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Your guide to setting up, operating, and maintaining your simplehuman trash can.

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The simplehuman 10 Liter / 2.6 Gallon Slim Profile Step Trash Can is designed for efficient waste disposal in compact spaces. Its durable construction and thoughtful features ensure reliable performance.



Image: The simplehuman 10 Liter Slim Profile Step Trash Can in brushed stainless steel, featuring a black plastic lid and a foot pedal at the base.

2. SETUP

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all components from the packaging. Ensure all parts are present: the outer stainless steel can, the inner plastic bucket, and the lid assembly.
2. **Placement:** Position the trash can in your desired location. Its slim profile is ideal for bathrooms or under desks where space is limited. Consider the dimensions: 14.2 inches (length) x 6.6 inches (width) x 13.3 inches (height).



Image: A diagram showing the dimensions of the simplehuman trash can: 14.2 inches long, 6.6 inches wide, and 13.3 inches high.

3. **Insert Inner Bucket:** Place the black plastic inner bucket into the stainless steel outer can. Ensure it sits securely at the bottom.



Image: The black plastic inner bucket partially lifted from the brushed stainless steel outer can, showing its design.

4. Install Trash Liner:

- For optimal fit, use simplehuman Code R custom fit liners. These liners are designed to fit perfectly without bunching or slipping.
- Alternatively, standard grocery bags can be used. The inner bucket features handles on either side to help secure the bag loops in place.



Image: A white trash bag secured around the rim of the black plastic inner bucket, ready for use.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- **Opening the Lid:**

- **Foot Pedal:** Step firmly on the steel foot pedal located at the base of the can. The lid will open smoothly.
- **Manual Open:** The lid can also be opened manually by lifting it from the front edge.



Image: A hand lifting the black plastic lid of the simplehuman trash can, demonstrating manual opening.

- **Closing the Lid:**

- **Silent-Close Feature:** When using the foot pedal, simply release the pedal, and the lid will close slowly and silently due to its patented lid shox technology.
- **Manual Close:** If opened manually, gently lower the lid until it closes completely.

- **Emptying the Trash:** When the liner is full, lift the inner bucket out of the outer can. Remove the filled liner, dispose of its contents, and replace with a new liner. Then, place the inner bucket back into the outer can.

4. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning the Exterior:**

- Wipe the brushed stainless steel exterior with a soft, damp cloth and a mild stainless steel cleaner if necessary. Avoid abrasive cleaners or scrubbers that could scratch the finish.
- The dent-proof plastic lid can be cleaned with a damp cloth and mild soap.
- The invisible silver-ion coating on the brushed model resists fingerprints and helps prevent the spread of germs.



Image: A close-up top view of the simplehuman trash can's black plastic lid, showing its smooth surface.

- **Cleaning the Inner Bucket:** The removable inner bucket can be washed with warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and dry before placing it back into the outer can.



Image: The black plastic inner bucket of the simplehuman trash can, shown empty and ready for cleaning or liner installation.

- **Pedal Maintenance:** The strong steel pedal is engineered for durability. If the pedal mechanism feels stiff, ensure no debris is obstructing its movement.
- **Replacement Parts:** If the inner bucket becomes damaged or excessively worn, replacement buckets are available from simplehuman to refresh your can.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

Issue	Possible Cause	Solution
Lid not closing smoothly or silently.	Obstruction in the lid mechanism or hinge.	Check for any debris or objects blocking the lid's path. Ensure the lid is properly aligned.

Issue	Possible Cause	Solution
Foot pedal feels stiff or unresponsive.	Debris under the pedal or a mechanical issue.	Inspect the area around the pedal for obstructions. If the issue persists, contact customer support.
Trash liner slips down into the can.	Liner not properly secured or incorrect size.	Ensure the liner is fully wrapped around the inner bucket's rim and secured by the bag handles if using grocery bags. Consider using simplehuman Code R custom fit liners for a secure fit.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model Number:** CW1180
- **Capacity:** 10 Liters / 2.6 Gallons
- **Dimensions (L x W x H):** 14.2 x 6.6 x 13.3 inches
- **Weight:** 3.95 Pounds
- **Material:** Brushed Stainless Steel (exterior), Plastic (lid and inner bucket)
- **Opening Mechanism:** Step-On Pedal
- **Special Features:** Slim Profile, Silent-Close Lid, Strong Steel Pedal, Dent-Proof Plastic Lid, Fingerprint-Proof Coating (Brushed model only), Removable Inner Bucket
- **Recommended Use:** Bathroom, Office, Small Spaces

7. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

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