

AIR CLEANER SERVICE INSTRUCTIONS

1. DO NOT attempt to repair or adjust any electrical or mechanical functions on this unit. Doing so will void the warranty. The inside of the unit contains no user serviceable parts. All servicing should be performed by qualified personnel only.
2. If you need to exchange the unit, please return it in its original carton, with a sales receipt, to the store where you purchased it. If you are returning the unit more than 30 days after the date of purchase, please see the enclosed warranty.
3. Should your Air Cleaner require service, please call **1-800-253-2764** in North America for further assistance. A return authorization will be given when you call.
4. If you have any other questions or comments, feel free to write to us:

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WARRANTY

The Manufacturer warrants to the first retail purchaser, for TWO (2) YEARS from the date of original purchase, either to repair or replace at its option, without charge (parts and labor), any supplied or manufactured part of this air cleaner which, upon inspection by an authorized service center, proves to have failed in normal use due to defects in material or workmanship, or at its option, to replace the unit. Operation under conditions other than those recommended or at voltages other than the voltage indicated on the unit, or any attempts by unauthorized personnel to service the unit or modify it, will render the guarantee void. The Manufacturer shall not be liable for any personal injury, property damage or any incidental or consequential damages of any kind (including water damage), resulting from defects, malfunctions, misuse, improper installation or alteration of the product.

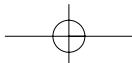
THE MANUFACTURER EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OR INCIDENTAL LOSSES CAUSED BY USE OF THIS PRODUCT.

The provisions of this Warranty are in addition to, and not a modification of, or subtraction from the statutory warranties and other rights and remedies contained in any applicable legislation and to the extent that any such provision purports to disclaim, exclude or limit any such statutory warranties or other rights or remedies, such provisions shall be deemed to be amended to the extent necessary to comply therewith.

For Warranty Service, please call 1-800-253-2764 in North America.

A Bionaire® consumer service representative will help determine which is the best procedure in order for your air cleaner to be repaired.

KEEP THIS NUMBER FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.



 BIONAIRE®


**Ionizing HEPA-Type
air cleaner**

MODEL BAP260



Read instructions before operating.
 Retain for future reference.

Instruction Leaflet

 **INFO-LINE**
 If after having read this leaflet, you have any questions or comments on air cleaner, call **1-800-253-2764** in North America.

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AIR CLEANER SAFETY**PLEASE READ AND SAVE THESE IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS****IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury to persons, including the following:

- Read all instructions before using the appliance.
- To avoid fire or shock hazard, plug the appliance directly into a 120V AC electrical outlet.
- If the filter is covered by a bag when shipped: Remove plastic bag before use.
- Keep the cord out of heavy traffic areas. To avoid fire hazard, NEVER put the cord under rugs, near heat registers, radiators, stoves, or heaters.
- To protect against electrical hazards, DO NOT immerse in water or other liquids. Do not use near water.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children, or disabled persons.
- Always unplug the air cleaner before moving it, opening the grill, changing the filters, cleaning, or whenever the air cleaner is not in use. Be sure to pull by the plug and not the cord.
- NEVER drop or insert any object into any openings.
- DO NOT operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, if motor fan fails to rotate, after the appliance malfunctions, or if it has been dropped or damaged in any manner. Return appliance to manufacturer for examination, electrical or mechanical adjustment, or repair.
- Use appliance only for intended household use as described in this manual. Any other use not recommended by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock, or injury to persons. The use of attachments not recommended or sold by The Holmes Group may cause hazards.
- DO NOT use outdoors.
- NEVER block the air openings, grills/outlets or place on a soft surface such as a bed or sofa, as this could cause the unit to tip over, blocking the Air Intake Opening/Grill.
- Keep unit away from heated surfaces and open flames.
- DO NOT attempt to repair or adjust any electrical or mechanical functions on this unit. Doing so will void your warranty. The inside of the unit contains no user serviceable parts. All servicing should be performed by qualified personnel only.

- **WARNING:** To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, DO NOT use this air cleaner with any solid-state speed control device.
- DO NOT place anything on top of unit.
- The ionizer may cause a static charge to build up on the air output grill. A static-charged electric shock may be felt if the unit is not properly grounded. To avoid a shock, plug the unit's three-prong plug into a grounded outlet, or properly install a ground adaptor as described in this manual. The shock will not occur if the ionizer is off.

PLEASE READ AND SAVE THESE IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**CONSUMER SAFETY INFORMATION**

THIS PRODUCT IS EQUIPPED WITH A POLARIZED AC (Alternating Current) PLUG (a plug having one blade wider than the other). This plug will fit into the power outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully into the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact qualified personnel to install the proper outlet.

DO NOT DEFEAT THE SAFETY PURPOSE OF THIS POLARIZED PLUG IN ANY WAY.**CORD AND PLUG INSTALLATION SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

The length of cord used on this appliance was selected to reduce the hazards of becoming tangled in, or tripping over a longer cord. If a longer cord is necessary, an approved extension cord may be used. The electrical rating of the extension cord must be equal to or greater than the rating of the air cleaner. Care must be taken to arrange the extension cord so that it will NOT drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or accidentally tripped over.

Thank you for choosing a Bionaire® air cleaner. To ensure the best performance from your air cleaner, please read and save the following instructions.

IONIZER

Your Air Cleaner has an independently controlled ionizer, which, when turned on, releases negative ions into outgoing filtered air. Ions are tiny particles that carry a positive or negative charge. These ions exist naturally around us, in the air, water and ground. Both positive and negative ions are colorless, odorless and completely harmless. Negative ions help the air purification process by attaching themselves to very small airborne particles in the room.

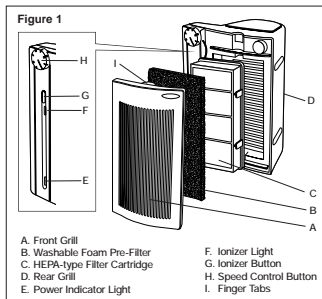
These particles take on a negative charge and may join with positively charged particles such as dust, pollen, smoke and pet dander to form larger particles that are then more readily captured by the filter system, or they may be attracted to positively charged surfaces like walls or floors.

You may also note after extended use, that dust may have collected around the grills or front panel. This is from the ionization affect caused by the negative ions exiting from the air outlet. This is additional evidence of the air cleaning effectiveness of negative ions. The dust can be easily removed with a clean, damp cloth or soft brush.

NOTE: It is important to replace the HEPA-type filter at the recommended intervals. Using the ionizer in conjunction with dirty filters may result in dirty particles exiting the air cleaner and being attracted to walls, carpets, furniture or other household objects. These dirty particles may prove very difficult to remove.

PRE-OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

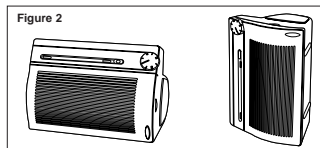
1. Carefully unpack your Air Cleaner. Select a firm level place where there are no obstructions to the air inlet or filtered air outlet. A good location in a room is approximately 1 foot away from the wall, in a central location of your home.
2. Before initial use the plastic bag should be removed from the filters. To do so, open the front grill by pressing in on the Finger Tabs (1) on both ends of the unit and pull the Front Grill (A) towards you. This is easier when the unit is positioned horizontally (refer to Figure 2).
3. Remove HEPA-type Filter (C) by gripping on both sides and pulling forward.
4. Remove protective plastic bag from the filter cartridge.
5. Re-insert the HEPA-type filter into the Air Purifier.
6. Securely re-attach the Front Grill to the Air Cleaner.

**OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Plug into a 120V AC electrical outlet.
2. To begin operation turn the Speed Control Button (H) to the desired speed setting. You will notice the Power Indicator Light (E) () will illuminate when the Air Cleaner is turned on.
3. This Air Cleaner has three speed settings. You can select from High (III), Medium (II), or Low (I) by turning the Speed Control Button (H) to the appropriate setting.
4. To release negative ions into the filtered air, press the Ionizer Button (G) () and the Ionizer Light (F) will illuminate.
5. For optimum filtration it is recommended to operate the Air Cleaner continuously. The motor is very durable and is designed to provide many years of service.

For continuous use, it's recommended to operate the air cleaner at the MEDIUM setting. For quieter operation or use in a bedroom, select the LOW setting. When high levels of air pollution are present, select the HI setting to quickly circulate and filter the room air.

NOTE: This Air Cleaner can be positioned in either a horizontal or vertical direction depending on your preference. Please refer to Figure 2 for the two different options.

**CLEANING/MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS**

Turn off and unplug the unit before cleaning.

1. The outside of the air cleaner can be cleaned with a soft, damp cloth.
2. The front air inlet grill can be removed and washed in warm soapy water (not dishwasher safe). Dry before replacing in the unit.
3. The rear air grill can be cleaned with a small soft brush.

WARNING: Do not allow moisture to come in contact with the main housing of the air cleaner.

FILTER REPLACEMENT INSTRUCTIONS

1. Every few weeks, check the condition of the pre-filter.
2. Remove the front grill. Examine the foam pre-filter. If the pre-filter has collected a noticeable amount of dust or lint, remove it from the inlet of the grill and wash it in warm soapy water. Rinse and drip dry the pre-filter thoroughly before replacing it in the inlet of the grill.
3. Every 4-6 months the HEPA-type filter will need to be replaced. Remove the front grill. Remove the used HEPA-type cartridge and dispose of it in the garbage. Do NOT try to wash and re-use the HEPA-type filter. Replace with a new BAPF30 filter, removing the protective polybag before inserting into the air purifier.

NOTE: The pleated material and rubber gasket should be facing towards the unit when applied.

4. Replacement filters (BAPF30) are available from your local supplier or by calling 1-800-253-2764.
5. Filter Life – Under normal conditions of continuous use, the HEPA-type filter will operate efficiently for 4-6 months.

Air Cleaner Model #	Filter Quantity Needed	Filter #	Filter Description
BAP260-U	1	BAPF30	HEPA-type Filter

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Solution
Unit will not operate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check to make sure the unit is plugged in. • Check to make sure the unit is on by turning the Speed Control Knob to the desired speed setting.

Decreased airflow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the filter has not been changed in six months or more, change the HEPA-type filter. • Check the filters to make sure they are in good condition. • Check to ensure nothing is blocking Front Inlet Grill and Filtered Rear Outlet Grill.
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