

Before installing, let moulding acclimatize to the environment for at least 72 hours in the room where it will be installed.

Shiplap panels are designed to have a drywall support in the back.

Note: For ceiling installations, ensure there is adequate adhesive and nails used that penetrate the floor joists.

## Horizontal installation

- 1 Leave a space at the bottom and top to allow for expansion due to temperature and humidity. These gaps can be coved with moulding when completed.
- 2 Start at the bottom of the wall and orient the panels so that the female side is facing the bottom.
- 3 Apply adhesive and nail panel along the grooved nail guide. Continue to install panels all the way up. Cut last panel to size and nail on edge.

## Vertical Installation

- 1 Leave a space at the corners of the wall to allow for expansion due to temperature and humidity. These gaps can be coved with moulding when completed.
- 2 Begin installation from one side of the wall with the female end facing the corner.
- 3 Apply adhesive and nail panel along the grooved nail guide. Continue to install panels across the wall. Cut last panel to size and nail on edge.

Shiplap panels can be painted before or after installation. Cover up gaps and uneven edges with moulding.