**ClipVac™ Quick reference guide**

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**Step 1**
Make sure the battery is fully charged prior to use. Remove ClipVac™ battery from charging stand.

**Step 2**
Place battery in the ClipVac vacuum unit, making sure the battery tab is opposite the battery holding clip on the unit.

**Step 3**
Battery is properly seated when latching mechanism is slightly over battery edge. The battery fuel gauge (LCD) will be visible.

**Step 4**
Remove the ClipVac disposable assembly. Uncoil and straighten tubing by gripping near the vacuum tip and filter, gently pulling taut to remove any line twist or bend.

**Step 5**
Place filter end of disposable assembly onto the vacuum port end of the vacuum unit. The filter will rotate freely when attached.

**Step 6**
Place vacuum nozzle of disposable assembly over the surgical clipper after the cutting blade has been installed. Vacuum tip will snap into place when properly seated.

**Step 7**
Turn the ClipVac and surgical clipper ON.

**Step 8**
While holding loose skin taut, clip hair using a slow steady forward motion avoiding downward pressure. **Note:** The bottom side of the clipper blade should remain flat against the skin while clipping. Never tilt the blade edge into the skin.

**Step 9**
When clipping is complete, remove disposable assembly. Discard filter into general waste and recycle nozzle and hose according to local regulations.

**Step 10**
To remove the filter body from the tubing, pull the tube from the filter body with a gentle twist. Clean the vacuum unit using your usual disinfectant. Place ClipVac in the designated area for next use. If necessary, place the ClipVac battery in the charging stand before next use.

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**Charging the battery**
Place the battery in the charger ensuring that the connector is fully seated. The charger will automatically begin charging, the LCD fuel gauge on the battery will begin flashing to indicate it is receiving a charge and the LCD indicators on the charger will provide charge status.

**Battery charge status**
- **Green flashing**: Battery charging
- **Green solid**: Battery fully charged

**Fuel gauge LCD display on the battery**
- **5 bars**: 80–100% charged (approx. run time 75 min.)
- **1 bar**: 0–20% charged (approx. run time < 5 min.)

**Recycling and disposal**
- Only the tubing and nozzle can be recycled
- The filter body can be placed with general waste

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**Placing and securing the ClipVac**
The ClipVac can be secured to the bed rail, placed on the bed, or can be used with the shoulderstrap option.