

S+ARCK[®]

USE AND CARE MANUAL

ADULT
SONIPIK[®] FLOSSER

Model PS600

JUVENILE
SONIPIK[®] FLOSSER

Model PS604B

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

1. Do NOT operate the SoniPik® Flosser if the power cord, plug, or any other component is damaged in any way.
2. Keep the power cord away from heaters or other heated surfaces.
3. Do NOT touch the Charger Base with wet hands or while showering or bathing.
4. Do NOT store the Charger Base where it can fall into water or get wet from the shower or bath.
5. Do NOT touch the Charger Base if it has fallen into water while still plugged into a wall outlet. Do not reach into the water. Unplug the cord from the wall outlet — immediately — then drain water prior to picking up Charger to dry it. Return the Charger Base to STARCK® for examination and repair before using.
6. The SoniPik® Flosser should NOT be used by young children. The Bristle Tufts could be swallowed by a small child. Keep the entire unit out of reach of children under 10 years of age.

ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

1. The SoniPik® Flosser should NOT be used by young children. The removable Tuft could be swallowed by a small child. Keep the entire unit out of reach of children under 10 years of age.
2. The SoniPik® Flosser is designed to supplement your dentist's prescribed regimen and to make flossing easy for everyone. It is not a substitute for your dentist's hygiene recommendations.
3. If you have had gum surgery or periodontal corrective treatment in the last twelve months, you should consult your dentist prior to using this product.
4. If pre-existing bleeding or soreness of gums does not improve within one week of use of the SoniPik® Flosser, discontinue its use, and seek professional help.
5. Never force the cleaning tips into interdental spaces or gum pockets. GENTLY guide the sonically activated bristles into these areas. Move the bristles in and out or sideways with only a SLIGHT pressure.
6. Replace the cleaning tips (bristle tufts) weekly, or sooner if they fray or lose their shape.
7. If you have any questions about your use of the product, please consult your doctor. Also, see your doctor before discontinuing or changing any medication or treatments. Discontinue use of the product and consult your doctor if any problems arise with use of the product.

WARNING

DO **NOT** USE IF YOU ARE FITTED WITH A
CARDIAC PACEMAKER OR DEFIBRILLATOR.

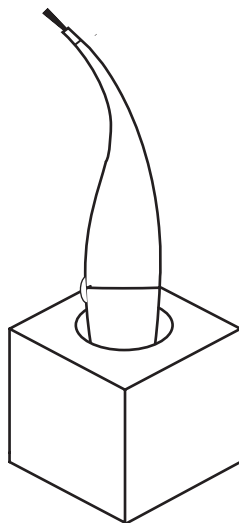
SPECIFICATIONS

Juvenile SoniPik® Flosser: 1.5 VDC. (1 AA Alkaline Battery Included)

Adult SoniPik® Flosser: 1.5 VDC. (Battery Operated)

- The SoniPik® Flosser is designed to remove plaque from interdental areas (the gap between the teeth), from gum pockets developed between teeth and gums, from implants, and from braces. It is highly effective in areas where regular toothbrush bristles or floss can not reach.

CAUTION: PLEASE READ ALL SAFETY
CONSIDERATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS
BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT



How To Use Your SoniPik® Flosser

Initial Charging for Adult SoniPik® Flosser

1. To charge the SoniPik® Flosser, place the Charger Base on a stable, nonskid surface and plug the power cord into a standard AC wall outlet.
2. Insert the rounded end of the Flosser Handle into the Charger Base. While charging, a red Charging Light will be illuminated. Allow Flosser to charge for 24 hours prior to first-time use to assure that the battery is fully charged. The Charger Base should always be plugged in so that the Flosser is being fully charged between brushings.
(You may notice a faint vibration and hum while the SoniPik® Flosser is charging. The Flosser Handle may also be slightly warm. This is normal. The Flosser battery is self-protecting and will not overcharge.)
3. For optimal battery life we recommend that twice a year you unplug the Charger Base and use the Flosser until the battery has been completely drained. Then simply follow the initial charging procedure. Following this procedure more frequently will further extend the life of your battery.

Basic Operation for the Rechargeable Adult SoniPik® Flosser

1. To use the Adult SoniPik® Flosser, remove the Flosser from the Charger Base. The red Charging Light will turn off. Depress the Button on the Handle. You will feel the sonic frequency vibrations in the Handle.
2. When finished flossing, press the Button again, which will turn off the unit. Replace the Adult Flosser into the Adult Base.
3. Leave the Charger Base at home and your Flosser can be used for up to 4 full days of brushing while travelling.

HOW TO USE YOUR SONIPIK® FLOSSER (Con't.)

Basic Operation for Juvenile SoniPik® Flosser

1. To use the Juvenile SoniPik® Flosser, remove the Flosser from the Juvenile Base. (This unit is NOT rechargeable, no red Charging Light will display.) Depress the Button on the Handle to begin flossing.
2. When finished flossing, press the Button again, which will turn off the unit. Replace the Juvenile Flosser into the Juvenile Base.
3. The Juvenile Flosser will operate for the lifetime of the AA Alkaline battery. When vibrations weaken or stop, please refer to the instructions for "Battery Replacement for the Juvenile Flosser."

Battery Replacement for Juvenile Flosser

1. When the bristle vibrations slow down on your Juvenile SoniPik® Flosser, you should replace the battery.
2. First, turn off the SoniPik®. Twist the round end-cap slightly counter clockwise until it stops turning, then pull it off the Handle. Remove the used battery.
3. Insert a fresh AA ALKALINE battery into the Handle with the positive end forward. Engage the two small knobs inside of the cap into the "L" shaped slots on the Handle, push the cap on the Handle until it stops moving forward, then secure it with a clockwise twist.

How to Use Your SONIPik® FLOSSER (Con't.)

The SoniPik® Flosser comes with an assortment of replaceable Cleaning Tufts in three different sizes: Thin, Medium, and Thick.

You will need to use the Thin Tufts to clean between teeth having small gaps, and to remove plaque from gum pockets. The Medium and the Thick Tufts are suited to clean the larger gaps between the molars. You will need to experiment and decide which Tufts to use where. Generally, the largest Tuft which fits easily into a gap does the best plaque removal.

Orthodontic Cleaning

Clean the outer surfaces of the brackets with your regular toothbrush. To clean behind the wires, position the tips of the Thick Bristles next to your teeth, between the wires and your gum. Move the vibrating Bristles against the tooth, so the Bristles spread into a single layer. Carefully guide the Bristles between the wires and the teeth. Clean the teeth and the wires with a few gentle side to side motions.

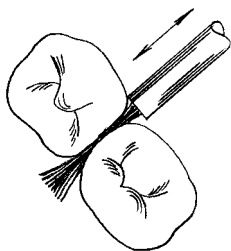
While the SoniPik® Flosser is ideally suited to clean under the brace wires, small children under the age of 10 should always be supervised while using this or any other powered equipment.

HOW TO USE YOUR SONIPIK® FLOSSER (Con't.)

Interdental Cleaning

Your SoniPik® Flosser comes with a battery installed. Take a Cleaning Tuft from the “comb”, insert it in the nose of the SoniPik® Flosser, and push the switch to sonically activate the Bristle Tufts.

When activated, the Bristles vibrate at a sonic speed, enhancing cleaning effectiveness of the Bristles.



To clean the interdental areas, carefully guide the vibrating Bristles into the gaps between your teeth, starting from the molars and progress forward. A few in and out strokes in each gap with a very slight pressure is all that is required to clean out plaque.

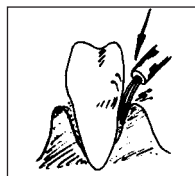
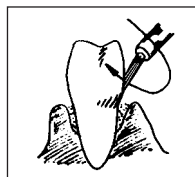
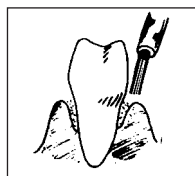
As you progress toward the front teeth, you will find that the Thick Cleaning Tuft will not fit the smaller gaps. Do not force the Thick Bristles into these small gaps. Skip the tight areas, and complete the cleaning of the larger gaps in both the upper and lower jaws. Switch to the Thin tips to clean the tight spots and gum pockets.

Cleaning of Gum Pockets

If your dentist has advised you that you have gum pockets, you can clean them as shown in the following illustration. Be sure to use the Thin Bristles for this purpose. Position the Bristles next to your teeth, above the pockets in the gumline.

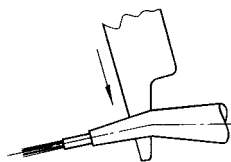
Touch the Bristles against the tooth, so they spread into a single layer.

Carefully guide the Bristles into the pocket, and remove the plaque with a few gentle side to side motions.



How to USE YOUR SONIPik® FLOSSER (Con't.)

How to Install New Bristle Tuft



Pull the used Bristle Tuft out of the nose of the SoniPik® Flosser by gripping the plastic shaft just beyond the Bristles.

Break off a new Bristle Tuft from the holder, and push it firmly into the end of the SoniPik® Flosser.

If you find that a Bristle Tuft is hard to remove, push the tapered end of the holder into the slot in the nose of the SoniPik® Flosser as shown left to release the Tuft.

CAUTION: BE SURE TO AIM THE BRISTLE TUFT AWAY FROM YOUR OR ANYONE ELSE'S FACE WHEN YOU ARE USING THE RELEASE TOOL. IF THE BRISTLE WOULD FLY INTO THE EYES OF A PERSON, SERIOUS INJURY COULD RESULT.

RECHARGEABLE BATTERY REMOVAL AND RECYCLING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ADULT SONIPIK® FLOSSER



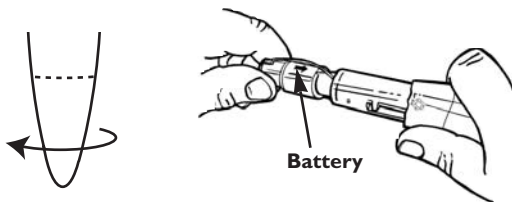
This product's handle contains a nickel cadmium rechargeable battery. Battery must be recycled or disposed of properly.

You will experience many years of useful life with your Sonex® oral hygiene products. However, once your Flosser no longer functions, the battery used to power your Adult SoniPik® Flosser should be recycled.

CAUTION: Batteries cannot be replaced and opening the Handle will destroy the product and invalidate the warranty.

Your SoniPik® Flosser Handle contains a built-in rechargeable nickel-cadmium battery. This battery must be recycled or disposed of properly. As a service to you and because we care about the environment, we will recycle your Adult SoniPik® Flosser for you. For more information about this program call 1-800-934-7455.

If you wish to personally recycle your nickel-cadmium battery, follow the directions provided below. **DO NOT** put your Adult SoniPik® Flosser or battery in the trash. Use the collection system provided in your community.



Twist the bottom section of the Handle to open bottom of Handle. Remove the outer Handle to expose battery. Grasp battery and pull firmly to remove.

Help take care of our environment. Recycling helps us to conserve our natural resources and protect our environment. Batteries need to be recycled because some of the materials used to manufacture batteries are considered hazardous. The nickel-cadmium battery, although considered hazardous, poses no safety or health problems when used and disposed of properly. Recycling Ni-Cd rechargeable batteries addresses the potential risks posed by landfill disposal or incineration of these batteries.

LIMITED ONE YEAR WARRANTY

Warranty: This product is warranted by Salton, Inc. to be free from defects in materials or workmanship for a period of (1) year from the original purchase date. This product warranty covers only the original consumer purchaser of the product.

Warranty Coverage: This warranty is void if the product has been damaged by accident in shipment, unreasonable use, misuse, neglect, improper service, commercial use, repairs by unauthorized personnel, normal wear and tear, improper assembly, installation or maintenance abuse or other causes not arising out of defects in materials or workmanship. This warranty is effective only if the product is purchased and operated in the USA, and does not extend to any units which have been used in violation of written instructions furnished with the product or to units which have been altered or modified or to damage to products or parts thereof which have had the serial number removed, altered, defaced or rendered illegible.

Implied Warranties: ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES WHICH THE PURCHASER MAY HAVE ARE LIMITED IN DURATION TO ONE (1) YEAR FROM THE DATE OF PURCHASE. Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

Warranty Performance: During the above one-year warranty period, a product with a defect will be either repaired or replaced with a reconditioned comparable model (at our option) when the product is returned to the Repair Center, or the purchase price refunded. The repaired or replacement product will be in warranty for the balance of the one-year warranty period and an additional one-month period. No charge will be made for such repair or replacement.

Service and Repair: Should the appliance malfunction, you should first call toll-free 1 (800) 934-7455 between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm Central Standard Time and ask for CONSUMER SERVICE stating that you are a consumer with a problem. Please refer to model number PS600/PS604B when you call.

In-Warranty Service (USA): For an appliance covered under the warranty period, no charge is made for service or postage. Call for return authorization: 1 (800) 934-7455.

Out-of Warranty Service: A flat rate charge by model is made for out-of-warranty service. Include \$8.00 (U.S.) for return shipping and handling. We will notify you by mail of the amount of the charge for service and require you to pay in advance for the repair or replacement.

For Products Purchased in the USA, but Used in Canada: You may return the product insured, packaged with sufficient protection, and postage and insurance prepaid to the USA address listed below. Please note that all customs duty / brokerage fees, if any, must be paid by you and we will require you to pay the cost of customs duty / brokerage fees to us in advance of our performing any service.

Risk During Shipment: We cannot assume responsibility for loss or damage during incoming shipment. For your protection, carefully package the product for shipment and insure it with the carrier. Be sure to enclose the following items with your appliance: any accessories related to your problem, your full return address and daytime phone number, a note describing the problem you experienced, a copy of your sales receipt or other proof of purchase to determine warranty status. C.O.D. shipments cannot be accepted.

To return the appliance, ship to:

ATTN: Repair Center
Salton, Inc.
708 South Missouri Street
Macon, MO 63552

To contact us, please write to, call, or email:

Salton, Inc.
P.O. Box 7366
Columbia, MO 65205-7366
1-800-934-7455
E-mail: Salton@Saltonusa.com

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