

DAVOL® / Simon Cordless Dermatome

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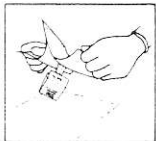
Warning:

Never use in the presence of explosive or flammable gases.
Never sterilize the power handle using steam or ethylene oxide, and never immerse in cold sterilization solutions.

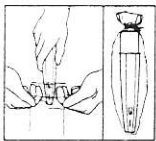
Note:

Charge unit for 16 hours before initial use.

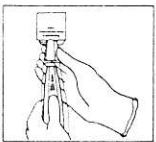
How to Assemble:



Step 1: Peel back the sterile package containing the head. Carefully drop onto a sterile field. Note: Packed with the cutting head is a sterile plastic bag and a twist-type fastener. Remove the protective cardboard jacket and the sterile plastic bag from the cutting head.

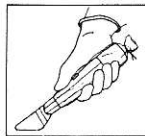


Step 2: The non-sterile power handle should be disconnected from the recharger unit. The surgeon should cuff the sterile plastic bag prior to inserting the power handle. The power handle is placed *nose first* into the open end of the bag by the circulating nurse. The surgeon seals the bag around the power handle by folding the open end of the bag over twice, and sealing it shut with the supplied fastener.



Step 3: Finally, the power handle and the cutting head are joined. To do this, simply center the blade in the cutting head by moving the pivot arm manually, and then push the funnel-shaped end of the head over the power handle. The arrow on the funnel of the cutting head should be aligned with the blue power button on the power handle. The plastic bag will be perforated, and a slight "click" will be heard. Always try the motor and be certain that the instrument operates smoothly before use.

Note: Cutting head should engage the handle with ease. If resistance is encountered, realign the pivot arm so that it engages the shaft of the handle. Do not force the head onto the handle.



Step 4: Before performing the procedure, put a light coating of lubricant on the donor site and also on the flat underside of the dermatome cutting head. Advance the instrument slowly and steadily. To detach the graft from the donor site, move the cutting edge upward with the motor running.

Directions for Use:

- Use the dermatome cutting head with enough downward pressure to yield a satisfactory graft thickness. The flat underside of the dermatome cutting head should be parallel to the donor site. Advance the instrument slowly and steadily. To detach the graft from the donor site, move the cutting edge upward with the motor running.
- Grafts should be harvested using minimum hand pressure. Graft thickness may be altered by varying the pressure applied. Special attention should be given to areas where skin is thin, e.g., previously harvested sites and the skin of children or infants.

After Use:

- After use, the power handle should be wiped clean and dry. Assure that the recharger also is clean and dry. Insert recharger plug into handle jack. Leave "on charge" until needed for the next use.
- For maximum battery life, the unit should be completely discharged once monthly.

Caution:

Federal (U.S.A.) law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician.

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