



# **EQUIPMENT - MICROWAVE**

## **INTRODUCTION**

We recommend industrial brand of microwave; instructions & procedures should be based on the model in use. All commercial Microwaves use a timer in their standard operating mode; and most are programmable.

## **PARTS & FUNCTIONS**

### **Part Function**

- Door handle: To open and close the door during operation.
- Air intake filter: To ensure clean air flows into the Microwave.
- Splatter shield: Keep the top of microwave cavity and antenna from becoming soiled.
- Control panel: Display cooking time, programming, and any error message.
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## **SET UP**

- Wash and Sanitize Hands
- Safety check:
  - Inspect Microwave for damages such as dents in door or inside the cavity.
  - Remove all materials form Microwave interior.
  - Place Microwave as far as possible from radio, television etc.
  - Ensure air Intake filter is in place.

## **Placement of Microwave:**

- Do not install Microwave next to or above source of heat such as fryer.
- Do not block or obstruct Microwave filter. Allow access for cleaning.
- Install Microwave on level tip countertop surfaces.
- Microwave should be located near the plug where it is placed.
- Allow at least 3.8cm (1.5 inches) around top, sides and between back of Microwave and back wall. This is to ensure proper air flow around the Microwave.



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## **Cleanliness:**

- Check to make sure door and sealing surfaces are clean.
- Make sure that no residue remains in Microwave cavity.

## **OPERATING**

- Wash and Sanitize Hands
- Load product:
- Pull to open the door. Display will show 'DOOR'.
- Load product into the microwave oven.
- Close door. Display will show 'READY'.

## **Start cooking cycle:**

- Select correct program button. Display will show the heating timer.
- Then press 'START'. The panel will display timer counting down.

## **End of cooking cycle:**

- At the end of cooking cycle, buzzer will beep, and the display will show "DONE."
- Open the door.
- Take out the product.
- Close the door.

## **Power failure:**

- If there is a power failure, the unit will return to start status.
- The previous cooking program will be cancelled.
- Discard the product and load a new batch.
- Press 'START' to start new cooking cycle.

## **CLEANING AFTER EACH USE**

- Remove any product residue from inside the oven.
- Wipe inside the oven using a clean, damp, sanitized cloth (door, ceiling, sides & base).
- Clean the splatter shield.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners.



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- Do not pour water into the oven.
- Do not allow product residue to build up inside the oven.

## **WEEKLY CLEANING**

### **Remove air intake filter:**

- Lift to remove the intake filter.
- Wash the air intake filter at the sink with multi-purpose cleaning solution.
- Rinse with water.
- Shake to dry.
- Reinstall the filter.

## **MONTHLY CLEANING**

### **Check for build-up:**

- Check for build-up of cooking vapours along the discharge louvers in the back of the Microwave.

### **Clean air vents:**

- Wipe the air vents clean with a damp cloth soaked in multi-purpose cleaning solution.
- Rinse with a damp towel soaked in water.
- Dry thoroughly.