

# BladeFlask<sup>®</sup>EVO

100 | Scalpel Blade Removal System

The world's first  
single-handed  
scalpel blade  
remover has  
evolved.



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 **QLICKSMART<sup>®</sup>**  
... and be safe

# An update of the world standard in single-handed scalpel blade removers.

Recent studies have shown that scalpel cuts are 6 times more likely to occur than needlestick injuries<sup>1</sup>. Regrettably, many users and clinical administrators have underestimated the likelihood of these injuries<sup>2</sup>. These cuts can happen to anyone, including you, no matter how experienced you are in handling scalpels, and can result in infections, blood-borne diseases and psychological distress. Even worse, serious injuries could require microsurgery to repair digital arteries, nerves and/or tendons.

The **Qlicksmart BladeFlask EVO** can accommodate multiple types of #3 & #4 fitment handles which meet international manufacturing standards. This includes large autopsy scalpels, hexagonal, Barron, bulbous, thick and round handles, and the new ergonomic handles – giving the user greater freedom in using any scalpel required. In addition to the standard scalpel blades, the BladeFlask EVO also accommodates specialty blades such as #60 & #70. It is so simple to use with just one hand. Embrace safety with the new standard in scalpel blade removals.

With single-handed activation, the BladeFlask EVO facilitates compliance with OSHA standard 1910.1030 requirements, protecting workers against health hazards related to bloodborne pathogens and other injuries.



Qlicksmart blade removers have safely removed over 70 million contaminated scalpel blades, preventing up to 150,000 injuries around the world.



It's simple to use with a quick "place, push, click, and pull" action. This easy-to-use solution also provides a lower cost alternative to safety scalpels or single-use disposable scalpels.



With little to no training required, Qlicksmart's single handed blade removers are proven to reliably reduce the risk of scalpel blade injuries.



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# Specifications

Colour Versions	Red - USA Yellow - International
Product Code	US - QBVRGEN International - QBVYGEN UK - QBVYUKGEN
GMDN Code	46235
Blade Capacity	100 Blades - the BladeFLASK shuts off automatically when maximum capacity is reached.
Compatible Blades & Handles	All commercially available scalpel blades including (but not limited to) up to size PM60A, PM60B, PM70. All commercially available scalpel handles including (but not limited to) PM6, PM8; Barron handles, thick bulbous handles, ergonomic handles
Incompatible Blades & Handles	Beaver handles and disposable handles
Size (per unit)	9cm x 13.4cm x 11.3cm
Weight (per unit)	250g
Accessories	Mounting Bracket - holds the BladeFlask EVO in place to allow single-handed blade removal.

Material	Body: Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS) Mechanism: ABS + Stainless Steel
Disposal Method	Meets AS 3825:2020 Standard (Procedures and devices for the removal, containment and disposal of scalpel blades from scalpel handles.) It complies with UN Transport recommendations for dangerous goods. The infectious substance logo on the front label and the correct sharps container colour of the unit allow it to be disposed of as medical waste. Please follow your establishment's procedures for the disposal of medical waste. To be disposed of as a single-use sharps container.
Regulatory Information	Australia - Listed under TGA ARTG No: 146821 USA - FDA 510(K) premarket cleared #K213274 as a sharps container. Europe - Class I medical device under EU MDR 2017/745 and CE marked. UK - Class I medical device under UK MDR 2002 and UKCA marked ISO 23907-1:2019 Compliant (Sharps injury protection - requirements and test methods - Part 1 single-use sharps containers)

## How to Use



### MOUNT TO WALL OR TROLLEY:

- If you haven't mounted your BladeFlask EVO before, prepare the universal mounting bracket\*.
  - BRACKET HAS DOUBLE SIDED TAPE ON BOTTOM
  - OR USE SCREWS.

\* See fitting template and instructions inside the bracket packaging.
- BladeFlask EVO can be mounted on a wall or on a trolley or bench.
 

SLIDE DOWN INTO BRACKET

SLIDE BACK INTO BRACKET

NOTE: BladeFlask EVO is to be mounted on the Mounting Bracket during use.

### REMOVE BLADE SINGLE-HANDED ACTION:

- Place blade on the landing pad with the sharp edge facing to the right (or 'tang' up).
- Push up the scalpel handle into BladeFlask EVO along the ramp until you hear a click.
 

CLICK!
- Remove the handle.

NOTE: BladeFlask EVO is disposed of as medical waste after the counter automatically shuts off when it reaches full capacity.

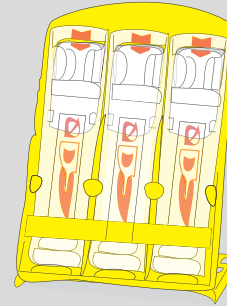
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BladeFLASK Scalpel  
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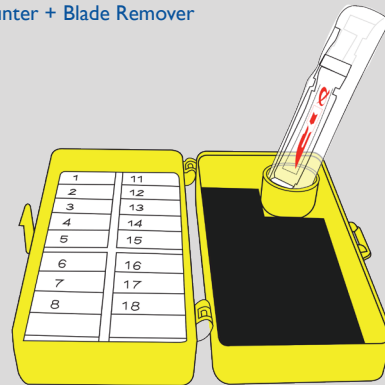
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Scalpel Blade Remover



SnapIT and SnapIT Lite Ampoule Openers



BladeNeedleSYSTEM Sterile 2-in-1  
Needle Counter + Blade Remover



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## About Qlicksmart

Qlicksmart Pty Ltd is committed to making healthcare professional's lives easier and safer, so that they can focus on patient care. Established in 1999 by two Australian physicians to combat scalpel cuts in hospitals, our award-winning safety devices are now being used in over 50 countries worldwide. Qlicksmart works with innovators from the healthcare sector to deliver solutions which target the overlooked concerns of nurses, surgeons, and healthcare facilities. To learn more about Qlicksmart's safety devices, please visit [www.qlicksmart.com](http://www.qlicksmart.com) or ask your distributor for a demonstration today.

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