## BASIC GREATWALL SLATWALL INSTALLATION

SAFETY REMINDER: USE SAFETY EYE WEAR AND GLOVES

**STEP 1**: Plan space and quantity requirements, noting electrical wire locations to avoid piercing any wiring. Slatwall can be cut either vertically or horizontally using an electric saw with a thin sharp blade (60-80 teeth). If using a table saw, cut slatwall facing up. If using a circular saw, cut the slatwall face down. Locate and mark wood studs. Transfer these locations to the slatwall panel grooves. Proceed to -pre-drill. For a more permanent installation follow **STEP 2**, if not, proceed to **STEP 3**.



**STEP 2**: Apply a construction adhesive, such as Liquid Nails® or Loctite® to the back of the slatwall.



**STEP 3**:Make sure the slatwall is right side up. Starting from the bottom up, line up the panel on the wall making sure that it is level.

**NOTE:** The first panel on the wall must be perfectly leveled. All other panels will be aligned from the panel.

**NOTE:** If installing at floor level be sure to leave a 1/4" gap between the floor and slatwall panel for baseboard trim.



**STEP 4**: Screw the slatwall to the wall in the center of the slot at every wood stud along the top and bottom slats with #6 or #8 drywall flat head screw. Be careful not to over tighten the screws. Use self-tapping drywall screws over metal studs. Masonry wall should first be framed with wood studs.

**NOTE**: Screw length should be at least 2" if going through drywall in the stud. For heavier items, additional screws can be used along each stud in every other slat.



**STEP 5**: Proceed to the next slatwall panel, lining up the tongue on the bottom edge with the groove on the top edge of the previous panel. Repeat **STEPS 2-4** until all panels are installed.

