

The choice of Pathologists



The PM range by
Swann-Morton®

A versatile and comprehensive range for Pathologists

As part of their diverse range of Surgical Blades and Handles, Swann-Morton offer two handle and blade combinations specifically for use within Post Mortem examination. The PM40 and PM60 range are used by Pathologists during Forensic and Clinical Autopsy procedures and for Post Mortem diagnosis, the quality of which meets the same exacting high standards for which Swann-Morton are renowned amongst the medical and related health care professions worldwide. The PM40B and PM60B “bull nose” blades provide improved safety and protection for the clinician against accidental sharps injuries in addition to the 22B blade which is used with a standard No 4 stainless steel surgical handle.

The heavy duty carbon steel blade No’s PM40 and PM40B are both used during Post Mortem examinations and fit the standard “blue” coated or “plated” PM40 Handles using a traditional screw fitting.

An autoclavable, solid-cast stainless steel handle was more recently added to the range with a screw fitting incorporated in the top section only. With the blade fitted, the total length of the handle is approximately 220 mm.

Post Mortem Handles		
Individually packed		
Non-Sterile		
Product	Unit	Product REF
PM40 Plated	1	2653
PM40 Standard	1	2652
PM40 Stainless	1	2650
PM8	1	2609



PM40



PM40B



PM40 Plated Handle



PM40 Standard Handle



PM40 Stainless Handle



PM8 Handle

*Blades sold separately

Alternatively, we offer the PM8 handle — a lightweight yet durable stainless-steel handle featuring the standard surgical-style fitment*. It is designed for use with the carbon steel blades PM60 and PM60B**. When fitted with a blade, the overall length measures approximately 185 mm. Each PM handle is individually packed. The PM60 blade range is the preferred choice among pathologists and morticians across the USA.

Post Mortem PM40 Blades		
10 Scalpels, individually packed		
Non-Sterile		
Product	Unit	Product REF
PM40	10	2551
PM40B	10	2552

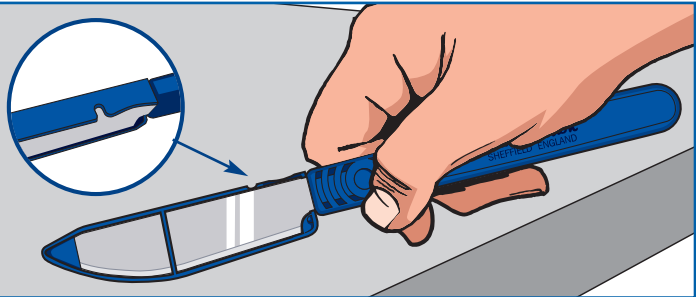
The Post Mortem Disposable Scalpel guarding against infection

The non-sterile Swann-Morton Disposable Post Mortem Scalpel is the latest addition to a growing range of histopathology and autopsy knives.

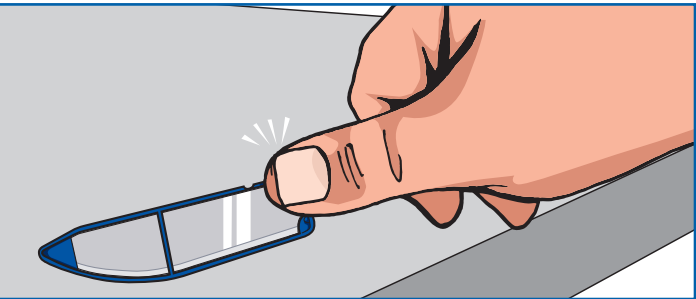
With an easy to remove guard to protect the cutting edge up to the point of procedure the end user has the added convenience of not having to fix the blade to the handle and can safely dispose of the scalpel into an appropriate sharps container when the procedure is complete.

Targeted at “dirty” and “infectious” cases the Disposable Post Mortem Scalpel is available with either the standard PM40 or PM40 Bull Nose blade fixed in a distinctive blue handle.

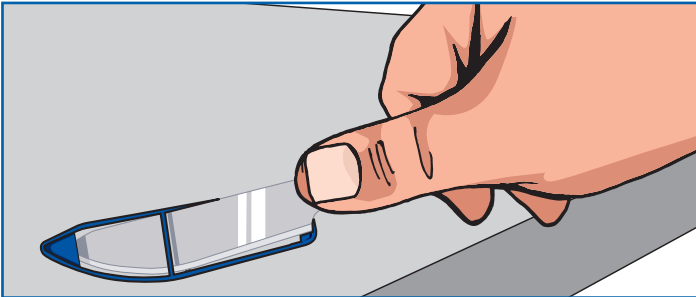
How to safely remove the blade guard



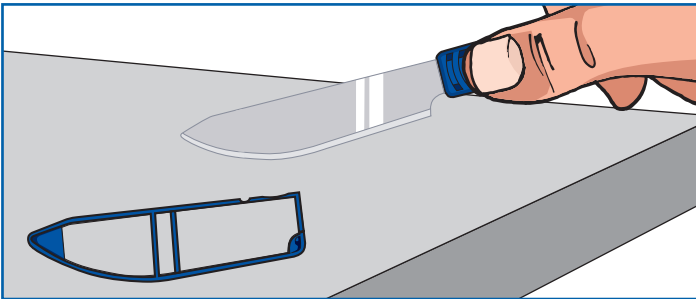
1 Preferably place the Disposable Scalpel over a stable flat surface and identify the guard remover impression highlighted in the illustration.



2 With your thumb located in the guard remover press downwards with your thumb and the guard will release with an audible click.



3 The guard and Disposable Scalpel will now be separated from each other.



4 The blade is now fully exposed and the Scalpel is ready for use.

Post Mortem Disposable Scalpels		
5 Scalpels, Individually packed		
Non-Sterile		
Product	Unit	Product REF
PM40	5	2580
PM40B	5	2581

Post Mortem Disposable Scalpels		
100 Scalpels, Bulk packed		
Non-Sterile		
Product	Unit	Product REF
PM40	100	2582
PM40B	100	2583



Post Mortem PM60 Blades		
50 Blades, individually packed		
Non-Sterile		
Product	Unit	Product REF
PM60	50	2560
PM60B	50	2561



PM60



PM60B

22B Blades		
100 Blades, individually boxed		
Non-Sterile		
Product	Unit	Product REF
22B	100	2590



22B

The PM Range by Swann-Morton

The Swann-Morton PM Range offers a versatile and comprehensive selection of instruments designed for Morticians and Pathologists.

The PM40 range, featuring a traditional *screw-fitting* heavy-duty stainless steel handle, and the PM60 range, utilizing a standard surgical fitment, both include bull nose blades for enhanced safety and protection against accidental sharps injuries.

Developed for use in autopsy, histopathology, and general post-mortem procedures, the PM Range combines quality, precision, and durability to meet the highest professional standards.



* The blade fitment on the PM8 Handle is "not" compatible with other standard range surgical blades. ** The PM60B blade can also be referred to as the PM70 blade.

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