## **Best Practices on the Edlund Knife Sharpener**

The purpose of this process is to outline safety practices when utilizing the Knife Sharpener to ensure and promote safety for all Food Service employees.



Place knife sharpener on a stable counter near an outlet when in use. **Do not use** an extension cord. Use for **15 minutes**, then turn off the motor and allow it to **cool for 10 minutes**.



Sanitize your hands and knife before sharpening. For **safety**, wear a cutting glove (Stock #4046, Cut Resistance) before turning on the knife sharpener.



Place the knife against outside of the left guide slot. Draw knife through guide in a continuous horizontal motion, maintaining a light, even pressure on the sharpening wheel.



Place knife against outside edge of the right guide slot. Draw knife through guide in a continuous horizontal motion, maintaining a light, even pressure on the sharpening wheel.



## Helpful Tips:

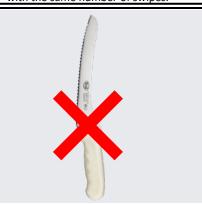
- Refer to the photo for proper knife handling when sharpening.
- Both edges must be sharpened evenly with the same number of swipes.



Store the knife sharpener in a secure location, when not in use.



Only chef and paring knives can be sharpened. Personal knives are not permitted.



Do not sharpen serrated knives.



Sharpen knives as needed. Use a plastic container for safe knife transport.

