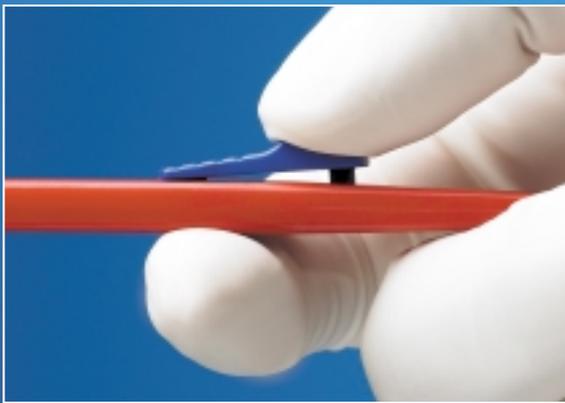


A permanent lock position on our latest retractable...



Makes a Swann-Morton Retractable Scalpel even safer when passing.

The Swann-Morton range of Disposable Scalpels with retractable blade NOW encompasses a locking catch. This can further assist in reducing the risk of cross infection and exposure to blood-borne pathogens arising from accidental sharps injuries.

As a major issue in all clinical environments, especially in emergency situations where patients' medical histories are often unknown, this additional innovation represents a major breakthrough in handling safety with no compromise in blade quality or control.

A temporary lock in the forward position has been strengthened so that the blade will stay extended even if it encounters a hard surface or bone during use.

The slider mechanism now contains a notch in the retracted position that holds the blade more securely in the passing/retracted position.

A permanent lock position has been added to the retracted position. This requires a conscious amount of force to engage the slider into and out of the permanent lock position.

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THE WORLD'S LEADING SURGICAL BLADE MANUFACTURER

Retractable Disposable Scalpel

Designed for single patient use only, disposable, sterile and Latex safe.

Carefully extend the blade by moving the slider towards the tip of the scalpel, using the thumb of the hand holding the scalpel.

Extend the slider until you reach the positive stop, the slider will fit into the specially designed notch when it is completely extended.

To retract the blade, move the slider to the back of the scalpel you will feel clicks as the blade is retracted and a positive stop as the blade is safely retracted.

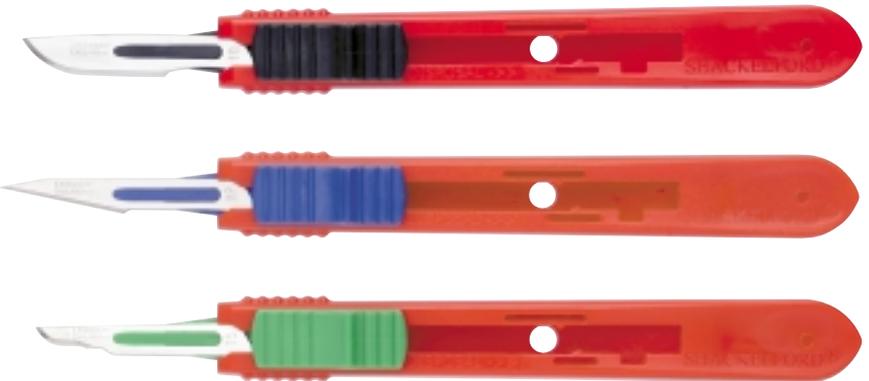


To permanently retract the blade move the slider past the 'safe' position into the permanent notch at the end of the scalpel.

All three most commonly used blades sizes (10, 11 and 15) are available in the retractable mounting.

The different colour slider black for 10, blue for 11 and green for 15 make them instantly identifiable.

Disposable scalpel with retractable blade No's 10, 11 and 15 available sterile, boxed in 25's and non-sterile boxes of 500.



Additional blade shapes may be available in bulk non-sterile boxes of 500 on request.

These would be colour coded accordingly,

i.e.: 15C with a Brown Slider.

Product	Product No	Unit
25 scalpels individually packed		
10	3901 (Black)	25
11	3991 (Blue)	25
15	3905 (Green)	25
500 scalpels bulk packed		
10	4001 (Black)	Box of 500
11	4091 (Blue)	Box of 500
15	4005 (Green)	Box of 500

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