INSTRUCTIONS FOR SLAB DOOR INSTALLATION (NON PRE-HUNG DOOR)

See a guide for how to install a door that is not pre-hung. See a Slab Door Installation using The Quick Door Hanger. View directions and video for the installation of a door and door jamb that is not pre-hung. If installing just a slab door, and not a new jamb,



STEP 1:

Draw a Level, click for video

Mark 1/2" in from rough opening on the hinge side of door. Using a 6' or 4' level, draw a LEVEL line down the drywall 1/2" in from rough opening.



STEP 2:

Assemble the Door Jamb

Using the proper door size measurements, assemble the door jamb. If needed, router in the clearances for the door hinges in the proper locations.



STEP 3:

Screw the Installation Brackets to the Door Jamb

Screw all 6 (or more) brackets to the door jamb. Place 1 behind each of the hinges. Then Screw the remaining brackets to the other side of the jamb, the first 8" from the top of the door. The second, just above the latch stop and the third door bracket about 6" up from the bottom of the door. If installing the door before drywall is installed, click here.



STEP 4:

Place the Door Jamb into the Rough Opening

Before placing the door into the opening, place 1/2" blocks under the door jamb if carpet is going to be installed or 1/4" if laminate; never place the door jamb directly on an unfinished floor. Then place the door jamb into the rough door opening. On the hinge side of the jamb, screw in the top installation bracket. Take note of which alignment notch on the bracket the level line goes through. Now fasten the next 2 brackets using the same reference notch as the first. The door will now be perfectly level. Do NOT fasten the brackets on the other side of the door until STEP 7.



STEP 5:

Attach the Door Hinges

Attach the door hinges to the slab door.



STEP 6:

Mount the Door Hinges to the Door Jamb

Place the door into the door opening. Screw in the door hinges into the door jamb. You may need someone to hold the door during this step.



STEP 7:

Adjust the Reveal (Gap between Door and Door Jamb) around the Door

On the side opposite the hinges, start on the top Quick Door Hanger bracket. Check the reveal on the top of the door all the way around to the bracket when screwing in the top Door Hanger. Now keep this reveal as you move down the door and fasten the final brackets. The Door is now installed and the blocks can be removed from under the door jamb. The Door Casing (trim) can now be installed. The casing will perfectly conceal the installation brackets for a perfect professional look.