
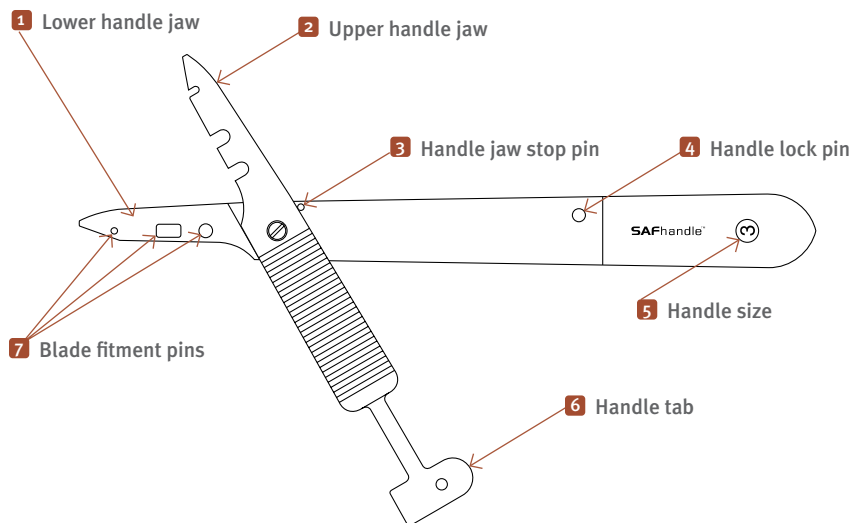
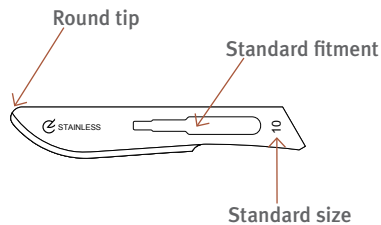


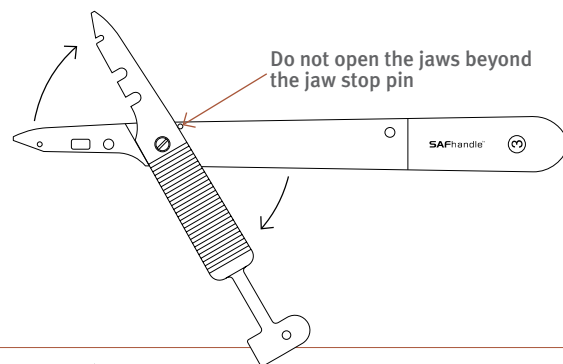
# SAFhandle™ Safety Scalpel System

## Instructions for Use

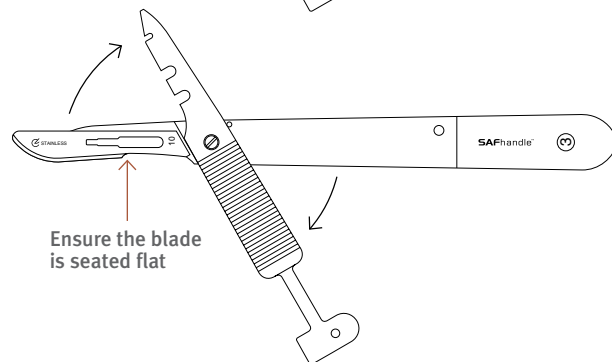
 Please read in conjunction with document 'SAFhandle™ Reusable Scalpel Handle: Care, Handling, Cleaning & Sterilization'.



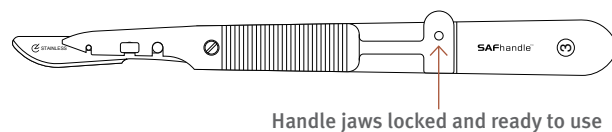
**STEP 1** Hold the base of the scalpel firmly with one hand. Push the upper handle jaw tab **6** slightly up and gently open the upper jaw of the handle in the direction of the arrow (clockwise) till the jaws are open wide enough to receive the blade. Do not force open the jaws beyond the jaw stop pin **3**.



**STEP 2** Holding a SAFhandle™ blade of matching fitment size **5** with a hemostat and using fitment pins as guides **7** seat the blade on the handle as shown. Ensure the blade is seated flat.



**STEP 3** Now close the jaws of the handle together till the handle tab **6** locks with the handle jaws lock pin **4**. The SAFhandle™ scalpel is ready for use.



**STEP 4** To remove the blade open the jaws of the handle as described in step **1**. Then turn handle over and drop blade into a sharps count container.

