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Dear Dog Owner/Lover:

Congratulations on the purchase of your Pet Patio Potty™ made by Doggy Solutions™. We sincerely hope that this product gives both you and your pet the added freedom helpful in today's busy life. Never hesitate to contact us with any questions regarding the use and maintenance of this device or about training your puppy or dog to use its' Pet Patio Potty™.

Included with your shipment are the following items:

- **Pet Patio Potty™ Polyethylene Box Frame Modules**
- **Screws and Caulk for Assembly**
- Appropriate number of **Polyethylene Trays fitted with Perforated Polyethylene Barrier**
- **Tray Handles and Handle Screws**
- **Sunbrella canvas cover:** This water and fade resistant cover conveniently snaps onto your unit and can be readily removed for laundering.
- **Synthetic Grass:** A piece of Synthetic K9Grass is included for insertion in each tray of your potty. Please consult your Maintenance Instructions for the steps you can follow to clean these grass pieces. This synthetic grass is durable and should last indefinitely if cleaned properly. However, if at any time you wish to purchase replacement pieces of this synthetic grass, please contact Doggy Solutions.
- **Out! PetCare Training Aid for Puppies:** This product can help train your pet to urinate in the potty. You simply spray a small amount of the product on each piece of K9Grass. Reapply as necessary until your dog has been trained to use the potty.
- **Litter Scoop** for removing soiled litter.
- **Assembly and Set-Up Instructions including photos**
- **"How The Pet Patio Potty™ Works" Photo Tutorial**
- **Maintenance Instructions**
- **Training Instructions**

We sincerely appreciate your business and hope you will share your Pet Patio Potty™ experience with us via stories, feedback, questions, comments and photos.

Also, you can "Like" us on Facebook @ <http://www.facebook.com/doggysolutions> and you can tell us your stories and post your photos on our Wall!!

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## Pet Patio Potty™ by Doggy Solutions™

### Assembly and Set-Up Instructions: Medium Modular Low Profile Model (Polyethylene)



#### Assembly

1. Place the two modules of the box frame, one in front of the other, so that the open sides are facing one another. All screws required and a tube of caulk are provided to assemble your modular Low Profile Pet Patio Potty™ as follows.



2. Slide the two modules together so that there is no visible space between the modules. Using a Phillips head screwdriver, attach the center brace of the back module to the center brace of the front module by inserting the four “Center Brace Screws” into the pre-drilled screw holes.



3. Using one of the “Module Attaching Screws”, attach the right side of the Back module to the right side of the Front module.



4. This screw is inserted at an angle into the pre-drilled hole in the Back module. In a similar fashion, attach the left side of the Back module to the left side of the Front module.



5. Apply caulk from the tube provided to the seam between the back and front modules. This prevents any urine from penetrating this seam. Allow caulk to dry completely before proceeding with set-up below.

### Set Up

1. Place your Pet Patio Potty™ in as protected an area as possible so as to avoid unnecessary exposure to environmental elements (i.e rain, snow and wind). Keep the Sunbrella canvas cover handy so you can snap it in place if rain or snow is expected and you think that the potty might get exposed to environmental moisture. Indoors, it is suggested that the potty be placed on a hard surface (that is, on a floor rather than on carpeting). Each module has polyethylene "feet" to prevent the potty from resting directly on a surface and to facilitate cleaning around the unit. Purchase a litter product of your choice. A clumping style kitty litter is recommended because it makes clean up easy. Also, a litter that has odor control properties can be extremely beneficial. We recommend either Tidy Cats Scoop for Multiple Cats, Antimicrobial Odor Control Formula or Dr Elsey's Precious Cat Ultra. With the trays removed from the frame, distribute a generous layer of litter around the polyethylene blocks and over the entire exposed bottom surface of the box (No Photo).
2. Use the "Handle Screws" to attach two handles to each of the trays. The trays have been pre-drilled to facilitate attachment of the handles. With the handles facing upward, insert the trays in the box frame so that the handles are along the border of the frame.



3. **If you have decided to use gravel as the substrate in the trays:** Obtain gravel from your local garden supply center or home supply store such as Home Depot. For small dogs it is typically best to use gravel that is  $\frac{1}{2}$ " in diameter and for larger dogs  $\frac{3}{4}$ " gravel is probably most appropriate. This gravel may also be called river rock. Do not use any decorative stone that has sharp edges. Each standard size tray (this is the tray size used in the medium size model when four trays are provided) requires approximately 0.16 cubic feet of gravel and each double-sized tray requires about 0.32 cubic feet of gravel. A common size bag of gravel that is available at most garden centers contains 0.5 cubic feet of gravel. This is enough gravel to fill three standard trays or one and one-half double-sized trays. Evenly distribute the gravel over the perforated polyethylene barrier in each tray to a depth of about  $\frac{3}{4}$ "-1". Spray the gravel with a small amount of the Training Spray provided. Reapply as necessary.



4. **If you have purchased synthetic K9Grass to be used as the substrate in the trays:** Insert one piece of synthetic grass into each tray of the Pet Patio Potty™. Spray each piece of K9Grass™ with a small amount of the Training Spray provided. Reapply as necessary.



5. Using the snap fasteners affixed to the box frame and the canvas cover, snap the cover in place with the Doggy Solutions logo along the front side of the unit. The canvas canopy will fit snugly over the frame. If the potty has been placed in a location that may be exposed to some environmental moisture, snap this cover over the box frame to protect the potty when rain or snow is expected. The cover can also be used to disguise the potty when having company or to protect it during periods of non-use such as when you are on vacation. Before covering the potty for prolonged periods of time, be sure that it has first been appropriately cleaned and maintained.

