



QUICK-START GUIDE

Thank you for purchasing the HydraTherm™ composite heating unit by Richmar. This Quick-Start guide will simplify set-up and help you become more familiar with your new heating unit.

Initial set-up

After unpacking:

- Adjust shelves on composite dividers to preferred height (see pg. 7, Operation Manual for explanation).
- Place HydraHeat Packs in unit.
- Fill HydraTherm™ composite heating unit with water to a level that ensures that all hot packs are submerged to the very top of the hot packs.

NOTE: Using higher quality water will increase the lifespan of the Unit and HydraHeat Packs (distilled water is the best and soft water is better than tap water).

Once unit has reached desired water level:

- Connect the power cord to the Power Entry Module located on the lower back side of the unit.
- Turn power switch to the “ON” or “I” position, located on the rear of the unit, the power switch should now be illuminated. (Refer to pg. 6 of the Operation Manual for more information).
- The initial water temperature will be displayed.

Digital Thermostat Controller:

- Heating unit is preset at factory to 135° F (57°C).
- Do not exceed 140° F (60° C) for best therapeutic effect, patient comfort and HydraHeat Pack longevity.
- A minimum 4 hours may be required to reach 135°F (57°C).

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If a different Temperature Set Point is desired:

- Press and release “SET” key on control panel “HSP” will be displayed.



- Press and release “SET” key again and the Temperature Set Point will display (i.e., 140°/60°C).



- Press UP or DOWN arrows to set desired temperature.
- Once desired temperature is displayed, press and release “SET” “HST” will be displayed.
- Press the SET and DOWN ARROW keys at the same time to manually enter the new set point into memory or after 1 minute, the new set-point will be entered into automatically retained in memory.
- Desired temperature has been programmed.



WARNING: The scalding temperature of water is 140° F (49° C). Never place hands into the Heating Unit. Always use tongs to retrieve hot pack if necessary.

HydraHeat Packs

- HydraHeat Packs absorb heat, not water, allowing lower therapeutic temperature.
- Placing a towel between patient and heat pack will allow up to 45 minutes of therapeutic heat.
- Terry covers are not recommended when using HydraHeat Packs, due to no moisture absorption.

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