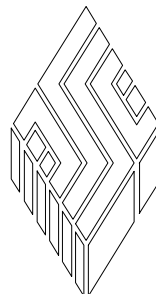


Installation Instructions



Installing Laminated Tops onto Laminated Cabinets

- *Exam Tables*
- *Treatment Tables*
- *Prep-Procedure Tables*
- *Full-cabinet and recessed-end styles*
- *Island and abutted types*



SSCI

Wheeling, IL (800) 323 7366

Table of Contents

| | |
|--|----------|
| General Information | 3 |
| Introduction | 3 |
| About this Manual | 3 |
| Information and Safety Notices | 4 |
| Notes | 4 |
| CAUTIONS | 4 |
| SSCI Contact Information | 4 |
| Installation | 5 |
| Installation Procedures | 5 |
| Un-packing and Inspection | 5 |
| Installation Instructions | 5 |
| Exam Tables and Treatment Tables | 6 |
| Overview | 6 |
| Tools Required | 6 |
| Procedure | 6 |
| Prep-Procedure Tables | 8 |
| Overview | 8 |
| Tools and Supplies Required | 8 |
| Procedure | 8 |

© Copyright 2006 by **Suburban Surgical Co., Inc.** All rights reserved.

No part of this document may be reproduced or utilized in any form or by any means, electronic or mechanical, including photocopying, recording, or by any information storage and retrieval system without written permission.

Inquiries should be addressed to **Suburban Surgical Co., Inc.**
Wheeling, Illinois 60090, USA

General Information



Introduction

SSCI laminated Exam Tables, Treatment Tables, and Prep-Procedure Tables can be fitted with laminated tops in place of stainless steel tops. Laminated tops feature rounded corners and are finished with high-pressure laminate to the top surface and edges. You can select the top's laminate color to coordinate with your facility's decor; refer to your SSCI catalog for colors and ordering information.

The particleboard substrate used by SSCI for its laminates is the ideal solution for interior applications where high humidity and intermittent water contact are common, and is far more resistant to moisture and water exposure than conventional industrial particleboard. The particleboard used on SSCI's products is manufactured with highly compressed wood fibers and a specially formulated resin to produce a substrate with superior strength, rigidity, and an extra-hard surface. Screw holding strength is substantially greater than typical industrial particleboard, while swelling caused by water soaking is much less.

These instructions guide you in installing these laminated tops to your laminated SSCI table. The information here is applicable to both island style tables and abutted style.

About this Manual

Every attempt has been made to insure that the information in this manual is correct and complete. SSCI, however, always welcomes our customer's suggestions for improvements to our products and associated publications.

Information and Safety Notices

In this manual, you will find special text under the headings **Note:**, and **CAUTION:**.

Notes

Under the **Note:** headings, you will be given additional information pertinent to the subject discussed in that paragraph or procedural step.

Example:

Drill holes in the underside of the top through the vacant ends of the fittings. **Note:** Drill the holes no deeper than 1-in. to prevent them from coming out the upper surface of the top.

CAUTIONS

Under the **CAUTION:** headings, you will be alerted to potentially hazardous conditions which, if ignored or mishandled, could result in injury to yourself, or damage to the equipment.

Example:

CAUTION: Installing the table top is not difficult. The top is heavy, however, and handling it can be awkward for one person. We recommend that installation be done by at least two people.

SSCI Contact Information

Contact SSCI Customer Service by mail, telephone, or fax. The department is available from 8:30am to 5:00pm, Central Time, Monday through Friday. Closed holidays.

Address: Suburban Surgical Co., Inc.
275 Twelfth Street
Wheeling, Illinois 60090

Telephone: Illinois - (847) 537-9320, ext. 3518
Toll Free - (800) 323-7366

Fax: (847) 537-9061

Web: www.suburbansurgical.com

Installation

Installation Procedures

Un-packing and Inspection

CAUTION: Unpacking and installing the table top is not difficult. The top is heavy, however, and handling it can be awkward for one person. We recommend that unpacking and installation be done by at least two people.

Contact the shipping company immediately if the shipping container appears damaged in any way. Save all damaged packing materials to assist in proving liability for damage.

Carefully inspect your table top while you unpack it. Call SSCI Customer Service at (800) 323-7366 if any damage is noted or if parts appear to be missing.

Installation Instructions

Refer to the pages listed below for installation instructions for the different types of tables:

- Exam Tables and Treatment Tables - *Page 6*
- Prep-Procedure Tables - *Page 8*

Exam Tables and Treatment Tables

Overview

This section covers the installation of laminated tops to SSCI Exam Tables and Treatment Tables. These tables are similar in structure and do not have tubs. Treatment Tables can be full-cabinet style or recessed-end, and island type or abutted. For Prep-Procedure Tables (which have tubs) refer to *Page 8*. **Note:** These instructions do NOT apply to exam tables with scale tops; refer to the *Owner's Manual* provided with the scale.

Tools Required

You will need the following tools to perform this installation:

- Phillips screwdriver
- Electric drill
- 1/16-in. bit for drill
- Tape measure or ruler

Procedure

CAUTION: Installing the table top is not difficult. The top is heavy, however, and handling it can be awkward for one person. We recommend that installation be done by at least two people.

1. Notice the two “Figure 8” fittings on the upper edges of the cabinet sides (Figures 1 and 3).
2. Loosen the mounting screws and turn the fittings so that the small ends of the fittings project outward (Figure 2). Tighten the screws.
3. Remove any staples or cardboard scraps from the underside of the top so that the underside is totally smooth.

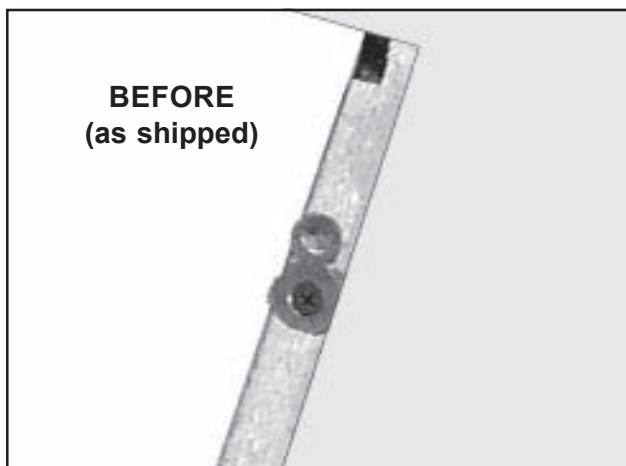


Figure 1. “Figure 8” Fitting - Original Orientation

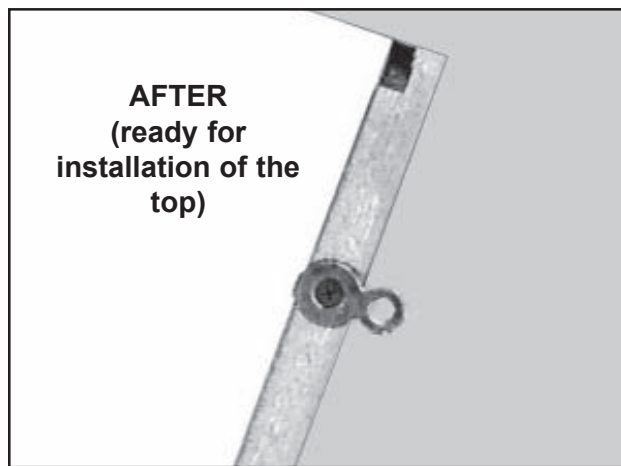


Figure 2. “Figure 8” Fitting - Final Orientation

4. Examine the upper surface of the cabinet (top is not yet installed) and locate the six small drilled holes (Figure 3). You will need to know the locations of these holes in *Step 9*.

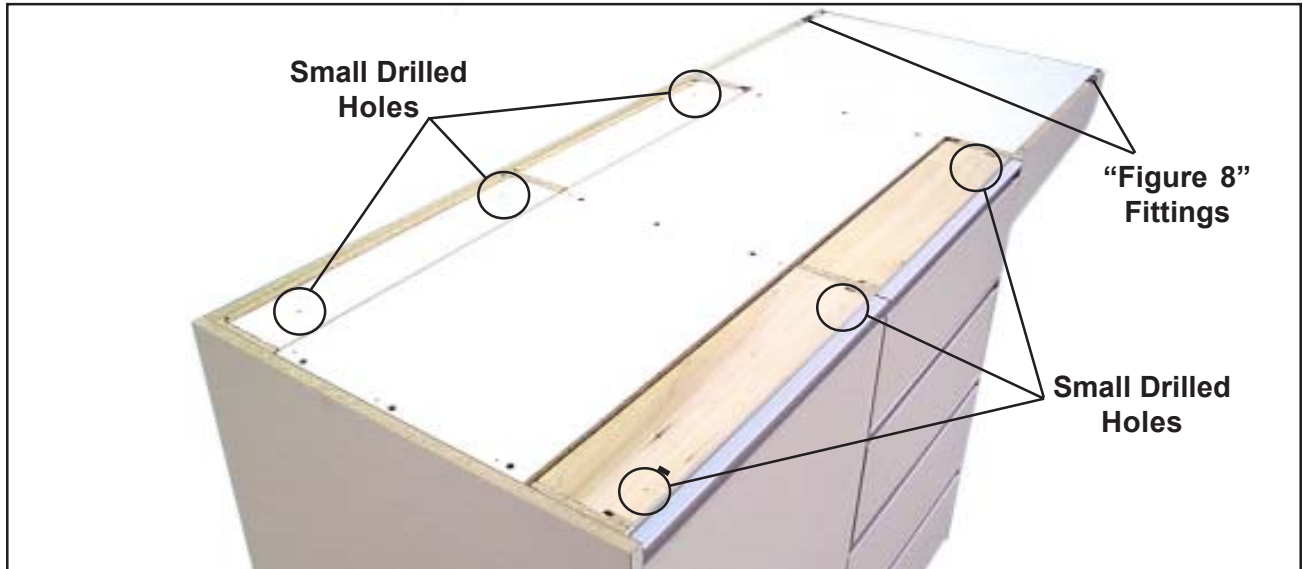


Figure 3. Mounting Locations for the Laminated Top



Recessed-end, Island-type Treatment Table shown

Figure 4. Top in Place on Table

5. Place the top on the cabinet and center it, as close as possible front-to-rear and left-to-right (Figure 4). Make sure the top overhangs the table equally on both sides, and on both ends. Check the overhangs with a tape measure or ruler to get them as equal as possible. **Note:** On abutted tables, the end of the top with the square corners should fit flush with the end of the table.
6. Drill two 1/16-in. dia. holes in the underside of the top through the vacant holes in the “Figure 8” fittings. **Note:** Drill the holes no more than 1-in. deep to prevent them from coming out the upper surface of the top.

7. With two screws (supplied) fasten the top to the fittings.
8. Open the doors and/or remove the drawers (depending on table configuration) to access the interior of the cabinet.
9. With six screws (supplied), fasten the top to the cabinet through the six small drilled holes you located in *Step 4*.

Prep-Procedure Tables

Overview

This section covers the installation of laminated tops and stainless steel tubs to SSCI Prep-Procedure Tables. These procedures are the same for full-cabinet style or recessed-end or middle style, and island type or abutted. For Exam Tables and Treatment Tables (which do not have tubs) refer to *Page 6*.

Tools and Supplies Required

You will need the following tools and supplies to perform this installation:

- Phillips screwdriver
- Electric drill
- 1/16-in. bit for drill
- Tape measure or ruler
- Caulking gun
- Waterproof silicon caulk

Procedure

CAUTION: Installing the table top and tub is not difficult. The top and tub are heavy, however, and handling them can be awkward for one person. We recommend that installation be done by at least two people.

1. Notice the four “Figure 8” fittings on the upper edges of the cabinet sides (Figure 1).
2. Loosen the mounting screws and turn the fittings so that the small ends of the fittings project outward (Figure 2). Tighten the screws.
3. Remove any staples or cardboard scraps from the underside of the top so that the underside is totally smooth.
4. The top is shipped as a single, solid piece to minimize damage during shipment. The tub location is shown by partial cuts in the top (Figure 5). The center piece must be cut out of the top to install the tub. We recommend you secure the services of a professional carpenter to finish the cuts to insure accuracy and to reduce the possibility of accidental damage.

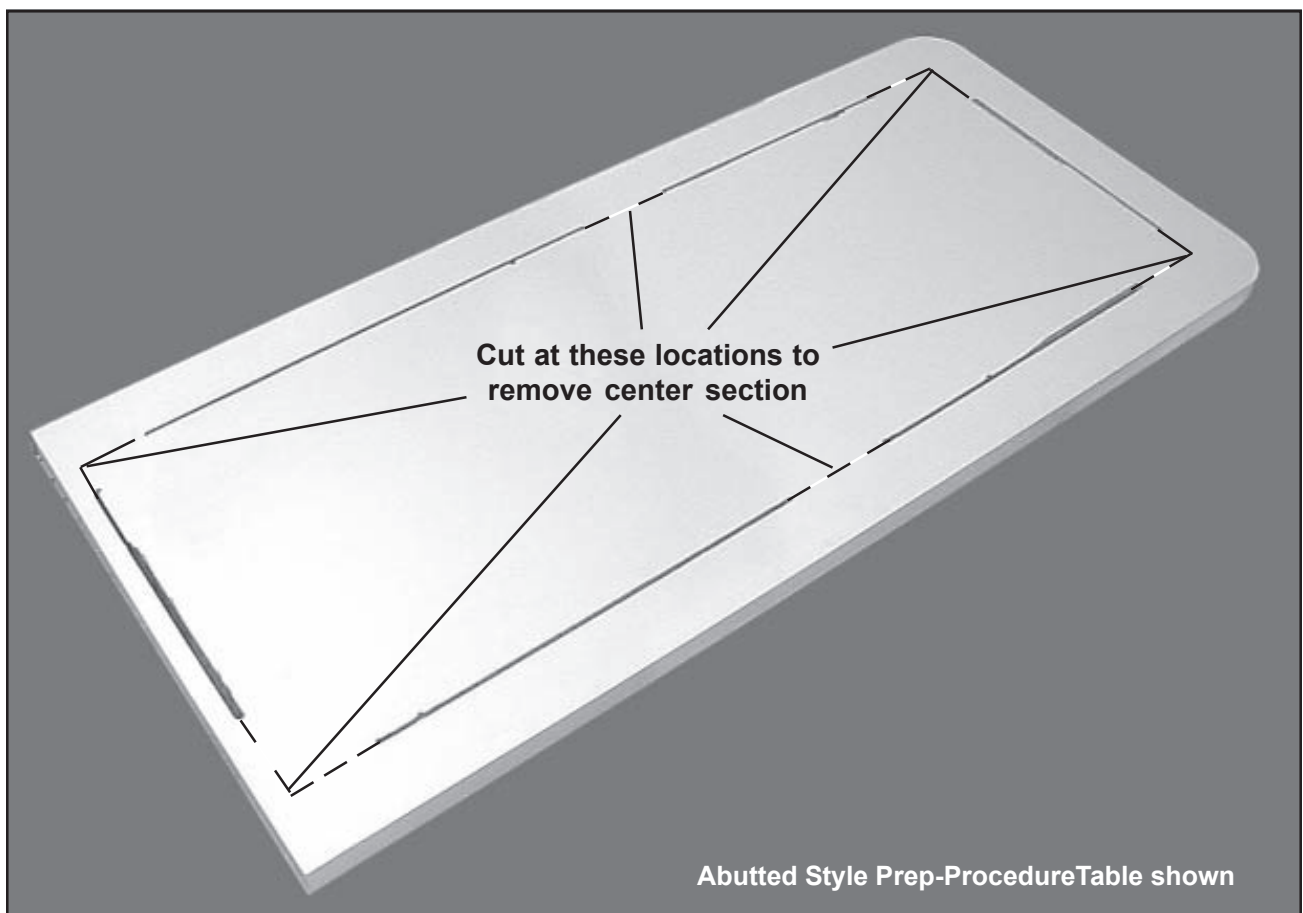


Figure 5. Prep-Procedure Table Top Showing Center Section to be Cut Out for Tub

5. Place the top on the cabinet and center it, as close as possible, front-to-rear and left-to-right (Figure 4). Make sure the top overhangs the table equally on both sides, and on both ends. Check the overhangs with a tape measure or ruler to get them as equal as possible. **Note:** On abutted tables, the end of the top with the square corners should fit flush with the end of the table.
6. Drill four 1/16-in. dia. holes through the vacant holes in the "Figure 8" fittings and into the underside of the top. **Note:** Drill the holes no deeper than 1-in. to prevent them from coming out the upper surface of the top.
7. With the screws supplied, fasten the top to the fittings.

8. Place the tub into the open center section of the top.
Note: The faucet holes should be at the same end of the table as the faucet/drain well (Figure 6).
9. With a caulking gun and waterproof silicon sealant, seal completely around the junction between the tub and the laminated top (Figure 7).
10. Complete all the necessary plumbing for the drain, faucet, and sprayer and connect these items.

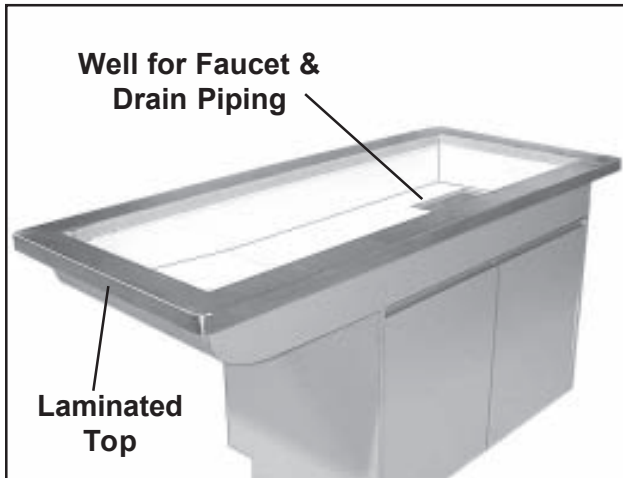
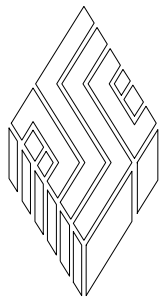


Figure 6. Prep-Procedure Table Ready to Receive Tub



Figure 7. Prep-Procedure Table With Tub Installed

***For more information on SSCI's fine line of products
and accessories, talk to your SSCI sales representative.***



SSCI

Suburban Surgical Company, Inc.

275 Twelfth Street

Phone: (847) 537-9320

Toll Free: (800) 323-7366

Wheeling, IL 60090

Fax: (847) 537-9061

Web: www.suburbansurgical.com