

# BALBOA™

water group

## SKIMMER INSTALLATION

### SPA AND HOT TUB

- 1) Locate a flat surface approximately 4" x 12" where the skimmer will mount flush to the wall.  
**NOTE:** The skimmer can be mounted over the tile if necessary to obtain a flat surface.
- 2) Center the skimmer plate to the normal water line.
- 3) From the top of the skimmer, 8 1/2" down, mark a spot and drill a hole using a 2 1/2" hole saw for the thru wall fitting.
- 4) Install the skimmer thru wall fitting with the gasket on the back or front using silicone as a seal, and secure using the straight or 90° backing nut.
- 5) Holding the skimmer face plate in position, insert the skimmer grate thru the skimmer and thread it into the thru wall fitting hand tight.
- 6) Making sure the skimmer is properly positioned (straight up and down), drill a 5/32" diameter hole through the wall using the hole at the top of the skimmer face plate as a guide.
- 7) Using a small amount of silicone on the hole and screw, insert the screw through the face and thread it into the wall.

NOTE: USE MULTIPLE SUCTION OUTLETS. IF FITTING BREAKS, REPLACE IT.

