

# Installing CrownWall®Around an Outlet/Switch Plate

Before installing the Crownwall® system around a wall switch plate or power outlet, there are a few important considerations to be made in order to achieve the best final result. This guide will help you understand them.



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#### **Tools to Cut Panels**





Oscillating Saw

Jig Saw

#### WARNING



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ANY WORK IN OR
AROUND AN
ELECTRICAL OUTLET,
ENSURE THAT ALL
POWER TO THE OUTLET
HAS BEEN DISABLED.

## Step 1: Before Panel Installation

Before beginning any work in or around a power outlet, ensure that the power to that outlet has been disabled.

Disassemble the receptacle unit, removing the face plate and switch or power plug from the wall.

Wrap the switch unit with electrical tape as seen below, so as to secure the wire connections during reassembly later on in the process





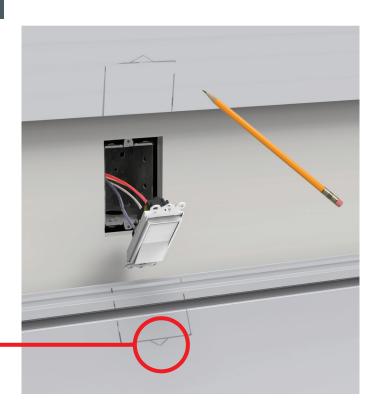


### Step 2: Panel Installation

Install panels on the wall as per normal procedure. Once the electrical outlet/switch opening has been reached, measure and mark the area over the receptacle opening. This area will be cut out.

Ensure that the opening in the panels is marked with notches on the top or bottom where the installation screws will be used to secure the electrical box. Alternatively, the entire opening can be cut a bit larger to accommodate the screws.

Marked notches



#### **Step 3: Cutting**

Cut out the marked panel sections with an oscillating saw or jigsaw. Install the panels around the electrical outlet/switch opening.

Note the cut out notches





## Step 4: Reassembly

When reassembling the switch unit, ensure to use screws that are a proper longer length, as the switch and switch plate are now further forward than before panel installation.

Install the switch back in place with the screws passing through the notches cut out earlier.



#### **Step 5: Reassembly**

With the switch or power unit reinstalled with proper length screws, mount the face plate.

The panel installation around the electrical outlet/switch is now finished.

