral buildup.

3. Cleaning and Care Tips

3.1 Material-Specific Care

- **Metal (Stainless Steel, Aluminum, etc.):** Wipe with a soft cloth and mild detergent. Dry immediately after cleaning to prevent water spots, rust, or corrosion (if not rust-resistant). Avoid steel wool, abrasive cleaners, or harsh chemicals that can scratch or dull the surface.
- **Plastic/Resin:** Clean with warm, soapy water and a non-abrasive sponge. Rinse thoroughly and dry—avoid harsh solvents or abrasive tools that may discolor, weaken, or scratch the material. For tough soap scum, gently scrub with a soft brush.
- **Mesh/Wire (if applicable):** Use a soft-bristled brush to remove debris from gaps. Wipe with a damp cloth and mild soap, then air dry completely to prevent moisture buildup.
- **Fabric/Textile (if applicable):** If removable, clean according to the material's care instructions (e.g., hand wash with mild detergent). Air dry completely before reattaching to the caddy—avoid direct sunlight or heat sources.

3.2 Stain and Odor Removal

- **Stains:** For soap scum, hard water stains, or organic stains, use a paste of baking soda and water to gently scrub the affected area. Rinse thoroughly and dry. For metal surfaces, a mixture of equal parts white vinegar and water can help remove mineral deposits—wipe with a cloth dampened in the solution, then dry.
- **Odors:** If the caddy develops unwanted odors (e.g., from moisture or damp items), sprinkle baking soda on shelves or inside compartments (when dry), let sit overnight, then wipe or rinse clean. For persistent odors, air the caddy in a well-ventilated area outside the shower.

3.3 Storage (for Uninstalled or Seasonal Use)

- **Pre-Storage Preparation:** Thoroughly clean and dry the caddy to prevent mold, mildew, or rust. Disassemble (if possible) to save space and avoid moisture buildup in hard-to-reach areas.
- **Protective Storage:** Store in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and high humidity. Wrap fragile components (if any) in soft cloth to avoid scratches or damage. Keep mounting hardware organized in a sealed container to avoid loss.

4. Troubleshooting

- **Loose Mounting:** If the caddy becomes loose, clean the surface/fixture and reapply adhesive (for self-adhesive models) or tighten mounting hardware (if applicable). If the mounting surface is damaged, relocate the caddy to a stable surface/fixture or repair the area before re-installing.
- **Mold or Mildew:** Clean the affected area with a mixture of equal parts white vinegar and water, then allow to air dry completely. For porous materials, repeat the process if mold persists. If mold growth is extensive, discontinue use to avoid health risks.

- **Rust (Metal Caddies):** Gently scrub rust spots with a baking soda and water paste, rinse, and dry thoroughly. For extensive rust or rust that compromises the caddy's structure, discontinue use and replace the product.
- **Cracks or Breakage:** If the caddy cracks, bends, or breaks, remove it immediately and discard. Do not attempt to repair a damaged caddy, as it may not support weight safely.

5. Disposal

- **Recycling:** Dispose of the caddy according to local recycling regulations. Metal and plastic components are typically recyclable at designated facilities. Separate non-recyclable parts (e.g., worn adhesive, fabric components) and dispose of as general waste.
- **Donation:** If the caddy is unused or still in good condition, consider donating it to a charity, shelter, or secondhand store instead of discarding.

Thank you for choosing our product. We hope it brings organization and convenience to your shower routine. If you have any further questions or need assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our customer service team.