

**Use & Care Guide**

**REMINGTON®**  
**ProAir®**  
*IONIC*



Model DC-1880  
Please Read Prior to Use

### ***Congratulations***

On the purchase of your new Remington® ProAir® Ionic Dryer. We at Remington® wish to thank you for supporting Remington Products Company, L.L.C. with your purchase. As with all Remington products, your ProAir® has been manufactured with the utmost care and attention to detail and performance to ensure your complete satisfaction.

Please take a moment to familiarize yourself with the operating instructions prior to use to ensure maximum satisfaction when using your new Remington® ProAir®. Again, thank you for choosing Remington®.

## **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

When using electrical appliances, especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following.

**READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS  
BEFORE USING.**

**DANGER**

**KEEP AWAY FROM WATER**

As with most electrical appliances, electrical parts are electrically live even when the switch is off.

#### **To reduce the risk of electric shock:**

1. Always unplug hair dryer immediately after using.

2. Do not use while bathing.
3. Do not place or store appliance where it can fall or be pulled into a tub or sink.
4. Do not place or drop into water or other liquid.
5. If an appliance falls into water, unplug it immediately. **Do not reach into the water.**

## **WARNING**

### **To reduce the risk of burns, electrocution, fire, or injury to persons:**

1. An appliance should never be left unattended when it is plugged in.
2. Close supervision is necessary when this appliance is used by, on, or near children or invalids.
3. Use this appliance only for its intended use as described in this manual. Do not use attachments not recommended by Remington.
4. Never operate this appliance if it has a damaged cord or plug, if it is not working properly, or if it has been dropped, damaged, or dropped into water. If any of these things occur, return the appliance to Remington Customer Service for repair or replacement.
5. Keep the cord away from heated surfaces. **Do not wrap the cord around the appliance.**
6. Never block the air openings of the appliance or place it on a soft surface, such as a bed or couch, where the air openings may

be blocked. Keep the air openings free of lint, hair, etc.

7. Never use while sleeping.
8. Never drop or insert any object into an opening on the dryer.
9. Do not use outdoors or operate where aerosol (spray) products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
10. Do not direct hot air toward eyes or other heat-sensitive areas.
11. Attachments may be hot during use. Allow them to cool before handling.
12. Do not place appliance on any surface while it is operating.
13. While using the appliance, keep your hair out of it—keep your hair away from the air inlets.
14. Do not use in countries with 220/240 volt electrical systems; use only with 110/120 volt electrical systems.
15. Do not operate with a voltage converter.
16. Connect this appliance to a properly grounded outlet only.
17. Do not use an extension cord with this appliance.
18. Household use only

**SAVE THESE  
INSTRUCTIONS**

## ALCI SAFETY DEVICE

This hair dryer is provided with an appliance leakage circuit interrupter (ALCI) safety device built into the plug. This device is designed to make the unit inoperable under some abnormal conditions, such as accidental immersion in water. The ALCI safety device is equipped with a test button so that its operation can be checked. This unit should be tested before each use to confirm that the safety device is operational.

### To test:

After plugging in your hair dryer:

1. Press the reset button on the ALCI device.
2. Press the test button. The reset button will pop out. This verifies that the safety device is operating properly.
3. Press the reset button to reactivate your ALCI safety device.
4. Your hair dryer is now ready for use.

**Note:** This unit may automatically trip when unplugged. If so, the unit must be reset after it is plugged in. After following the above testing procedure, should the indicator device not function properly, call Remington Customer Service at 800-736-4648.

1. Should the ALCI safety device trip (i.e., reset button pops out) during use, press the reset button. Should the air styler fail to reset, call Remington Customer Service at 800-736-4648. Never operate this appliance if it has been dropped in water; contact Remington Customer Service at 800-736-4648.

2. The dryer is designed to work on ordinary household current only, 125 volts A.C., 60 Hz. It is not intended for commercial use.

3. This appliance is equipped with an automatic thermal limiter, which will cycle off when overheated and come back on when cooled down. If the unit cycles off, unplug the cord for several minutes before restarting.

4. This appliance has a polarized plug (one blade is wider than the other). As a safety feature, this plug will fit in a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to defeat this safety feature.



## This message about Ground Fault Circuit Interrupters can save a life!

### If you must use your hair dryer in the bathroom, install a GFCI\* now!

Your local electrician can help you decide which type is best for you—a portable unit that plugs into the electrical outlet or a permanent unit installed by your electrician. The National Electrical Code now requires GFCI's in bathrooms, garages, and outdoor outlets of all new homes.

### Why do you need a GFCI?

Electricity and water don't mix. If your hair dryer falls in water while it's plugged in, the electric shock can kill you— even if the switch is "off." A regular fuse or circuit breaker won't protect you under these circumstances. A GFCI offers you greater protection.

### A GFCI can save your life!

Compared to that, the price is small!



### Don't wait... install one now!

\*GFCI is a sensitive device that reacts immediately to a small electric current leak by stopping the electricity flow.

**ProAir® Ionic Features**

1875 Watts



- Ionic conditioning
- Ergonomic handle for comfortable grip
- Separate heat and speed switches for maximum styling flexibility
  - 3 heat settings
  - 2 speed settings
- Safety plug with test and retest features for immersion shock protection
- Cool Shot
- 1875 watts
- Aerodynamic design with high quality finish
- 6-foot cord with hang loop

**BASIC DRYING TECHNIQUES**

1. Gently towel dry hair to remove excess water. Avoid rubbing hair with towel –this creates split ends and frizziness. Detangle hair with a wide-toothed comb.
2. Set dryer to a high heat and speed. Remove some of the additional moisture from your hair by briskly blow drying it all over, using your fingers to "comb" through hair.
3. When hair is almost dry, lower the heat and speed settings and begin to style.
4. Divide hair into manageable sections. Begin at the nape of your neck and brush hair, following the movement of the brush with the dryer. Continue working your way up your scalp, then to the sides and the front, drying small sections at a time.
5. Once your desired style is achieved, push the Cool Shot button to set the style with a cool flow of air.

**FOR STRAIGHT, SMOOTH HAIR**

Use a large, round brush or paddle brush to brush hair from underneath. Pull hair down until the hair is fully extended and taut. With the dryer on a high heat and speed, aim the dryer nozzle down the length of the hair. Repeat with all sections of hair until it is completely dried. Lock in the style with the Cool Shot button.

**FOR CURLY HAIR**

Use dryer on a low heat and speed setting and move it quickly about your head. As you dry your hair, scrunch it with your favorite styling product or twirl strands of hair around your fingers to add definition. When finished drying, lock in the style with the Cool Shot button.

Hair Type	Recommended Settings	
Short and Curly	Low Heat	Low Airflow
Short and Sculpted	Low Heat	High Airflow
Mid-Length and Sculpted	Medium Heat	Low Airflow
Mid-Length and Sleek	Medium Heat	High Airflow
Mid-Length or Long and Curly	High Heat	Low Airflow
Long and Sculpted	High Heat	High Airflow
Long and Sleek	High Heat	High Airflow

**COOL SHOT**

Once you fully dry your hair and fashion the style, press the cool shot button to "set" the style.

**HAIR CARE TIPS**

- Keep the dryer about 8 inches away from your head to avoid burning scalp or damaging hair.
- Always keep the dryer pointed down the hair shaft to smooth the cuticle and create a silky, shiny style.
- To help prevent heat damage and add shine, spritz damp hair with a heat protection spray before blow drying.
- To create a style with lots of body, apply volumizing mousse to towel-dried hair. Distribute it evenly from roots to ends, then blow dry as usual. Hair will be soft, shiny and full of volume.
- For a super smooth, salon-like blow dry, finish by running a straightening iron over dried hair.
- For a quick touch-up between shampoos, mist hair to dampen it, then style with dryer.

## MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

1. Do not attempt to repair the appliance yourself.
2. Keep air intake grille clear of dust accumulation. See "Cleaning Instructions" below. No other maintenance or lubrication is required.
3. If the cord becomes twisted due to use, periodically straighten. Store appliance and cord where they will not be damaged. Do not wrap cord around dryer.

## CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

1. The ProAir® dryer needs minimum maintenance to ensure best performance and long life.
2. The air intake grille should be cleaned regularly since a dirty or clogged grille will impair the efficiency of the dryer.
3. To clean air intake grille, make sure dryer is turned off and plug is pulled out of socket. If unit is dirty wipe clean with a damp cloth.

## STORAGE

When not in use, unplug the unit. Allow it to cool, and store out of reach of children in a safe, dry location.

Never wrap the cord around the appliance, as this will cause the cord to wear prematurely and break. Handle cord carefully, and avoid jerking, twisting, or straining it, especially at plug connections.

## Full Two-Year Warranty

Remington Products Company, L.L.C. warrants this product against any defects that are due to faulty material or workmanship for a two-year period from the original date of consumer purchase. This warranty does not include damage to the product resulting from accident or misuse.

If the product should become defective within the warranty period, we will repair it or elect to replace it free of charge. Please call 800-736-4648.

### REMINGTON® SHALL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights that vary from state to state. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental, special or consequential damages.

## REMINGTON® MONEY-BACK OFFER

If within 30 days after you have purchased your Remington® dryer, you are not satisfied and would like a refund, take the dryer and sales slip indicating purchase price and date of purchase to the retailer from whom the dryer was purchased. Remington® will reimburse all retailers who accept this item within 30 days from date of purchase. If you have any questions concerning the money-back guarantee, please call 800-736-4648.

125 VAC, 60Hz, 1875W

### Questions or comments:

Call 800-736-4648 or visit  
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