

IMPORTANT SAFETY WARNINGS

- Improper or careless use of a firearm and holster may result in serious injury or death. It is the user's responsibility to have thorough knowledge of and be properly trained in all aspects of firearm and holster safety and use.
- Do not carry any handgun with a round in the chamber unless you have received professional training in the use of the handgun and holster and are willing to assume responsibility and risk (including accidental discharge) of carrying a loaded handgun.
- If your handgun is equipped with a safety lever, be sure that safety is engaged when holstering the handgun.
- When drawing a handgun from a holster or placing it into a holster, do not place finger in the trigger guard or near the trigger guard. Position trigger finger adjacent to but away from the trigger and, if possible, support the tip of the finger on the front of the trigger guard.
- When putting a handgun in the holster always place thumb over the hammer or behind the slide.
- Always secure the retaining or safety strap(s) on holster after inserting handgun in holster.
- Never holster any semi-automatic handgun in a single-action mode (except handguns which are single action only; ex. Colt 1911 or the Browning Hi-Power).
- Do not attempt to cock a holstered handgun as this can cause severe damage to the handgun or holster or both and may contribute to an accidental discharge.
- Always place hand on the handgun and holster when running or performing other vigorous activity.
- Do not use customized, modified, worn or broken handguns or those that are not of original manufacturers specifications in Safariland holsters.
- Do not, in any way modify, disassemble or remove any part from this holster.
- Do not rely on any holster being snatch proof. There is no such holster. Rely only on extensive, proper training and vigilance.
- It is the user's responsibility to properly maintain the holster by checking components such as snaps, screw, etc. for proper function.
- Be aware that handguns with lights mounted to them create an opening in the holster that could possibly allow access to the trigger.

WARNING: Failure to heed these warnings or follow the operating instructions may result in accidental discharge of a handgun causing serious injury or death.

EXPRESS LIMITED WARRANTY FOR HOLSTER AND ACCESSORY PRODUCTS

Safariland™ (the "Company") warrants its holster products to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of two (2) years from date of purchase. This warranty is subject to the proper Care and Maintenance of the product and proper use of the product as detailed in the Consumer and Safety Information.

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USER GUIDE



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READ BEFORE USE

UNDERSTAND ENTIRE GUIDE.
FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.
RETAIN FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations on your Safariland purchase. You have selected a product with construction technology that is unique and state of the art in the manufacturing of holsters, belts and accessories.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1

To draw a handgun from a Bianchi® Model 126GLS holster, it is necessary to install on a dress or gun belt.

STEP 2

Insert unloaded handgun straight down into holster. When placing a handgun in the holster, do not place finger in trigger guard, or near the trigger. Position trigger finger adjacent to but away from the trigger and, if possible, support tip of finger on the front of trigger guard. While inserting the handgun in the holster, always place thumb over the hammer or behind the slide. Be certain handgun is thoroughly seated in holster with trigger guard lock engaged. While holstering weapon, also be sure to keep middle finger back away from the GLS™ lever to avoid pinching the finger.

STEP 3

To draw a handgun from the GLS holster, form a shooting grip on the pistol by closing the middle finger last. If the grip is indexed in the proper position, the middle finger will automatically press the GLS lever inward toward the bottom of the trigger guard, thus releasing the mechanism. The handgun can then be lifted straight up and out of the holster.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY (YOUR HOLSTER MUST BE ADJUSTED BEFORE USE)

With proper adjustment, the Model 126GLS series holster is designed to fit a multitude of different guns in one holster body. Determine from Bianchi's fit guide on the packaging that your firearm is listed. Also determine if the trigger shim is required for your pistol.

Refer to the fit guide at www.Safariland.com (search Model 126GLS) for the most updated fit information. As a rule, your pistol will require the installation of the enclosed trigger shim if the trigger guard is less than 1/2" in width.

TO ADD HOLSTER SHIM If the fit guide says your pistol requires the shim

The shim can only fit in one position. The stud of the shim fits into the keyhole slot of the locking block (see fig. 1), and locks in place by pushing the shim tab down until the stud of the shim locks into the small end of the keyhole slot (see fig. 2). Fig 3 shows the shim in place.

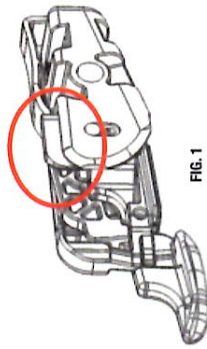


FIG. 1

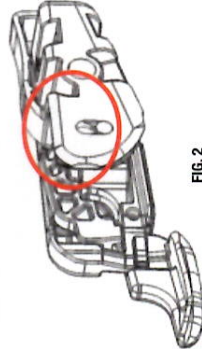


FIG. 2

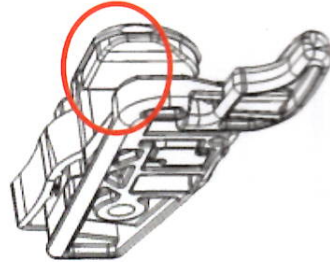


FIG. 3

PROPER HOLSTER ADJUSTMENT

The remaining adjustment instructions are the same for the holster with or without the trigger shim in place.

Ensure that the small recessed stainless Allen socket screw, located low on the back edge of the holster, (adjacent to the firearm's dust cover) is flush with the surface of the holster body. Place an unloaded pistol in the holster until it locks into place. Tighten the Allen socket screw clockwise with supplied wrench, until you have eliminated any loose movement of the pistol in the holster. Draw an

unloaded pistol several times from the holster and make any final adjustments by loosening or tightening the Allen socket screw. You should find a balanced adjustment whereby the handgun locks and unlocks with equal force and the drawing motion is smooth.

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ATTENTION: if you should ever experience the inability to lock your handgun into the holster, while re-holstering, check to see if the pivoting trigger lock has been accidentally pushed down into its locked position. While the GLS retention system will not, in normal use, go into its "locked" position without inserting a handgun, it can go into a locked position if something other than the correct handgun is inserted into an empty holster. For instance, if one were to push the pivoting trigger lock down with a finger or other object, the trigger lock will go into the locked position. If this should occur, you will not be able to re-holster your handgun. If this does occur, putting the holster back into an "un-locked" position is straightforward. Simply depress the GLS lever and use your finger to press the pivoting lock back into the unlocked or open position. After confirming that the locking mechanism is back into its original condition, the holster will be ready for use again.

PRACTICE

Regular practice to assure proficiency in using the holster must be continued if it is to be used. The amount of practice and training required will depend upon dexterity, coordination and prior experience with holsters and handguns of each user.

STORAGE

These products have been field-proven to withstand a wide variety of environmental conditions. Store in a cool, dry environment when not in use. We do not recommend storing these products in a vehicle trunk or other areas where heat can exceed the outside environment.

CLEANING

These products are best cleaned with a solution of warm, soapy water and a soft brush. A toothbrush and dish soap work well. If decontamination is required, an antibacterial soap or 10% solution of household chlorine bleach may be used. After cleaning, simply rinse off with fresh water and let air-dry. Be sure the product is completely dry inside and out prior to use. When these products are exposed to salt spray or immersed in salt water, it is important to thoroughly rinse them in warm water as soon as possible. Never use solvents such as acetone to clean these products, as this could result in damage to the product.