

## IF SOMETHING GOES WRONG

Refer to your homeowner's manual for specific instructions regarding your particular concerns. You should have your warranty information, including serial number and model number, and a list of questions, before you call. Keep a telephone log of all communications.

## GARBAGE DISPOSALS

Citrus fruits work well to neutralize odors. Just put the peels in the garbage disposal and allow them to sit there overnight. The following morning, use the disposal to chop up the rinds. A good rule to follow is to not put anything in the disposal that you would not eat.

## CABINETS

To revitalize dull finishes, wipe cabinets down with a damp cloth and a product such as Murphy's Oil Soap or Old English. Doing this twice a year will help keep the cabinets looking new.



## COUNTER TOPS

To hide scratches, use a buffing compound with a soft cloth. Although this will not completely remove the scratch, it will make it less noticeable.

## FLOORING AND CARPET CARE

Ice will harden gum and Play-Doh that is stuck in carpeting, making it easier to remove. Placing mats at all exterior doors will decrease the amount of dirt and grit that is tracked into the home. This helps reduce the number of scratches on the floor.

## SHOWER WALLS

Use a clear paste wash on shower stalls to prevent watermarks. Also, using a squeegee on the walls after each shower will help them look cleaner longer.



## WINDOWS

Lubricate the track of the window with silicone spray, such as WD-40, this will make opening and closing the windows much easier.

## LIGHTING

When exterior brass lights begin to tarnish, use car wax paste to regain the luster.

## CONCRETE

To protect exterior concrete steps from damage from salt, seal steps with a concrete sealer, which can be purchased at any local hardware store. Follow manufacturer's instructions.

## GUTTERS

When water overflows the sides of the down spouting, this indicates that there is something obstructing its flow. The blockage will have to be removed for water to flow freely through the downspout.

## CONDENSATION LINE

This should be checked for blockage at least twice a year to avoid backup.