

JT Eaton PD-17770

JT Eaton Jawz Mouse Traps PD-17770 Instruction Manual

Model: PD-17770 | Brand: JT Eaton

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing JT Eaton Jawz Plastic Mouse Traps. This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and effective use of your mouse traps. Please read all instructions carefully before setup and operation to ensure proper function and safety.

SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: Handle with care. Mouse traps are designed to kill mice and can cause injury if not handled properly. Keep out of reach of children and pets. Always wear gloves when handling traps, especially after a catch, to prevent contact with potential pathogens.

- Do not place traps in areas accessible to children or non-target animals.
- Avoid touching the trap mechanism once it is set.
- Dispose of captured rodents and traps according to local regulations.
- Wash hands thoroughly after handling traps or bait.

SETUP AND BAITING

Proper baiting and setup are crucial for effective mouse control.

1. **Choose Bait:** The Jawz trap is designed for both solid and liquid baits. Recommended baits include peanut butter, chocolate spread, or JT Eaton's own liquid bait. Apply a small amount of bait to the bait cup located on the trap's trigger plate.



Image: A JT Eaton Jawz Mouse Trap showing the bait cup where solid or liquid bait should be placed.

2. **Prepare the Trap:** Hold the trap firmly with one hand. With the other hand, pull back the spring-loaded kill bar until it locks into place. The red label on the trap will face upward, indicating it is properly set.
3. **Placement:** Place traps along walls or in corners where mouse activity is suspected. Mice tend to travel along edges. Position the trap with the bait cup facing the wall. For best results, use multiple traps spaced 2-3 feet apart.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once set, the trap is ready to capture mice.

- The trap will activate when a mouse attempts to consume the bait, triggering the high-tension spring.
- Regularly check traps for activity.
- When a mouse is caught, dispose of the mouse and reset the trap or discard the trap as needed.

MAINTENANCE

To ensure continued effectiveness and hygiene:

- **Cleaning:** If reusing traps, clean them thoroughly with warm, soapy water and disinfect. Allow to dry completely before re-baiting and resetting.
- **Storage:** Store unused or cleaned traps in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and out of reach of children and pets.
- **Inspection:** Periodically inspect traps for any damage or wear. Replace damaged traps to ensure proper function.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Trap not triggering	Bait not placed correctly; trap mechanism not fully set; mouse too small or cautious.	Ensure bait is firmly in the bait cup. Verify the red label is facing up. Try a different bait or placement.
Bait is eaten, but no mouse caught	Mouse is able to lick or remove bait without triggering the trap.	Use a stickier bait (e.g., peanut butter) that requires the mouse to pull, or press the bait deeper into the cup.
No mouse activity near traps	Traps are not placed in active runways.	Relocate traps to areas with signs of mouse activity (droppings, gnaw marks, rub marks).

SPECIFICATIONS

- **Brand:** JT Eaton
- **Model Number:** PD-17770
- **Material:** Plastic
- **Number of Pieces:** 6 (in a pack)
- **Target Species:** Mouse
- **Bait Compatibility:** Solid or Liquid Bait

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