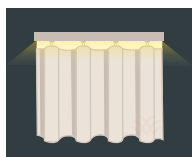


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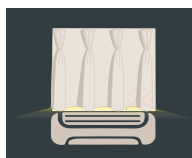
THINGS TO KNOW



THE PROBLEM: Light through the space between the drape and the hardware when specifying ripplefold drapes.

THE REASON: Ripplefold drapes intentionally reside below their track, creating a light gap below the track/above the treatment.

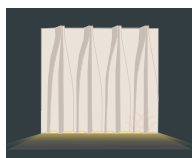
OUR RECOMMENDATION: Never install inside the window opening, ceiling-mount preferred, utilize top treatment as well.



THE PROBLEM: Light leaking at bottom, above PTAC or sill/bench.

THE REASON: Draperies require 1/2" clearance to traverse properly, naturally creating a light gap.

OUR RECOMMENDATION: Ensure treatment rests 2-3" below window opening, or intentionally puddle lengths.



THE PROBLEM: Light coming at bottom of floor length windows.

THE REASON: Solid surface flooring reflects light and floor-to-ceiling windows accentuate light concerns.

OUR RECOMMENDATION: Utilize area rugs or other light absorption materials, raise floor mullions.



THE PROBLEM: Light through one side of one-way draw drapes.

THE REASON: One-way draw drapes naturally allow light to escape on one side of the treatment.

OUR RECOMMENDATION: Ensure treatments abut demising wall or other solid surface, preferably at foot of bed (not headboard).

