



Figure 10. Measurements and steps for making the 2X4 wall braces

2X4 Wall Braces—Prep Work (fig. 10):

Study the measurements and orientation of the lath sticks and wall braces in **Figure 10A** carefully. After you have cut the two 2X4s, mark these measurements onto them and staple on the correct length of lath sticks (**fig. 10B**). Apply

stain and sealer to each 2X4 wall brace. Notice there is a left and a right piece and a front and a back on each (see **fig. 10C**). To see these pieces being installed, see page 44.