

# ACCESS PANEL—FIRE-RATED RECESSED WALLBOARD FD2RF, FD3RF, FD2CT INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE GUIDE

## INSTALLATION:

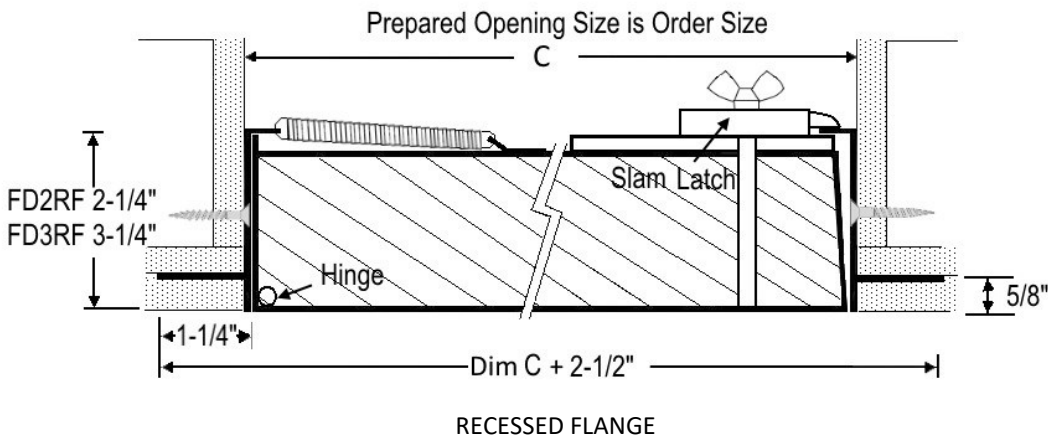
**Failure to follow the instructions listed below may void the fire rating of this unit. Warnock Hersey Listed for Fire-Rated Walls and/or Ceilings**

1. For vertical or horizontal installation (see attached listed label on door) in wood or steel stud drywall and/or masonry construction, door framing will be prepared in accordance with specification for the required fire rating.
2. Access panel frame is designed to be 1/4" (6mm) smaller than the opening for each dimension of the door, to allow for ease of installation. (ORDER SIZE = OPENING SIZE)
3. The door panel must be installed square with the door frame.
4. Do not twist or distort the door frame in any direction.
5. For CT models with recessed door panel, attach wallboard cut to size with sufficient adhesive.
6. Wallboard bead is recessed 5/8" on this model. Attach panel frame to surrounding framing through holes in trim. Wallboard will then be attached over the trim. (fig A) Use of 5/8" wallboard will assure that front edge of frame aligns with finished wall.
7. The door frame is also to be fastened directly and securely to the wall or ceiling framing through all the holes provided in the frame. Screws shall penetrate 13mm(1/2") into steel studs and 25mm (1") into wood.
8. Not recommended for masonry wall installation.
9. When correctly installed, the door will close and latch when released from an open position of approximately 90°.
10. These doors are not designed to support a live load.



Fig A

**Following these instructions will maintain the fire rating of the assembly as listed. The installer should check with the local jurisdiction having authority before installation to determine any additional requirements.**



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