



# Habitat for Humanity Nail Gun Reference Guide



**WARNING! MUST BE 18 YEARS OLD TO USE THIS TOOL**



## Proper Attire

### Safety Glasses



### Hearing Protection



### Closed Toe Shoes



### Hard Hat



## Before Use

- **POINT THE NAIL GUN DOWN AT ALL TIMES**
- **Do not point tool at yourself or others at anytime**
- **Always assume the tool contains Nails**
- **If nails/fasteners need to be loaded, contact a supervisor for help**
- **Keep Hands clear of immediate work surface and contact strip**
- **Be aware of material thickness when using nail gun**
- **Be aware of other electrical wires, plumbing, or other obstructions that nails might strike during use**
- **Connect air hose to Nail Gun and turn air on**
- **Make sure air hose will not be a tripping hazard**

## During Use

- **Place nose of gun firmly on material to be nailed**
- **Squeeze the trigger quickly and then release**
- **DO NOT HOLD TRIGGER, this will shoot one nail on top of another**
- **Repeat process at next location**
- **Pay close attention to the operation of tool during use**
- **IF nails do not shoot out, the nail gun is either out of nails or JAMMED...Do not keep pulling the trigger, CONTACT A SUPERVISOR for assistance**
- **Never drive nails near edge of materials, possible splitting of wood may cause recoiling nails**

## After Use

- **POINT THE NAIL GUN DOWN AT ALL TIMES**
- **DO NOT keep trigger in depressed mode when tool is not in use**
- **Unplug air hose and put the nail gun away**



**!!!If at any time you do not feel comfortable using a tool, STOP, and ask for assistance!!!**