User Manual



EXCELLENCE IN HYDROTHERAPY

Full-Immersion Models

F-260-S, F-270-S, F-300-S, F-425-S



F-260-S

F-425-S

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READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS ENTIRE MANUAL BEFORE OPERATING THE WHIRLPOOL

Failure to follow the instructions in this manual could result in Whirlpool damage and/or bodily injury

Symbols



Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE)

Indicates that the product must not be disposed of with regular waste. It is the user's responsibility to dispose of waste equipment according to local laws. For information about where to drop off the waste equipment for recycling, contact your local waste collection authority.



General Warning or Caution

Indicates personal injury or damage to the equipment is possible



Electric Shock

Indicates a hazard arising from dangerous voltage. Any mishandling could result in irreparable damage to the equipment and/or personal injury or death.



Warning; Crushing of hands

To warn of a closing motion of mechanical parts of equipment



Refer To Manual (Instructions for Use)

Indicates that user manual shall be referred to before performing any installation, operation or maintenance



Alternating Current

Indicates alternating current is present



Manufacturer Indicates manufacturer of device

Manufacture Date



Authorized representative in the European Community Indicates the authorized representative in the European Community



Medical Device



Unique Device Identifier



Warnings

Treatments:

- Whirlpools are intended for use by a medical professional only, e.g., Physiotherapist, Physical Therapist, Rehabilitation Therapist, Athletic Trainers, Podiatrist
- During treatment, stay with patient at all times.
- The maximum allowable patient mass is 135 kg (298 lbs)
- Ensure water in tub is no greater than 43.3°C (110°F). Higher temperatures may result in injury to patient.
- Treatment should terminate if the patient experiences dizziness, light-headedness, shortness of breath, or nausea
- To avoid patient cross-infection, drain and clean hydrotherapy equipment after each patient's use, and disinfect equipment surfaces and components by using an EPA-registered product in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions

Operation:

- Use of this equipment adjacent to or stacked with other equipment should be avoided because it could result in improper operation. If such use is necessary, this equipment and the other equipment should be observed to verify that they are operating normally.
- Use of accessories and cables other than those specified or provided by the manufacturer of this equipment could result in increased electromagnetic emissions or decreased electromagnetic immunity of this equipment and result in improper operation
- Use only Whitehall-approved items on the Whirlpool
- Portable RF communications equipment (including peripherals such as antenna cables and external antennas) should be used no closer than 30 cm (12 inches) to any part of the Whirlpool, including cables specified by the manufacturer. Otherwise, degradation of the performance of this equipment could result.
- If there is visible damage to the Whirlpool or packaging upon receipt, report this damage to shipping company and Whitehall. Do not use the Whirlpool if damage to it is suspected.
- Operate with the bottom of the turbine submerged in at least 15.2 cm (6 inches) of water
- Keep hair and loose items (gown straps, gauze, etc.) out of the tub. These items can be pulled into the pump and cause injury or damage to the turbine.
- Use the Whirlpool only for the purpose described in this manual
- Position the Whirlpool so that the power cord is easily accessible.
- To avoid damage to the thermometer, do not drop the thermometer or expose it to temperatures above 60°C (140°F)



- No parts shall be serviced or maintained while in use with a patient
- To avoid the risk of electric shock, this equipment must only be connected to a supply mains with protective earth
- Connect the power cord to a Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter (GFCI) medical grade receptacle
- No parts of the Whirlpool, including the power supply cord, are repairable or replaceable by service personnel
- No modification of the Whirlpool is allowed
- To protect stainless steel surfaces, use soft water (i.e., water with low concentrations of ions and in particular low in ions of calcium and magnesium) in the tub.

Incident Reporting

Any serious incident that has occurred in relation to this device should be reported to the manufacturer and the local health authority of the Member State in which the user and/or patient is established.



Intended Use

Whirlpool Hydrotherapy Baths are intended to provide temporary relief of swelling and pain from surgical procedures or sudden injuries (for example, minor sprains, strains, muscle pain, joint pain, etc.). Whirlpools Hydrotherapy Baths can be used for any part of the body below the neck. Whirlpools Hydrotherapy Baths may be used in hospitals, outpatient clinics, athletic training settings, or at home settings as determined by a medical professional.

WHIRLPOOLS ARE INTENDED FOR USE IN PROFESSIONAL HEALTHCARE AND SUPERVISED ATHLETIC TRAINING FACILITIES ONLY.

Contraindications

Patient Groups in which hydrotherapy is contraindicated:

- · Active infection anywhere in the body
- · Open wounds*
- Loss of temperature sensation
- · Hydrophobia
- Heat or cold intolerance
- Poor balance
- · Kidney failure

*Burn patients are an exception. Work with the consent of a physician in these cases.

Safety & Effectiveness has not been established in patients:

- With Cancer: Caution is advised when treating patients with cancer. It is best to work with the consent of a physician.
- Who Hemorrhage: Caution is advised when treating a patient who has a tendency to hemorrhage. Applications of heat and cold which cause vasodilation, which increases the possibility of hemorrhage.
- Who are Pregnant: Caution is advised when treating someone who is pregnant. Consult the patient's healthcare provider with any questions or concerns you may have.

User Skills

The medical professional using the Whirlpool must have the following skills:

- The ability to assist the patient
- Knowledge of hydrotherapy protocols
- To have read and understood this manual
- To have become familiar with the Whirlpool before using it with a patient

Device Description

The Whirlpool consists of a welded stainless steel tub for holding water and one or two turbine assemblies. For the Whirlpool with one turbine (F-260-S), the turbine is mounted to the side of the tub. For Whirlpools with two turbines (F-270-S, F-300-S, F-425-S), the turbines are mounted to a track, allowing each turbine to be moved independently around the tub. The interior of the tub and tub rim are considered Type B Applied Parts, since they are likely to be touched by the patient.

The turbine assembly is a motor-operated centrifugal pump that circulates the water. The pump position can be adjusted up or down to change the position of the water outlet, then locked with a handle. The tub is supported by legs. Water is drained by opening the drain valve to a fixed drain.

Water temperature may be adjusted by the operator depending on the desired treatment. A thermometer mounted to the side of the tube is included with the Whirlpool. The Whirlpool does not control water temperature.

The patient can enter the tub or be placed in the tub and is fully immersed in the water to the neck. A vinyl headrest is provided for the patient.



Accessories

The following accessory is available:

| # | Description | Instructions |
|----|----------------|---|
| HR | Vinyl Headrest | Mount headrest tube in mount on tub and clamp in place with knob. For maintenance, see <i>Disinfecting and</i> <i>Cleaning Instructions.</i> |

Facility Requirements

The following are needed prior to using your Whirlpool:

- Clean water source for filling tub. For burn patients with open wounds, follow the physician's recommendation for water quality.
- Drain plumbed per Figure 1, Figure 2, Figure 3, or Figure 4, installed by licensed plumber
- Medical-grade GFCI receptacle(s) located per Figure 1, Figure 2, Figure 3, or Figure 4, installed by licensed electrician
- Environmental conditions within those specified in the Specification section of this manual

NOTE: The emissions characteristics of this equipment make it suitable for use in industrial areas and hospitals (CISPR 11 class A). If it is used in a residential environment (for which CISPR 11 class B is normally required) this equipment might not offer adequate protection to radio-frequency communication services. The user might need to take mitigation measures, such as relocating or re-orienting the equipment.



Rough-In for F-260-S





Figure 1: F-260-S Rough-In Diagram. Numbers in parentheses are in mm.

- 1 Mains input (medical grade GFCI)*
- (2) 31.8mm (1-¼ inch) outer diameter twin overflow assemblies
- (3) Height-adjustable tub supporting legs
- (4) Headrest raising and lowering assembly
- (5) 31.8mm (1-¼ inch) NPT x plain end pipe tube filler connection
- 6 Drain valve lever handle

- 7 Filler spout
- (8) 76.2mm (3 inch) butterfly valve, 76.2mm (3 inch) outer diameter tailpiece
- (9) Turbine assembly
- 10 Removable grid strainer
- (1) Thermometer

* Customer provided



Rough-In for F-270-S



Figure 2: F-270-S Rough-In Diagram

- (1) Mains input (medical grade GFCI)*
- 2 31.8mm (1-¼ inch) outer diameter twin overflow assemblies
- (3) 63.5 mm (2-1/2 inch) rail, all around perimeter
- (4) Height-adjustable tub supporting legs
- 5 Headrest raising and lowering assembly
- 6 31.8mm (1-¼ inch) NPT x plain end pipe tube filler connection



- ⑦ Drain valve lever handle
- (8) Filler spout
- 9 76.2 mm (3 inch) butterfly valve, 76.2 mm (3 inch) outer diameter tailpiece
- (10) Turbine and carriage assembly
- (1) Removable grid strainer
- 12 Thermometer

* Customer provided

Adjust leg length as indicated below to allow for proper drainage (assumes level floor):

| Leg Set | Leg Length, cm (inches) |
|---------|-------------------------|
| 5 | 25.4 (10.00) |
| 4 | 28.0 (10.625) |
| 3 | 28.6 (11.25) |
| 2 | 30.2 (11.875) |
| 1 | 31.1 (12.25) |







Rough-In for F-300-S





- (1) Mains input (medical grade GFCI)*
- (2) 31.8 mm (1-¼ in) outer diameter twin overflow assemblies
- (3) 63.5 mm (2-1/2 in) rail, all around perimeter
- (4) Height-adjustable tub supporting legs
- (5) Headrest raising and lowering assembly
- 6 31.8 mm (1-¼ in) NPT x plain end pipe tube filler connection



- ⑦ Drain valve lever handle
- (8) Filler spout
- 9 76.2 mm (3.0 in) butterfly valve, 76.2 mm (3 in) outer diameter tailpiece
- (10) Turbine and carriage assembly
- (1) Removable grid strainer
- 12 Thermometer

* Customer provided



Figure 4: F-425-S Rough-In Diagram

- 1 Mains input (medical grade GFCI)*
- (2) 31.8 mm (1-1/4 in) outer dia. twin overflow assemblies
- 3 63.5 mm (2-1/2 in) rail, all around perimeter
- (4) Height-adjustable tub supporting legs
- (5) Headrest raising and lowering assembly

6 31.8 mm (1-1/4 in) NPT x plain end pipe tube filler connection

- ⑦ Drain valve lever handle
- 8 Filler spout
- 9 76.2 mm (3 in) butterfly valve, 76.2
- mm (3 in) outer diameter tailpiece (10) Turbine and carriage assembly
- 10 Turbine and carriage assert
- (1) Removable grid strainer
- 12 Thermometer

* Customer provided

Adjust leg length as indicated below to allow for proper drainage (assumes level floor):

| Leg Set | Leg Length, cm | | |
|---------|----------------|--|--|
| | (inches) | | |
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| 2 | 30.2 (11.875) | | |
| 1 | 31.1 (12.25) | | |



Instructions Installing Carriage Assemblies



Figure 5: Installing Carriage Assemblies (F-270/300/425-S only)

NOTE: It is recommended that 2 people mount the carriage assemblies onto the tub.

The auto-counterbalancer and carriage assembly are designed for installation on the upper and lower tub rails. After installation, the assembly will move freely around the tub until locked in desired position.

- 1. At the top of the carriage assembly (1) there are two sets of upper guide rail bearing assemblies (2). Each consists of one single roller bearing with an eccentric shaft (3) and one double roller bearing (4). Remove both single roller bearings (3) before mounting carriage assembly (1) onto tub.
- 2. Place carriage assembly (1) on tub by positioning the lower guide rail bearing (5) onto the lower guide rail (6).
- 3. While holding carriage assembly (1) in place onto the upper guide rail (7), re-insert single roller bearings (2). Do not tighten completely as adjustments will be required.
- 4. With carriage assembly (1) resting on upper guide rail (7), adjust single roller bearings (2) to provide 1/8" (3.2mm) clearance between inner tub wall (8) and roller bearing (2).



Secure into position by tightening bearing bolt (9). Move carriage assembly (1) around tub and readjust if necessary.

5. Engage friction lock (10) by rotating the lock handle (11) counterclockwise.

Installing Turbine(s)



NOTE: It is recommended that 2 people mount the turbine assembly(ies) onto the tub.

For F-260-S (Figure 6),

- Loosen handle (8) then lower turbine support rod (4) into tube (3). Tighten handle (8) when turbine is at desired height.
- 2. Turn the pressure control valve handle (5) fully clockwise, then fully counterclockwise to completely lubricate the plunger assembly.
- 3. Turn the turbine power switch (6) off.
- 4. Plug in the turbine assembly into the medical grade GFCI outlet.

For F-270/300/425-S (Figure 7),

- 1. Loosen set screw (3) and slide motor support casting (2) onto tube (4) then tighten set screw (3).
- 2. Plug turbine power cords into carriage assembly outlets.
- 3. Turn the pressure control valve handle (5) fully clockwise, then fully counterclockwise to completely lubricate the plunger assembly.
- 4. Turn the turbine power switch (6) off for each turbine.
- 5. Plug carriage assembly power cords into medical-grade GFCI outlet.



Figure 6: Installing turbine on F-260-S



Figure 7: Installing turbine on F-270/300/425-S

Installing Thermometer

(Figure 9) Insert sensing rod (3) through upper bracket (1) and into lower bracket (4), then tighten screw (2).

Installing Headrest

(Figure 8) Loosen handle (4), insert headrest rod (2) into raising and lower assembly (3) and tighten handle (4).





Figure 9: Installing thermometer

Figure 8: Installing headrest







Operating Instructions

Refer to warnings on page 5 before operating the Whirlpool.

- 1. Ensure power cord is plugged into medical-grade GFCI outlet.
- 2. Fill tub with water so that the bottom of turbine is at least 15.2 cm (6 inches) below surface of water.



- 3. F-270/300/425-S only (Figure 5): To change the lateral position of the turbine: WARNING: Do not place your hands on the tub railing as they could be injured by the motion of the carriage assembly.
 - a. With both hands on the carriage assembly, turn handle clockwise (11) to unlock carriage assembly from tub and slowly push the carriage assembly to the desired location.
 - b. Lock the lateral position of the carriage assembly by turning handle counterclockwise (11).
- 4. To change the vertical position of the turbine:
 - a. F-260-S (Figure 6):
 - i. Loosen handle (8) to unlock turbine.
 - ii. Slowly push down on the top of the motor support casting (2) until the bottom of the turbine is at the desired location.
 - iii. Tighten handle (8) to lock in place.
 - b. F-270/300/425-S (Figure 7):



WARNING: Keep your hands on the motor support casting (2) during this operation. Movement of the lifting mechanism in the carriage assembly (see Figure 5) could cause injury.

- i. Loosen handle (8) to unlock turbine.
- ii. Slowly push down on the top of the motor support casting (2) until the bottom of the turbine is at the desired location.
- iii. Tighten handle (8) to lock in place.

Refer to Figure 5 and Figure 6 for the remaining steps:

- 5. Turn the pressure control valve handle (5) fully clockwise. This will generate maximum water circulation.
- 6. Turn the turbine power switch (6) on.
- 7. Adjust pressure control valve handle (5) to change level of water circulation.
- 8. Turn the turbine power switch (6) off to stop water circulation.
- 9. To electrically isolate the Whirlpool from supply mains, simply unplug the Whirlpool at the wall outlet, if required.

Draining Instructions

Refer to Figure 6 and Figure 7.

- 1. Turn the turbine power switch (6) off.
- 2. Turn drain handle (1) to empty tub.



- 1. Fill the tub so that the bottom of the thermometer tip is immersed in at least 10.2 cm (4 inches) of water.
- 2. Place the stem tip of a calibrated thermometer next to the tip of the Whirlpool thermometer.
- 3. Turn on the turbine assembly.
- 4. If the reading on the Whirlpool thermometer is not the same as that of the calibrated thermometer, turn the external adjustment screw (a) so that the Whirlpool thermometer reading is identical to the calibrated thermometer.
- 5. Re-calibration shall be performed at least every 12 months or as needed.



Figure 10: Calibrating the thermometer



Disinfecting and Cleaning Instructions



Important:

- 1. Do not use abrasive compounds or applicators such as metal brushes they can damage the whirlpool's appearance. Do not allow steel wool to come in contact with stainless steel. Steel particles can embed into the stainless steel surface and create rust.
- Avoid cleaning or disinfecting products that contain strong acids or contain chlorine, fluorine, bromine, or iodine, as these products can damage the protective chromium oxide layer, resulting in corrosion and leaks. If such products are used on stainless steel, keep the exposure brief (less than 15 minutes) and thoroughly rinse stainless steel surfaces of all residue.

Recommended cleaning materials:

- a. Sponge (natural or artificial)
- b. Soft-bristle brush
- c. Soft cloth (e.g. microfiber cloth)

The tub, thermometer, and turbine shall be disinfected and cleaned after each patient.

Disinfecting and Cleaning Tub and Thermometer

- 1. Drain the tub following the draining instructions above.
- 2. Verify that the turbine is off.
- 3. Remove any loose objects or debris that may be present in the Whirlpool tub.

To disinfect, use a stainless steel hard surface disinfectant per the manufacturer's instructions with one of the recommended cleaning materials above.

To clean, use a mild soap solution with one of the recommended cleaning materials above.

Rinse thoroughly prior to use.

Disinfecting and Cleaning the Turbine

- 1. Drain the tub following the draining instructions above.
- 2. Raise turbine, place a large clean bucket in the tub and lower the bottom of the turbine into the empty bucket.
- 3. Fill the bucket with water so the bottom of the turbine is at least 15.2 cm (6 inches) below the surface of the water.
- 4. Add disinfectant solution to the water per manufacturer's instructions.
- 5. Ensure the pressure control valve is in the open position.
- 6. Turn on the turbine for 5 seconds and turn it off. Wait 10 minutes.



- 7. Spray or wipe all exposed surfaces with a mixture of suitable disinfectant solution per manufacturer's instructions. Exposed surfaces shall remain wet for at least 10 minutes.
- 8. Drain the turbine bucket into the tub and open drain.
- 9. Rinse all exposed surfaces with warm or hot water.
- 10. Fill the bucket with clean water and run turbine for five seconds to rinse impeller cavity.

Turbine Maintenance

Motors are equipped with sealed greased ball bearings that do not require lubrication so are maintenance-free. Clean vent holes in the motor cover shell periodically to allow free air flow and prevent overheating.

Troubleshooting

| Symptom | Possible Cause | Remedy | | |
|-------------------------------|--|---|--|--|
| Loss in pressure | Foreign material caught in pump inlet holes | Turn off and unplug turbine assembly Remove foreign materials from bottom of pump | | |
| | Turbine pump is not submerged fully in water | Ensure that water level is at least 6" (152mm) above bottom of turbine assembly | | |
| Water does not circulate | No power to turbine | Check the power source Reset the GFCI(s) if tripped Replace the fuses (see instructions below) Contact Whitehall | | |
| | Shaft has seized | Contact Whitehall | | |
| Turbine stops operation | Motor is overloaded | Check for blocked motor ventilation holes Check for excessive current load NOTE: The motor is equipped with a thermal overload protector. In an overheated condition, the motor will automatically shut off until it has returned to a normal operating temperature, then resume operation. | | |

Fuse Replacement Procedure:

1. Turn off and unplug the turbine



- 2. Push down and turn each of the round black fuse covers counter-clockwise on top of the turbine and set aside
- 3. Remove the fuses and discard
- 4. Replace the fuses with 6525-608-000 for the 125V~ turbine and 6525-612-000 for the 230V~ turbine (or equivalent)
- 5. Replace the fuse covers by pushing down and turning clockwise
- 6. Plug in the turbine



Classification

| Electric Shock Protection | Class I |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Applied Parts | None |
| Ingress Protection | IP24 |
| Mode of Operation | Continuous |

Specifications

| Mechanical | Mechanical | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Water capacity | F-260 | | F-270 | F-300 | F-425 |
| Liters (US Gallons) | 1173 (31) | <u>)</u> | 1382 (365) | 1367 (361) | 1828 (483) |
| | | | () | | 1020 (403) |
| Water flow rate per | 0-56.8 L/MI | n (0- | 15 US gallons/mi | n) | |
| turbine | | | | | |
| Electrical | | | | | |
| Input voltage | 115/230 V~ | | | | |
| 1 0 | | | | | |
| | $230 V_{\sim} mo$ | dels : | are for export only | 1 | |
| Line Frequency | 50/60 Hz | | | <i>y</i> | |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | | |
| Rated Current | 6.9/3.5 A | | | | |
| Electromagnetic | All Whirlpoo | ol mo | dels comply with | the latest internat | tional |
| Compatibility | electromag | netic | compatibility star | ndard (IEC 60601 | -1-2), as shown |
| . , | below: | o i i i | | | |
| Description | Standard | Speci | fications | | |
| Radiated Emissions | CISPR 11 | 30 M | Hz – 1 GHz, Class A | | |
| Conducted Emissions, AC Mains | CISPR 11 | 150 k | Hz – 30 MHz, Class A | | |
| Harmonic Emissions | IEC 61000-3-2 | | n, Class D (no limits for < 75 | W) | |
| Flicker | IEC 61000-3-3 | 120 min (no limits for < 75W) | | | |
| Electro-Static Discharge (ESD) | IEC 61000-4-2 | | act: ± 2kV, ± 4kV, ± 8kV; Air: | ± 2kV, ± 4kV, ± 8kV ± 15kV | |
| Radiated RF EM fields | IEC 61000-4-3 | 3 V/m, 80% AM at 1 kHz 80MHz – 2.7GHz | | | |
| Electrical Fast Transient (EFT) | IEC 61000-4-4 | | r Supply Lines, ± 2kV Hz PRF | | |
| Surge | IEC 61000-4-5 | Line t | o line ± 0.5kV, ± 1kV | | |
| RF Conducted Immunity | IEC 61000-4-6 | | | | |
| | | ISM Bands | | | |
| | 150 64000 4 0 | | • | - 80 MHz; 6 Vrms, ISM bands | s, 80% AM at 1 kHz |
| Magnetic Field Short Interruption | IEC 61000-4-8 30 Arms/m, 50Hz or 60Hz IEC 61000-4-11 0 % UT: 250/300 cycles, 0°, 90°, 270° | | | | |
| Environmental Condi | | 0 % 0 | 1. 230/300 cycles, 0, 90, 27 | | |
| Operational | | | | | |
| • | 10 - 33°C (50 - 90°F) | | | | |
| Transportation and | 0 - 60°C (32 - 140°F) | | | | |
| Storage | | | | | |
| Relative humidity | 5 - 95%, non-condensing | | | | |
| Atmospheric Pressure 70 – 106 kPa | | | | | |
| Thermometer | | | | | |
| Range | Dual scale: 5-60°C and 40-140°F | | | | |
| Accuracy | ± 1.1°C (2°F) | | | | |



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Whitehall Manufacturing Company warrants that its products are free from defects in material or workmanship under normal use and service for a period of one year from date of shipment. Whitehall's liability under this warranty shall be discharged solely by replacement or repair of defective material, provided Whitehall is notified in writing within one year from date of shipment, F.O.B. City of Industry, California.

This warranty does not cover installation or labor charges, and does not apply to materials which have been damaged by other causes such as mishandling or improper care or abnormal use. The repair or replacement of the defective materials shall constitute the sole remedy of the Buyer and the sole remedy of Whitehall under this warranty. Whitehall shall not be liable under any circumstances for incidental, consequential or direct charges caused by defects in the materials, or any delay in the repair or replacement thereof. This warranty is in lieu of all other warranties expressed or implied. Product maintenance instructions are issued with each fixture, and disregard or noncompliance with these instructions will constitute an abnormal use condition and void the warranty. Stainless steel must be properly maintained after water has been introduced into the fixture, or Whitehall's limited warranty is void. If you have any questions or require technical assistance, please call 800-743-8219.

NOTICE TO KEEP ORIGINAL PACKAGING - Regarding warranty claims: customer must retain original packaging for one year upon receipt of product. If packaging is discarded, it is the customer's responsibility to provide adequate packaging. Any shipping claims that are a direct result of customer-provided packaging materials will be handled by the shipper.

