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# AH-600

### **Baseboard Heater**

## **Owner's Manual**





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# IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING THIS HEATER WHEN USING ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, BASIC PRECAUTIONS SHOULD ALWAYS BE FOLLOWED TO REDUCE RISK OF FIRE, ELECTRICAL SHOCK AND INJURY TO PERSONS OR PROPERTY, INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING:

When switching on the appliance for the first time, allow it to run at full power for about two hours to get rid of the unpleasant smell. Make sure that the room in which the appliance is located is well ventilated during this operation. It is normal for the appliance to emit small cracking sounds when you turn it on for the first time.

- I. Read all instructions before using this heater.
- 2. This heater is hot when in use. To avoid burns, do not let bare skin touch hot surfaces. Use the handle (if provided) when moving the unit. Keep combustible materials, such as furniture, pillows, bedding, papers, clothes and curtains at least 3ft. (0.9 meters) from the front and top of the heater and keep them away from the sides and rear. Keep the rear grille away from walls or drapes so as not to block the air intake.
- 3. Extreme and supervision are necessary when any heater is used near children or pets and whenever the heater is left operating and unattended.
- 4. Always unplug heater when not in use.
- 5. Do not operate any heater with a damaged cord or plug, after the heater malfunctions, or has been dropped or damaged in any manner. Return the heater to an authorized service facility for examination, electrical or mechanical adjustment or repair.
- 6. Do not use outdoors.
- 7. This heater is not intended for use in any area where there is standing water. Never locate heater where it may fall into a bathtub or other water container.
- 8. Do not run cord under carpeting. Do not cover cord with throw rugs, runners or similar items. Do not route cord under furniture or appliances. Arrange cord away from high traffic areas where it will not be tripped over.
- 9. To disconnect the heater, turn controls to OFF, then remove the plug from the outlet.
- 10. Connect to properly polarized outlets only.
- II. Do not insert or allow foreign objects to enter any ventilation or exhaust opening as this may cause electric shock, fire or damage to the heater.
- 12. To prevent possible fire, do not block air intakes or exhaust in any manner. Do not use on soft surfaces like a bed, where openings may become blocked.
- 13. A heater has hot, arcing or sparking parts inside. Do not use it in areas where gasoline, paint or flammable liquids are used or stored.

- 14. Use this heater only as described in this manual. Any other use not recommended by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock, injury to persons or other damage to property.
- 15. To prevent overload and blown fuses, be sure that no other appliance is plugged into the same outlet or into another outlet wired into the same circuit.
- 16. It is normal for the heater's plug and cord to feel warm to the touch. A plug or cord which becomes hot to the touch or becomes distorted in shape may be a result of a worn electrical outlet. Worn outlets or receptacles should be replaced prior to further use of the heater. Plugging heater into a worn outlet may result in overheating of the power cord or fire.
- 17. Ensure the heater is on a stable, secure surface to eliminate the potential of tipping it over.
- 18. Be sure that the plug is fully inserted into appropriate outlet. Please remember that outlets also deteriorate due to aging and continuous use: check periodically for signs of overheating or deformation of the plug. Do not use the outlet and call your electrician.
- 19. Check that neither the appliance nor the power cable has been damaged in any way during transportation.
- 20. Make sure that no pieces of polystyrene or other packaging material have been left between elements of the appliance. It may be necessary to pass over the appliance with a vacuum cleaner.
- 21. Always plug heater directly into a wall outlet/receptacle. Never use with an extension cord or relocatable power tap (outlet/power strip).

**CAUTION**: This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.

# ${\rm I}$ Caution: to prevent electric shock, match wide blade of plug to wide slot, fully insert. Save these instructions

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## GETTING TO KNOW YOUR HEATER



**NOTE:** There may be a trace of smoke or odor when unit is first operated. Do not be alarmed. This indicates that a drop of oil fell on the heating coil during the manufacturing process. It will quickly evaporate and should not re-occur.

### OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Be sure to plug into a 120 V AC, 60 Hz outlet.

I. Turning unit ON/OFF



a. Press the button once and rotate the mode knob once: the heater will be on at the low output setting and the "LOW" indicator will light. At this setting, the heater output is 750 W.



b. Press the W button again to turn heater off.

#### 2. Select working MODE: You can select the mode by rotating the mode knob.

- a. (LOW) **MODE**: heater will work continuously and the output will be 750 W at all times.
- b. M(HIGH) **MODE**: heater will work continuously and the output will be 1500 W at all times.

### c. Comfort Setting mode (64°F, 70°F, 75°F):

Rotate mode knob to your desired temperature. There are three distinct

settings:  $64^{\circ}F$ ,  $70^{\circ}F$  and  $75^{\circ}F$ . In this mode, the heater will automatically select the output power to accommodate your temperature setting. When the room air temperature reaches your desired temperature, the unit will automatically lower the output power to maintain your space at the desired temperature.

- I. Room temp less than Setting temp, output power is 1500 W at all times.
- 2. Setting temp equal to Room temp less than Setting temp +2°F, output power changes from 1500 W to 750 W
- 3. Setting temp + 2°F equal to Room temp, heater will stop heating.

### 3. AUTO-OFF TIMER (Gand Dutton)

When the heater is in use, you can set the timer for turning off the unit. Press

the  $\bigcirc$  or  $\bigcirc$  button to set the timer between 0.5 and 7.5 hours in 0.5 hour intervals. When the time runs out, the heater will turn off automatically.

**Overheat shut-off protection system**: Your heater includes a protection system that shuts off the heater if it overheats for any reason.

**Environment air overheat protection system:** This heater will automatically shut off if the environment air becomes overheated.

# CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

- I. Before any cleaning, make sure that:
  - a. Heater is turned OFF
  - b. Power supply is disconnected by removing plug from power outlet.
- 2. Regular cleaning:
  - a. Interior dust can often be removed by using a vacuum cleaner with a crevice tool attachment.
  - b. Do not spray cleaning liquid or other chemicals on the unit.
  - c. To clean enclosure, use a clean, soft and damp cloth to gently wipe off the dirt from the surface of the unit. Be sure not to wet the heating element and the switches. Allow the unit to dry completely before using it.

# **CAUTION:** DO NOT ALLOW WATER TO RUN INTO THE INTERIOR OF THE HEATER AS THIS COULD CREATE A FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK HAZARD.

# STORAGE

- I. Perform the cleaning procedures described in "Cleaning and Maintenance" above
- 2. Wipe all parts dry
- 3. Pack the heater in a plastic bag and store it in a cool, dry place

**WARNING**: Any other servicing needed must be performed by an authorized service representative. Do not attempt to service the unit yourself.

#### Product Specifications

Model No.: AH-600 Voltage: 120V, 60Hz Current: Maximum continuous draw: 12.5 amps Output: 5120 BTU Power: 1500 Watts Enclosure: Metal Body; Plastic end cover

### TROUBLESHOOTING

If your heater fails to operate, please follow these procedures:

Problem	Probable Cause	Solution
Unit is not heating.	Overheat protection has temporarily deactivated the heater.	Turn the heater OFF; unplug it and ALLOW IT TO COOL. Inspect and remove any objects on or adjacent to the heater. Wait 30 minutes before plugging unit back in.
	Room temperature has been warmed up to thermostat setting.	To increase the room temperature, adjust MODE control knob to a higher setting by turning clockwise.
	Heater is not plugged into a 120V grounded outlet/receptacle.	Ensure unit is in OFF position. Plug in unit and attempt to turn on again.
	Breaker/Fuse has been tripped.	<ul> <li>Check your electrical box to confirm the breaker has not been blown. This may occur if the receptacle is shared between other high consumption appliances.</li> <li>Ensure unit is in the OFF position. Plug in unit and attempt to turn on again.</li> </ul>
The heater is producing a burning smell.	A drop of oil fell on the heating coil during the manufacturing process. It will quickly evaporate and should not occur again.	Ensure room in which heater is situated is well ventilated.
	Check & ensure there are no combustible materials within 0.9 meters (3 feet) surrounding the heater.	Remove any combustible items from the heater.
	Ensure a minimum clearance of 5.5 inches (14 cm) from both sides and rear of heater to adjacent walls.	Reposition the heater so there is enough space around the heater to the adjacent walls.

#### PLEASE DO NOT ATTEMPT TO OPEN OR REPAIR THE HEATER YOURSELF. DOING SO COULD CAUSE DAMAGE OR PERSONAL INJURY.

# LIMITED MANUFACTURER'S

This appliance is covered by a limited manufacturer's warranty. For one year from the original date of purchase, the manufacturer will repair or replace any parts of this appliance that prove to be defective in materials and workmanship, provided the appliance has been used under normal operating conditions as intended by the manufacturer.

#### Warranty Terms:

During the first year, any components of this appliance found to be defective due to materials or workmanship will be repaired or replaced, at the manufacturer's discretion, at no charge to the original purchaser. The purchaser will be responsible for any removal or transportation costs.

#### Warranty Exclusions:

The warranty will not apply if damage is caused by any of the following:

- Power failure
- Damage in transit or when moving the appliance
- Improper power supply such as low voltage, defective household wiring or inadequate fuses
- Accident, alteration, misuse or abuse of the appliance such as using nonapproved accessories, inadequate air circulation in the room or abnormal operating conditions (extreme temperatures)
- Use in commercial or industrial applications
- Fire, water damage, theft, war, riot, hostility or acts of God such as hurricanes, floods, etc.
- Use of force or damage caused by external influences
- Partially or completely dismantled appliances

### **Obtaining Service:**

When making a warranty claim, please have the original bill of purchase with purchase date available. Once confirmed that your appliance is eligible for the warranty service, all repairs will be performed by a NewAir<sup>TM</sup> authorized repair facility. The purchaser will be responsible for any removal or transportation costs. Replacement parts and/or units will be new, re-manufactured or refurbished and is subject to the manufacturer's discretion.

For technical support and warranty service, please call <u>1-855-9Newair</u> or email <u>support@newair.com</u>.