

VC24LR – 24 litre Sharps Container

Assembly notes:

(to be read in conjunction with IDC Waste Disposal Safes Instructions - attached)

The VC24LR container is designed so that, when assembled, both the Lid & Plain Guard fit **TIGHT**. This tight fit ensures the integrity of the VC24LR to safely contain hazardous medical waste. The Lid incorporates a rubber gasket; this ensures a water tight seal when the lid is correctly fitted to the base unit

Step 1: How to Fit the Plain Guard to the Lid

- Firstly, remove the Locking Ring (white) from the Plain Guard.
- Next, insert the Plain Guard into the 125mm Lid opening (hole).
- Screw the Locking Ring onto the Plain Guard. Screw Tight.
- With the Plain Guard now firmly attached to the Lid, the next step is to fit the Lid to the Base Unit

note: Do not fit the lid to the base unit before attaching the Plain Guard & Locking Ring to the Lid

Step 2: How to Fit the Lid

1. Put the Base Unit on a level surface
2. Place the lid onto the top of the container
3. Start at one section of the lid, & place both hands onto the lid. Hook your fingers onto the protruding rim; which circles the top area of the Base Unit. This will allow additional leverage when pressing the lid onto the Base unit
4. With the heels of your hands press down firmly.
5. When pressing down, the motion should be fast & firm to engage the Lid onto the Base. You will hear an audible 'click' as the lid engages onto the base unit.
6. Repeat the process section by section, working your way around the container in a clockwise direction. Do not attempt to engage the lid onto the base by going to diagonally opposite sections.
7. The Lid is now correctly fitted onto the Base
8. The VC24LR is now ready to use.

NOTE: As an alternative, you can use a rubber mallet to fit the lid to the base unit. If you use this method make sure the lid correctly positions onto the Base unit. To ensure the lid does not flex excessively when struck by the rubber mallet, use your other hand & put pressure on the centre located 'Plain Guard'. Progressively engage the lid onto the base unit by strikes / hits with the rubber mallet moving in a clockwise direction only. **(turn over page for Step 3)**

Step 3: Locking the Container when full (or ready for disposal) – Final Closure

- a. The Final Closure (Red), ‘click-seals’ into the top of the Plain Guard
- b. Place the Final Closure over the top of the Plain Guard
- c. Select a section of the Final Closure at the circumference edge & push down firmly to engage the Final Closure into the Plain Guard. Repeat the process around the circumference until the Final Closure is fully sealed.
- d. The VC24LR is now locked & ready for disposal – transport to place of incineration or disposal according to local regulations.



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