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# Instruction Manual

Stayhot Heat Tray WPR-306



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### Introduction

Thank you for purchasing our Stayhot Hot Plate WPR-306. Here you will find installation instructions, diagrams, safety guidelines and other valuable information. Please read through this manual and carefully observe the following information.

#### Intended use

The appliance is intended for keeping warm food in suitable kitchenware in restaurants and similar areas, like for example:

- staff kitchens, restaurants, shops and other commercial areas
- by guests in hotels, motels and further similar environments

Other uses or modifications of the appliance are not intended and may constitute considerable risks of accident. For damage arising from any improper use, the manufacturer does not assume liability. The appliance is not designed for commercial use.

#### Technical data

Only connect the appliance to an isolated ground receptacle installed according to regulations. The rated voltage must comply with the details on the rating label. Only connect to alternating current.

Nominal voltage: 230 V~ 50/60 Hz

Nominal power: 300 W

Heat-retaining surface: 53 x 32,5 cm (corresponds to 1/1 GN format

Temperature setting range: approx. 30°C to approx. 105°C

### For Your Safety



**WARNING: Do not use the device if the heating surface is cracked!**

**WARNING: Read all safety advices and instructions.**

**Non-observance of the safety advices and instructions may cause electric shock, fire and/or bad injuries!**

#### General safety advices

- Always keep children under 8 away from the product and the power cord.
- The appliance may be operated by children from the age of 8 years and by persons with handicaps of physical, sensorial or mental nature, who lack knowledge or experience in handling the appliance, if they are supervised or instructed in the safe use of the appliance considered any risks, resulting from it.
- Never leave the appliance unattended during operation.
- Cleaning and maintenance by means of the user must not be carried out by children, unless they are older than 8 years and supervised.
- Children must not play with the appliance.
- Packing material like e.g. foil bags should be kept away from children.
- Do not operate this unit with an external timer or a separate tele-control system.
- Prior to each use, check the appliance and the attachments for soundness, it must not be operated if it has been dropped or shows visible damage. In these cases, the power supply must be disconnected and the appliance has to be checked by a specialist.
- When laying the power cord, make sure that no one can get entangled or stumble over it in order to avoid that the appliance is pulled down accidentally.
- Keep the power cord away from hot surfaces, sharp edges and mechanical forces. Check the power cord regularly for damage and deteriorations. Damaged or entangled cords increase the risk of an electric shock.

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- Do not misuse the power cord for unplugging the appliance!
  - Never immerse the appliance, power cord and power plug in water for cleaning.
  - Do not store the appliance outside or in wet rooms.
  - This electrical appliance complies with the relevant safety standards. In case of signs of damage to the appliance or the power cord, unplug the appliance immediately. Repairs may be effected by authorised specialist shops only. Improper repairs may result in considerable dangers for the user.
  - Improper use and disregard of the instruction manual void all warranty claims.

#### Safety advices for using the appliance



##### **Warning: Hazard of injury and burns!**

**Casing surfaces, placed containers with food and other parts become hot during use and firstly stay hot after switch-off!**

#### Thus, act with caution:

- We recommend using pot cloths.
- Do not use the appliances upper side as depositing rack or working top as it will get hot when operating the appliance! As protection against fire, do generally not put objects made of paper, plastic, fabric or other inflammable material on hot surfaces.
- Do not transport the hot appliance. Appliance and accessories must have cooled completely before cleaning or moving them.

#### Observe the following when setting up the appliance:

- Place the appliance on a heat-resistant, stable and even surface (no varnished surfaces, no table cloths etc.).
- Place it beyond children's reach.
- Leave an appropriate ventilation distance to all sides to avoid damage by heat or fat splatters and to grant an unobstructed work area. Unhindered air supply has to be ensured.
- Do not operate the appliance in the vicinity of sources of heat (oven, gas flame etc.) or in explosive environments, where inflammable liquids or gases are located.



**Attention! Hazard of fire!** The freestanding warming plate is not qualified for installation!

- Do not use the appliance as space heater.
- Do not use the appliance to heat flammable or highly volatile liquids or similar substances.



Pull the power plug after each use for safe switch-off.

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#### Initial use

**Attention: The appliance has a high-quality glass surface. Please be sure to place kitchenware carefully onto the plate and not to slide it on. Hard china may cause scratches.**

- For an effective keeping-warm it is sensible for the hot food to be placed in containers, which have been preheated already. For this purpose, place the heat-resistant containers and trays on the cold hot tray and turn it on.
- The preheating time should be at least 15 – 20 minutes.
- Ensure not to expose the glass to any excessively heavy temperature fluctuations. Therefore, put containers with hot foods only on the preheated appliance.
- To keep food warm, kitchenware with bottoms resting well on the surface are particularly suitable. The bigger the surface, the better the heat transfer. The bottom edge to be placed on should not be too high, as this will otherwise induce more considerable heat losses. Covering the food allows for it to be kept warm yet more efficiently.
- Larger quantities of food in a high container should be stirred and re-shifted time and again in order for the food to be kept warm evenly.
- The appliance is not suited for warming up, defrosting or cooking food.

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## Operation

- Connect the power cord to the appliance.
- Connect the safety plug to an earthed electrical outlet.
- Then switch the appliance on with the rocker switch. The pilot lamp integrated in the switch will illuminate, indicating that the hot tray is switched on.
- The appliance is equipped with a thermostat, which allows for an infinitely variable temperature setting.
- After use, switch the appliance off and pull the mains plug!

The appliance features a continuous temperature setting from about 30 °C to about 105 °C.

<b>1</b> ca. 30 °C	<b>3</b> ca. 40 °C	<b>5</b> ca. 55 °C	<b>7</b> ca. 70 °C	<b>9</b> ca. 85 °C	<b>12</b> ca. 105 °C
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*Guide values for an empty plate at ambient temperature 23°C.*

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## Cleaning and maintenance



**Always unplug and let cool down the appliance before cleaning.**



**Never immerse appliance, power cord or plug in water for cleaning.**

**Make sure no water or steam may infiltrate the appliance from below!**

- Clean the appliance with a damp cloth and some dishwashing detergent. Dry it thoroughly.
- Treat the surfaces with suitable care products from time to time.
- **Never use abrasives, solvents, steel wool or pointed objects!**
- **Never treat the appliance with a steam cleaner!**

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## Disposal/recycling

### Packaging material

Do not simply throw the packaging material away but recycle it. Deliver paper, cardboard and corrugated cardboard to waste paper collection points. Also put plastic packaging material and foils into the specific collection containers.



The printed or embossed markings indicate the materials which were used: PE stands for polyethylene (code 02 means high-density PE, 04 stands for low-density PE), PS stands for polystyrene and CPE for chlorinated polyethylene. PAP 20 means corrugated cardboard and PAP 21 other cardboard. All plastics are thermoplastics which are very easy and efficient to produce. They are also very easy to recycle and therefore can even have a smaller ecological footprint than comparable cardboard packaging.

### Disposal information



According to the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment Directive (2012/19/EU), this product may not be disposed of with other household waste at the end of its service life. Therefore please submit it e.g. at a municipal collection point (e.g. recycling center) according to the laws of your country of residence for the recycling of electrical and electronic appliances. Your municipality or city administration will inform you about the disposal options.

**Tip:** Give appliances that are no longer required but still functional to a charitable purpose (e.g. as a donation). This does not only improve the environmental balance and ensures more sustainability, but also testifies to a welcome social commitment.

If you have any further questions regarding our product, please get in touch.

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