

Concealed installation of electrical boxes



Article Overview

Electrical boxes can be concealed using recessed mounting, hinged decorative panels, custom cabinetry, or creative wall treatments while maintaining safety and accessibility.

Recessed or Flush-Mounted Installation

One of the most effective methods is recessed or flush-mounted installation, where the electrical box is built directly into the wall. This approach reduces the risk of accidental contact with wires and creates a clean, unobtrusive look. Proper preparation is essential: mark the exact location, ensure no hidden pipes or wires are present, and use precise drilling tools such as carbide drill bits for concrete or brick walls. Standard heights for outlets and switches should be followed (e.g., 30 cm from the floor for sockets, 110 cm for switches) to comply with electrical codes and ergonomic standards .

Decorative and Hinged Covers

For boxes that cannot be recessed, decorative covers provide an elegant solution. Options include artwork, mirrors, or panels mounted on hinges so they can swing open without tools, ensuring rapid access for maintenance or emergencies. Magnetic catches or small latches can keep the cover flush against the wall while allowing easy opening . Lightweight folding screens or panels can also be used in open areas to conceal boxes while maintaining accessibility .

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