

# **Modular Doorway Gym Owner's Manual**

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To ensure safe operation, please review this Owner's Manual before using your Gorilla Gym. Save this instruction manual for as long as you own this product. Include this instruction manual when loading or reselling this product to others. Use this instruction manual if you need to contact the manufacturer for any reason.

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# **Important Safety Information**

# A WARNING

Check with your physician before beginning any fitness training, including Gorilla Gym. Serious injury or death can result from improper use of fitness devices. Follow all warnings and instructions, including those in the instruction manual.

# A WARNING

To minimize risk of death or serious injury, observe the following precautions for all modes of Gorilla Gym use:

• Follow all instructions given in this manual, and insist that others follow them as well. Do not alter Gorilla Gym, substitute parts, or use Gorilla Gym for any purpose or in any matter other than as described in this manual.

• Do not use more than one accessory at a time. Use only Gorilla Gym accessories. Gorilla Gym is not tested to work with third-party accessories.

• Gorilla Gym is intended for home use only. Do not use Gorilla Gym in public gymnasiums, health clubs, hotels, or any other non-residential environment.

• Gorilla Gym is intended for indoor use only. Avoid extreme temperatures or conditions that could weaken or compromise Gorilla Gym's installation or usage.

• Consult your physician before beginning any exercise program.

• Do not install or use Gorilla Gym without the safety shim installed and wedged between your door frame and the fitness plastic bar.

• Do not allow more than one person to use Gorilla Gym, or any of its accessories, at the same time.

• Every time before starting your exercise or swinging program, have an adult check the Gorilla Gym platform and mounted door frame for parts that might be loose, damaged, or worn. Specifically examine the door frame. If any such problems are found, do not use this equipment.

• Reduce your risk of injury by exercising safely with attention to proper techniques and practices

• Observe the weight limits provided in this manual for Gorilla Gym and each accessory. Different accessories have different weight limits. Do not overload Gorilla Gym or its accessories with weight beyond the specified amount.

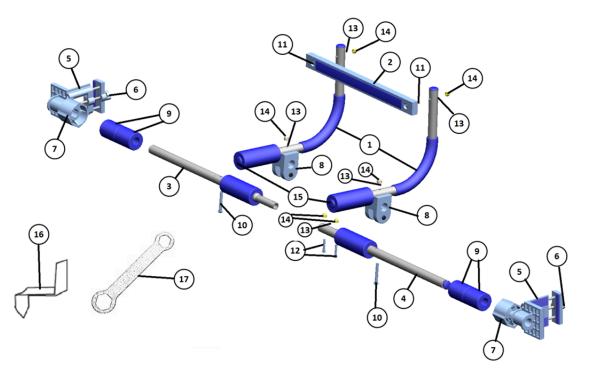
• To avoid property damage, do not over-tighten the vice grip attachments on Gorilla Gym.

• Ask your physician about performing stretching exercises before and after each workout to prevent muscle injury.

• Before use, review warning labels placed on Gorilla Gym vice grip and its components.

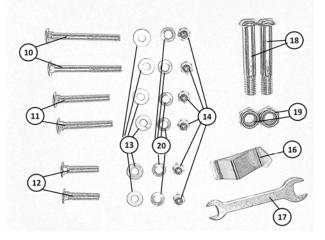
Go to <u>www.gorilla-gym.com</u> or e-mail us at <u>service@gorilla-gym.com</u> should you have questions about the safety information or if you need a replacement user manual.

## **Parts List**



- 1. Curved Handle Bars (qty 2)
- 2. Horizontal Plastic Bar (qty 1)
- 3. Main Support Bar (Left Half)
- 4. Main Support Bar (Right Half)
- 5. Gorilla Gym Vice-Grip (qty 2)
- 6. Vice-Grip Adjuster (qty 2)
- 7. Vice-Grip Tightener (qty 2)
- 8. Stabilizer (qty 2)
- 9. Removable Short Padded Grips (qty 4)
- 10. Long Bolts (qty 2)
- 11. Medium Bolts (qty 2)
- 12. Short bolts (qty 2)
- 13. Washers (qty 6)
- 14. Locking Nut (qty 6)
- 15. End Caps (qty 2)
- 16. Safety Shim
- 17. Assembly Tool
- 18. Medium Thick Bolt (qty 2)
- 19. Nut with Rubberized Threading (qty 2)
- 20. Locking washers (qty 6)

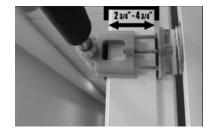




# **Specifications**

- Fits standard door frames: 24" to 36" wide
- Door trim width (see picture): 2 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> 4 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch





- Maximum supported weight (Gorilla Gym): 300 lbs
- Maximum supported weight for attachments:
  - o Pullup extender: 240lbs
  - o Ab straps: 200lbs
  - Fight station: 50lbs
  - o Swing: 200lbs
  - o Toddler swing: 30lbs
  - o Swing deluxe: 30lbs

# **Assembly Instructions**

CAUTION: Carefully read and understand all of the following directions for proper installation before you begin.

Watch the assembly instructions video: http://gorilla-gym.com/gorilla-gym-assembly-video/

Tighten nuts and bolts with the enclosed assembly wrench



Attach the two Main Support Bar halves (3 and 4) together with the two Short Bolts (12), washers (13), locking washers (20), and nuts (14).
Note: Use of the locking washers here is optional

Match the head (square base) of the bolt with the square opening.

Note: When assembled, the two screws connecting the horizontal bar will be off center.

Attach the two curved bars to the horizontal plastic bar using the medium bolts (11), washers (13), locking washers (20), and nuts (14).

Make sure the head (square base) of each bolt goes on the padded side of the plastic bar.







3) Connect the two curved bars (1) to the Main Support Bar using the Long Bolts (12). The curved bars (1) should be nested in the plastic stabilizers (8) on the main support bar (3,4).

Use the Long Bolts (12) to connect all three of these surfaces together with the head square base of the bolt threaded through underneath so the square hole matches with the square base of the bolt. Then use the washers (13), nuts (14), and locking nuts (20) to finish the attachment connection at the top. When finished, all the nuts/washer end points should be facing upward.

Note: You must match the head (square base) of the Long Bolts (12) to the square openings on the main support bar to ensure proper fit.

4) Connect each Vice-Grip (5) with the shallower end of the tightener (7) turning onto the threads of each Vice-Grip. The deeper end of the tightener should be on the outside.

Note: Make sure you double check that the deeper end of the tightener is on the outside and the shallower end is on the inside.

5) Slide the Vise-Grips (5) onto each end of the long horizontal bar (3 + 4) so that the bar tightener (7) is on the inside.

Note: You can place the removable padded grips (9) either inside or outside the Vice-Grips depending on your door frame width.

6) Put the thick bolts (18) through the stabilizers (8) with the nut with rubberized threading (19) on the inside part. Hand-tightening the nut is enough and a little extra space on the thick bolt is okay. Since the nut features rubberized thread, there is no need to use a wrench to over-tighten.





7) Once you have assembled your Gorilla Gym, make sure all the nuts and bolts have been securely fastened with the enclosed assembly wrench, tighten wherever necessary.

#### Installation

(watch the installation demo video: http://gorilla-gym.com/how-it-works/installation-video/)

Gorilla Gym attaches and removes from most standard door frames in seconds but make sure your door frame and the moldings around it are safe, secure, and solid. If you see any breaks or weakness in the frame or surrounding moldings, your Gorilla Gym should not be used as serious injury may result. Once you are sure that the doorway you chose has the correct door moldings around it, you are ready to install.

1) Place the 'Safety Shim' (16) with the sharp end behind the middle door frame molding on the same side as the door hinge. Make sure it is inserted and secure behind the molding.

Note: In some occasions, the space between the wall and the door trim may be painted over so you won't be able to simply slide in the safety shim. In this case, you can press down the safety shim and the sharp tip will penetrate the paint or you can choose to install Gorilla Gym without the safety shim. The Safety Shim helps keep the Gorilla Gym in place while you secure the Vice-Grips on the sides of the doorway moldings. (See figure A).If installed correctly, Gorilla Gym is safe to use without the safety shim with most attachments. You must install the safety shim when using the Speed Bag.

2) Place the bottom of the Gorilla Gym's plastic bar (2) into the grasp of the Safety Shim while moving the Gorilla Gym to rest onto the top of the door frame. (See fig. B). This allows the long horizontal bar (3 + 4) to rest momentarily on the outside of the doorway trim with the Vice-Grips (5) hanging in between.

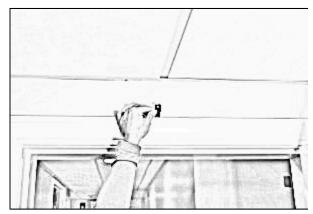


Figure A

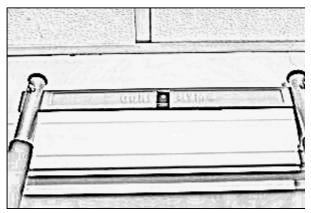
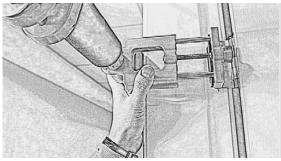


Figure B

3) Make sure Vice-grips (5) are open wide enough (unscrew the adjuster if needed to open the vise grips wider). Next guide the open Vice-Grips on both sides to fully slide flush against the interior door molding trim (See figure C).



First on one side, make sure the Vice grips align with the interior doorway trim.

Tighten the Vice-Grips with the Adjuster (6) until contact is tight with the interior doorway trim. Repeat with the other Vise-Grip on the other side of doorway. (See Figure D). DO NOT OVERTIGHTEN with the Adjusters (6) as this might damage your interior doorway trim.

After both vise-grips are secured on each side, tighten each vise grip with the Tightener (7) to secure their position on the long horizontal bar. (See figure E).

Note: IT IS IMPORTANT that you tighten each Vise-Grip so no side-to-side movement by the Vice-Grips is possible.

CHECK: Hold and shake the Gorilla Gym for any evic the unit is securely installed into the door frame. If it i Vise-grips are correctly aligned and tighten with the ac

Figure F shows how Gorilla Gym should be mounted properly

There, you are done! It takes less than 5 minutes to install.

Figure C

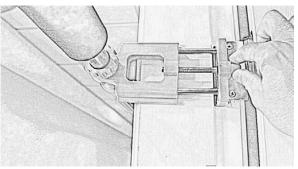


Figure D

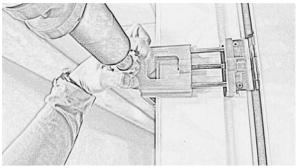


Figure E



Figure F

Congratulations on purchasing the Gorilla Gym! Get fit and have fun in the comfort and convenience of your own home. Install the Gorilla Gym Family Fitness Hub in your own doorway in seconds without tools or drilling. Our patented Vice-Grips add stability to allow you to perform a wider variety of exercises with a larger range of motions such as pull-ups, chin-ups, swinging arm, ab, and shoulder exercises. Add multiple attachments for additional exercises and activities for men, women, and children such as boxing, yoga, and swinging. Gorilla Gym is an affordable, compact multi-function home gym designed for busy people who don't want to fill up their home with expensive single-function exercise equipment. Compact, lightweight, professional quality steel frame supports up to 300 pounds (weight limits vary for optional attachments). Gorilla Gym provides something for everyone in the family.

# **Gorilla Gym Attachments (sold separately)**



#### **Pullup Extender**

The pullup extender allows additional space away from the door plane for taller people and allows for a wider variety of pull-ups and hand positions.

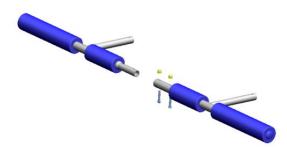
#### Assembly

Connect each half of the extender bars with the 2 sets of nuts, bolts, and washers. (See Figure G)

#### Installation

#### (see demo video: <a href="http://youtu.be/y\_ynu6QbvH0">http://youtu.be/y\_ynu6QbvH0</a>)

Remove the plastic pipe end caps of the Gorilla Gym's curved pipes. Align and attach the two connector pipes into the ends of the curved Gorilla Gym pipes until the locking metal buttons snap into place (see fig. H).





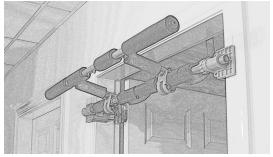


Figure H

Note: Check to see that all connections are solid and that nuts, bolts, washers etc. have been tightened properly. Check to see that the connections are solid by holding, pulling, and swaying the connected pipes back and forth.

## Ab Straps

The Ab Straps allow hang and swing for a complete core workout

#### Assembly and use

The Ab Straps are hung over the curved handle bars (figure P). To use, insert your arms in the ab straps with your upper arm (just above the elbow) resting on the ab straps while you hold tightly the curved bars handles (see figure Q).





Figure P

Figure Q

## **Air Straps**

(see how to attach: <a href="http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4QVQw1Myc7M">http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4QVQw1Myc7M</a>)

Air Straps allows for an anti-gravity workout that engages all 11 of your muscle groups. They attach right onto the stabilizers with a simple snap of the carbineer. Simply attach the short straps to the carabiner of the long strap. Then clip the carabiner to the thick bolts on the stabilizers. Next, you can adjust to your desired arm and foot length by pulling on the loose ends of the straps.



Just adjust to your desired arm and foot lengths, put your hands and feet through our patented straps. You will be airborne and able to perform multiple non-impact exercises that engage all muscle groups. Use extreme caution when doing these cardio intensive exercises and make sure your doctor has approved such cardio exercises.



#### **Fight Station Attachment**

Designed to hold a 50 pound (20 kg) boxing heavy bag as well as a speed bag assembly.



#### Installation

(watch demo video: http://youtu.be/C8\_RA6M7za0)

Remove the pipe end caps of the Gorilla Gym's curved pipes. Align and attach the Fight Station Attachment pipes into the ends of the curved Gorilla Gym pipes until the locking metal buttons snap into place. (See Figure J)

Check to see that the connections are solid by holding, pulling, and swaying the connected pipes back and forth.

Attach the heavy bag with a carabiner to the hook at the tip of the fight station (see figure K).

NOTE: Ensure that the vise grips tighteners (7) are tightened all the way (see figure E)

Figure I: Fight Station attachment

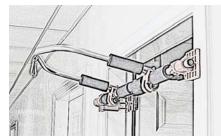


Figure J

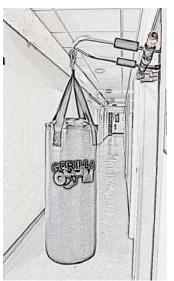


Figure K



#### Swing

Gorilla Gym offers 3 swing attachments (swing, toddler swing, and swing deluxe). See figures M, N, O.







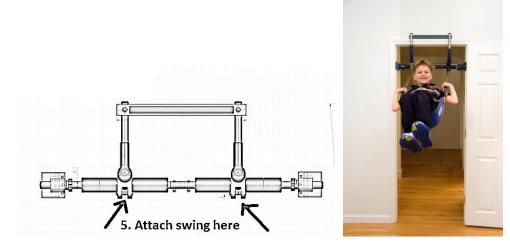
Figure M: Swing

Figure N: Deluxe Swing

Figure O: Toddler Swing

#### Assembly

The swing is attached to the stability blocks (8) and is secured with the tightening pin/bolt (13,14). See figure L.





Swings are attached by passing the swing rope through the stability blocks and securing with the tightening pins/bolts.

(watch the installation demo video: <u>http://youtu.be/OTNtvJYeIPE</u>) (see how to adjust the swing height: <u>http://youtu.be/HvdJxFfsO50</u>)

## Trapeze

The trapeze attaches right onto the stabilizers by taking out the thick bolt and putting in the rope in place then putting the thick bolt & nut back in place. Kids can practice gymnastics or just hang and swing with their arms.

## Rope

(installation demo: <a href="http://youtu.be/DYTyiYas8GY">http://youtu.be/DYTyiYas8GY</a>)

Simply swing the side of the rope with the carabiner side over the main horizontal bar and then pinch the rope with the carabiner thus securing the rope. Test the connection and your child is ready to practice climbing, swinging, and playing jungle indoors.

## Rings

The rings attach right onto the stabilizers by taking out the thick bolt and putting in the rope in place then putting the thick bolt & nut back in place. Your kids are ready to start with some fun gymnastics.

## Ladder

(installation video: http://youtu.be/DYTyiYas8G)

The ladder attaches right onto the stabilizers by taking out the thick bolt and putting in the rope in place then putting the thick bolt & nut back in place. Now your kids are ready to climb around and have fun indoors.











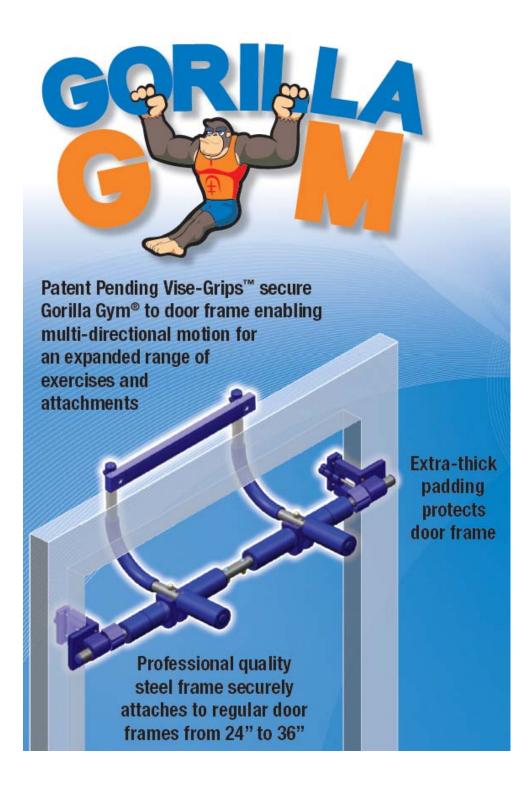
#### **Yoga Swing**

(watch the installation demo video: http://youtu.be/X-5v1BgPzR4)

The Yoga Swing attaches right onto the stabilizers by taking out the thick bolt and putting in the metal hooks in place and then putting the thick bolt & nut back in place. Now you have support and motion to enable you to deepen your poses.

#### **Other Gorilla Gym Attachments**

Refer to the specific installation instructions enclosed with attachment.



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