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Model: PAR-200

## IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical products, especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING.**
- **DANGER:** To reduce the risk of electrocution: Always unplug the appliance from the electrical outlet immediately after using and before cleaning. Do not reach for an appliance that has fallen into water. Unplug it immediately.
- **WARNING:** To reduce the risk of burns, fire, electric shock, or injury to persons: Close supervision is necessary when this appliance is used by, on, or near children, invalids, or disabled persons.
- Use this appliance only for its intended use as described in this manual. Do not use attachments not recommended by HoMedics.
- Never operate this appliance if it has a damaged cord or plug, if it is not working properly, if it has been dropped or damaged, or dropped into water. Return it to a HoMedics Service Center for examination and repair.
- Keep cord away from heated surfaces.
- Never use while sleeping or drowsy.
- Never drop or insert any object into any opening.
- Do not operate where aerosol (spray) products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not immerse the unit in water or any other liquid.
- This appliance is intended for household use only.
- Do not attempt to repair the appliance. There are no user-serviceable parts.

**SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS.**

## PRODUCT FEATURES

- Paraffin heat treatment for softening and smoothing hands, elbows, and feet.
- Heat therapy helps soothe sore muscles and aching joints.
- Adjustable temperature control for safe and comfortable use.
- Cool-touch tub design, keeping the inner tub cooler to the touch.
- Variable control dial to select desired temperature.
- Power on/off LED indicator.
- Heater on/off indicator.
- Includes 6 pounds of pure, hypo-allergenic paraffin wax (no scents or dyes).
- Includes 60 plastic liners to extend heat treatment benefits.
- Attractive transparent lid.
- Removable grate.

## SETUP INSTRUCTIONS

1. Place the ParaSpa unit on a flat, sturdy, heat-resistant surface.
2. Remove the lid and place it aside.
3. Ensure the removable grate is at the bottom of the tub.
4. Open the bags of paraffin wax and break the wax into smaller pieces if necessary. Place the wax into the tub. The unit requires a minimum of 4 lbs of wax to cover the heating elements. The unit can hold up to 6 lbs of wax.
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This image illustrates the process of adding the included paraffin wax into the main basin of the HoMedics ParaSpa Deluxe Paraffin Bath. The unit is white with a control dial visible on the front.

6. Plug the unit into a 120V AC electrical outlet. The red "Power" indicator light will illuminate.
7. Turn the control dial to the "Hot" setting. The green "Heater On" indicator light will illuminate.
8. Allow approximately 2-2.5 hours for the wax to melt completely. The green "Heater On" light will turn off once the wax reaches the maximum temperature.
9. Once the wax is melted, turn the control dial to the "Low" or "Med" setting for a comfortable temperature. Wait approximately 15-20 minutes for the wax to cool to a safe and comfortable

temperature for dipping.

10. Before dipping, test the wax temperature on a small area of your wrist to ensure it is comfortable and not too hot.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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1. Wash the area to be treated (hands, elbows, or feet) thoroughly and dry completely.
2. Slowly immerse the area into the melted paraffin wax. Remove immediately. Wait a few seconds for the wax to solidify.
3. Repeat this dipping process 3-5 times, allowing each layer to harden slightly before re-dipping. This builds up a thick wax layer.
4. For extended heat therapy, place a plastic liner (provided) over the waxed area. This helps retain heat and moisture.
5. Allow the wax to remain on the skin for 10-20 minutes.
6. To remove the wax, peel it off the skin. The wax should come off easily. Discard the used wax. Do not reuse wax that has been removed from the skin.
7. After treatment, apply a moisturizer to the treated area if desired.

**Note:** Always ensure the wax is at a comfortable temperature before dipping. Never leave the unit unattended while operating.

## MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

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### Cleaning the Unit:

- Always unplug the unit from the electrical outlet and allow it to cool completely before cleaning.
- To clean the exterior, wipe with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or harsh chemicals.
- Never immerse the unit in water or any other liquid.

### Replacing Wax:

- The paraffin wax can be reused for personal use. However, it is recommended to replace the wax after approximately 20-30 uses, or if it appears dirty or contaminated.
- To remove old wax, ensure the unit is unplugged and cooled. The wax will solidify. You can then gently pry out the solid block of wax.
- Discard the old wax and follow the "Setup Instructions" to add new paraffin wax.

### Storage:

- Store the unit in a cool, dry place.
- Do not wrap the power cord around the unit.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
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Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Unit does not turn on.	Not plugged in; power outlet malfunction.	Ensure unit is securely plugged into a working electrical outlet. Check circuit breaker.
Wax is not melting.	Temperature dial not set to "Hot"; insufficient time for melting.	Ensure dial is set to "Hot" and allow 2-2.5 hours for initial melting. Verify green "Heater On" light is illuminated.
Wax is too hot.	Temperature dial set too high; insufficient cooling time.	After wax melts, turn dial to "Low" or "Med" and wait 15-20 minutes for wax to cool to a comfortable temperature. Always test on wrist.
Wax is too cool.	Temperature dial set too low.	Adjust dial to a higher setting (e.g., "Med") and allow time for wax to reheat.

## SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model:** PAR-200
- **Product Dimensions:** 14.25 x 7 x 7.5 inches (or 14" L x 8" W x 8.5" H)
- **Item Weight:** 11 Pounds
- **Material:** Plastic, Stainless Steel
- **Wax Capacity:** 4 to 6 pounds
- **Power:** 120V AC (standard household outlet)

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- **Website:** [www.homedics.com](http://www.homedics.com)
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