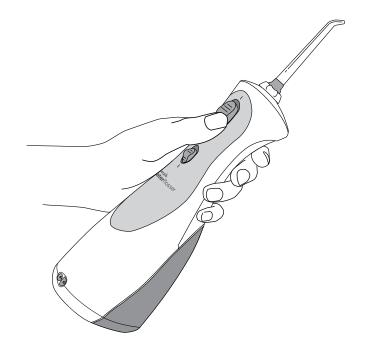
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## Waterpik<sup>®</sup> Water Flosser Model WP-450/462/ 463/465/470

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### **IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS**

When using electrical products, especially when children are present, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

#### READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USING.

#### DANGER:

#### To reduce the risk of electrocution:

- Do not handle charger with wet hands.
- Do not place in or drop into water or other liquid.
- Do not use while bathing.
- Do not place or store product where it can fall or be pulled into a bath or sink.
- Do not reach for a product that has fallen into water. Unplug immediately.
- Check the charger cord for damage before the first use and during the life of the product.

#### **WARNING:**

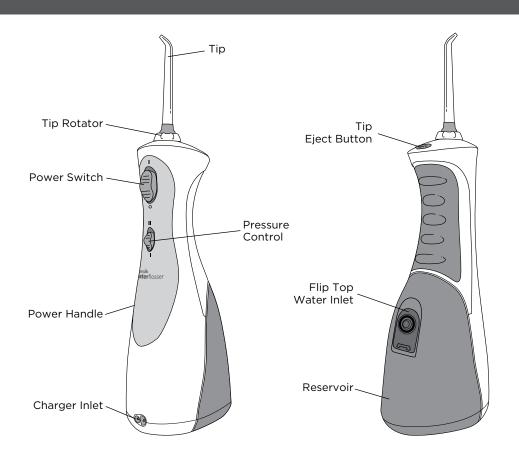
## To reduce the risk of burns, electrocution, fire, or injury to persons:

- Do not plug this device into a voltage system that is different from the voltage system specified on the device or charger.
- Do not use this product if it has a damaged cord or plug, if it is not working properly, if it has been dropped or damaged, or dropped into water. Contact Waterpik International, Inc. at +44 (0) 333 123 5677.
- Do not direct water under the tongue, into the ear, nose or other delicate areas. This product is capable of producing pressures that may cause serious damage in these areas.
- Use this product only as indicated in these instructions or as recommended by your dental professional.
- Only use tips and accessories that are recommended by Water Pik, Inc.

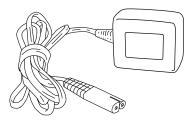
- Do not drop or insert any foreign object into any opening on the product.
- Keep charging unit and cord away from heated surfaces.
- Do not use this product outdoors or operate where aerosol (spray) products are being used or where oxygen is being administered.
- Do not use iodine, saline (salt solution), or water insoluble concentrated essential oils in this product. Use of these can reduce product performance and will shorten the life of the product.
- Remove any oral jewellery prior to use of this product.
- Do not use if you have an open wound on your tongue or in your mouth.
- If your physician advised you to receive antibiotic premedication before dental procedures, you should consult your dentist before using this instrument or any other oral hygiene aid.

- Fill reservoir with warm water or other dental professional recommended solution only.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- Closely instruct and supervise children 6 years and above and individuals with special needs in the proper use of this product.
- There are no consumer serviceable parts in this appliance and it does not require maintenance.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS.







Charger Waterpik® p/n 20015749 (White) Waterpik® p/n 20019093 (Black)

**NOTE:** All tips not included in all models.

Replacement tips/attachments may be purchased directly from Waterpik International, Inc. Call Tel +44 (0) 333 123 5677.

#### **Charging Unit Prior to First Use**

Plug the cord into any standard electrical outlet. Make sure you push the switch into the "OFF" position before charging. The unit will not charge if the switch is in the "ON" position. The Waterpik® Water Flosser will stay charged for up to 2 weeks depending on use.

#### Filling the Reservoir

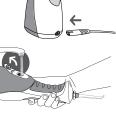
Remove the charger from the unit prior to filling reservoir and product use. Lift flip top on reservoir and fill the reservoir with lukewarm water.

#### **Inserting and Remove Tips**

Insert tip into the center of the knob at the top of the Water Flosser handle. Press firmly until the tip clicks into place. To remove the tip from the handle, press the tip eject button and pull tip from the handle.

CAUTION: Do not press tip eject button while unit is running.





#### **Adjusting the Pressure Setting**

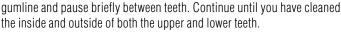
You can adjust the pressure setting on your Water Flosser by sliding pressure control on the handle. Start with the lowest setting and increase to your liking.



#### **Recommended Technique**

Lean low over sink and place tip in mouth. Aim the tip toward gumline, and turn the unit ON (I).

For best results, start with the back teeth and work toward the front teeth. Glide tip along



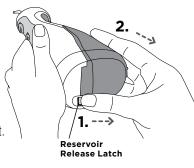
Direct the jet stream at a 90-degree angle to your gumline. **Slightly** close lips to avoid splashing but allow water to flow freely from mouth into the sink. Keep unit upright during use for best results.

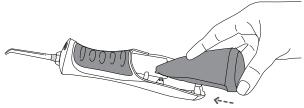


#### When Finished

Turn the unit OFF (0). Empty any liquid left in the reservoir.

If desired, the reservoir may be removed from the power handle by pulling the reservoir release latch while sliding the reservoir down towards the base of the unit.





To replace the reservoir on the power handle, simply slide it up towards the top of the unit. The reservoir will snap into place when fully engaged.

#### TIP USAGE Pik Pocket\* Tip

The Pik Pocket\* Tip is specifically designed to deliver water or anti-bacterial solutions deep into periodontal pockets.

To use the Pik Pocket\* Tip, **set the unit to the lowest pressure setting.** Place the soft tip
against a tooth at a 45-degree angle and gently
place the tip under the gumline, into the pocket.

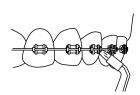
Turn the unit on and continue tracing along the gumline.

#### **Tongue Cleaner Tip**

To use the tongue cleaner tip, set to lowest pressure setting, place tip in the center/middle of your tongue about half way back and start the Water Flosser. Pull forward with light pressure. Increase pressure as you prefer.

#### **Orthodontic Tip**

To use the Orthodontic Tip, gently glide tip along gumline, pausing briefly to lightly brush area between teeth and all around orthodontic bracket, before proceeding to the next tooth.



#### CLEANING AND TROUBLESHOOTING YOUR WATERPIK WATER FLOSSER

#### **Toothbrush Tip**

Place the toothbrush tip in mouth with the brush head on the tooth at the gumline. The toothbrush tip can be



used with or without toothpaste. Turn the Water Flosser on so the water flows through the tip. Using a **light pressure** (bristles should not bend) massage the brush back and forth with very short strokes-much like you would with a manual toothbrush.

#### Plaque Seeker\* Tip

To use the Plaque Seeker® Tip, place the tip close to the teeth so that the bristles are gently touching



the teeth. Gently glide tip along gumline, pausing briefly between teeth to gently brush and allow the water to flow between the teeth.

#### **Using Mouthwash and Other Solutions**

Your Waterpik® Water Flosser can be used to deliver mouthwash and antibacterial solutions. After using any special solution, rinse unit to prevent clogging by partially filling reservoir with warm water and running unit with tip pointed into sink until unit is empty.

#### Cleaning

Never immerse unit in water. Before cleaning, unplug from the electrical outlet. Clean the product when necessary by using a soft cloth and mild non-abrasive cleanser to wipe exterior.

The water reservoir is removable for easy cleaning and is top rack dishwasher safe. It is recommended that the reservoir is removed and cleaned weekly.

#### Removing Hard Water Deposits/ General Cleaning

Hard water deposits may build up in your unit, depending on the mineral content of your water. If left unattended, it can hinder performance. Cleaning internal parts: add 2 tablespoons of white vinegar to a full reservoir of warm water. Point the handle and tip into sink. Turn unit ON and run until reservoir is empty. Rinse by repeating with a full reservoir of clean warm water.

This process should be done every 1 to 3 months to ensure optimal performance.

#### LIMITED TWO-YEAR WARRANTY

#### **Battery Care and Disposal**

The unit will not charge if the switch is in the ON (I) position. If you use your Water Flosser once a day or less, it is recommended you charge it overnight, once a week. If you use it twice a day or more, charge the unit more frequently. Do not run the batteries down completely as this may shorten the lifespan of the batteries and will require charging the unit for 24 hours to obtain a full charge.

If the Water Flosser is to be stored for an extended period of time (six months or more), be sure to fully charge it prior to storage.

The unit contains a Nickel Metal Hydride battery. At the end of the battery life, please recycle the unit at your nearest recycle center per local requirements. The battery is not replaceable.

#### Service Maintenance

Waterpik® Water Flossers have no consumer serviceable electrical items and do not require routine service maintenance. For all your service needs please call the Waterpik International, Inc. UK Customer Service Centre at +44 (0) 333 123 5677. Some replacement parts and accessories for the Water Flosser are also available at www.waterpik.co.uk. For questions or problems please call the customer service centre before returning the product.

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