

# WATCHDOG 550 GUIDE: *How to Clean the Drain*



## **Tools:**

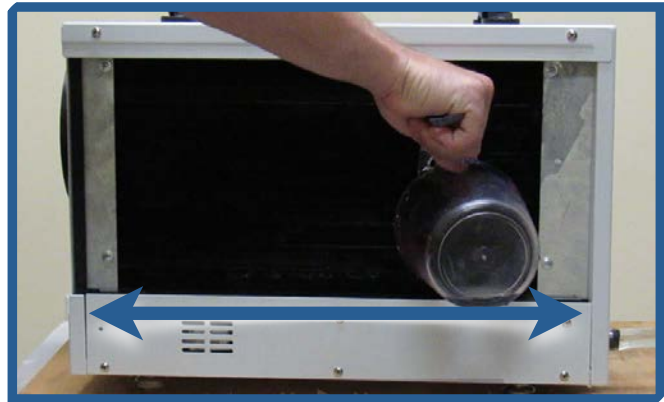
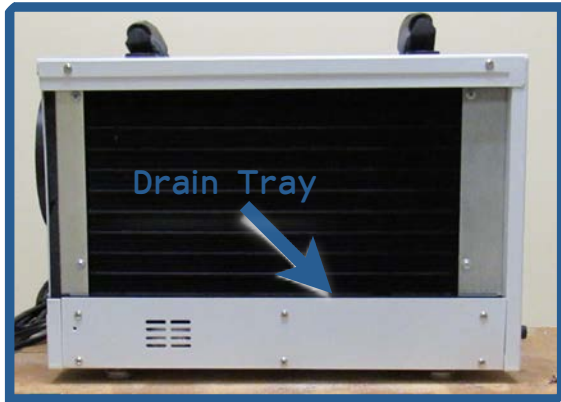
- **Cleaning Solution Option #1:**  
{1 oz bleach + 15 oz water}
- **Cleaning Solution Option #2:**  
{4 oz vinegar + 12 oz water}
- **16 oz water**

1. First, slide out the filter from the back of the machine so you have access to the drain. Set the filter aside.



2. Next, mix together one of the cleaning solutions listed above (choose either Option #1 or Option #2, you don't need both). If you've moved the dehumidifier out of the crawl space, be sure to set up the machine, so the drain tube has somewhere to drain, such as a bucket.

3. Once your cleaning solution is prepared, slowly pour it into the drain tray, moving from side to side until it is gone.



4. At this point, let the solution sit for 10-15 minutes. Then, slowly pour the plain water into the drain tray (in the same manner that your added the cleaning solution). This will flush out the cleaning solution.



5. Repeat this process at least once a year.