



## SELF-CLOSING POOL GATE Installation Instructions

**Always install gate PRIOR to installing fence sections.**

### LIST OF COMPONENTS:

- 1 WaterWarden Pool Gate with predrilled holes
- 2 gate posts, labeled "A" and "B" with predrilled holes
- 2 post reinforcement brackets with predrilled holes and black securing screw
- 2 self-closing hinges with screws
- 1 top-pull magnetic lock with key lock and installation instructions
- 4 inground plastic feet and caps
- 1 drilling template
- 2 spring-loaded Safety Latches

### LIST OF TOOLS NEEDED FOR INSTALLATION:

- Utility knife or box cutter
- Rotary hammer drill
- 5/8" SDS masonry drill bit [If using a drilling guide, a 5/8" x 18" masonry drill bit is needed]
- 1/4" phillips head bit
- Extension cord (if necessary)
- Measuring tape
- Pencil or white chalk
- Hammer or rubber mallet
- Square and level or WaterWarden drill guide (available for rental from dealer where fence was purchased)

### INSTALLATION:

1. Identify Gate Post "A" and Gate Post "B". When installing the gate posts, "A" should always be to the right of "B". Decide where you will install the WaterWarden Pool Gate. The gate should be installed in an easily accessible spot, on a straight side of the pool. Do not install the gate around a curve. The gate should always be installed with the mesh material on the outside (non-pool side) of the fence enclosure. Gate should open "out", or towards you, when standing outside the fence.

2. Using the enclosed drilling template and illustration at the end of this manual, mark the holes on the deck for the gate posts A-1, A-2, B-1 and B-2. The holes for A-1 and B-1 should be 32" apart, measuring from the center of one in-ground pin to the center of the second in-ground pin. The space between A-2 and B-2 should measure 39". Facing the pool, mark and label the four post holes.
3. Lay a post reinforcing bracket over the spots labeled A-1 and A-2. Align the holes in the post reinforcing bracket with the marked spots. Using chalk or a pencil, mark through the third hole on the right side of the bracket and label this spot "C". Repeat with the second post reinforcing bracket for B-1 and B-2. Mark the third hole and label it "D".
4. Drill through spots A-1, A-2, C, B-1, B-2 and D. Insert a plastic sleeve into each hole and tap gently with a hammer or mallet to ensure foot is flush with pool deck. Place each bracket in its place and insert gate posts into their respective brackets.
5. The holes marked "C" and "D" will be the first hole for the installation of the adjoining fence section on either side of the gate.
6. Continue installing the rest of the fence system. Refer to Basic Installation Instructions included with each fence section for details. Use the Drilling Template included with each fence section to proceed. Attach the gate posts to the adjoining fence section poles using the pre-drilled holes and the spring-loaded safety latches. Use one safety latch for each gate post.
7. When all fence sections are installed with the correct tension, attach the gate to the gate posts. Using the predrilled holes in post "A-1", align with the predrilled holes in the gate. Lay hinge over the holes with white label facing up, and fasten with screws. Repeat for second hinge.
8. Attach magnetic lock to gate and gate post "B-1", using the pre-drilled holes in gate post "B-1" and the installation instructions found in the magnetic lock packet.
9. Adjust tension on hinges to ensure that gate is hanging straight.

