

Maintaining your Supercilium ON AIR Airbrush is essential for ensuring its longevity and optimal performance. Proper care and regular maintenance can prevent the most common issues and ensure your airbrush continues to function effectively. This chapter guides how to take care of your airbrush and troubleshoot common problems.

TAKING CARE OF YOUR AIRBRUSH:

1. In-Between-Cleanse:

After every client, you need to flush your airbrush. When you don't do this, the color of your previous clients can still be in the machine or clogs may form. It just takes 2 minutes, but ensures you can use the machine for a long period.

1. Remove the leftover dye from your cup with a cotton pad. Add clean or distilled water to your cup and spray it as you would normally do it with dye. Spray it onto a paper towel to get rid of any leftover dye. Spray until the cup is empty.
2. Now it's time to back flush, to make sure you get rid of any leftover residue. To do this, fill your cup again with water. Cover the nozzle at the front with a paper towel or just your finger. In this way, the air is going back to your cup. When you see bubbles in your cup, the backflushing is working. Remove the water and clean again with a cotton pad.
3. Fill your cup with alcohol or Airbrush cleanser. Spray it again until the cup is empty.
4. Remove the cup and clean the hole. This will remove the final residue of the dye.
5. Clean the outside of your airbrush. Don't forget to clean the nozzle. Add the cup again, and your airbrush is ready for the next appointment!

2. End-of-Day Deep Cleanse:

At the end of every day, you first follow the steps of a normal Daily Cleanse. After that, you need to clean every part separately. For this, you need to pull apart your airbrush: Remove the cup, nozzle cap & needle cap.

1. Follow all steps of the In-Between-Cleanse.
2. Remove the cup, needle cap, and nozzle cap. Add all parts to a little alcohol bath and let it soak for a while.
3. While the spare parts can soak into the alcohol bath, clean the outside of your Airbrush with a cotton swab or paper tissue. Also, clean the needle, but be careful to not hurt yourself!
4. Take the spare parts from your bath, and clean them with a cotton pad or cotton swab drenched in alcohol. Use the brush to clean the hole of the dye cup. Dry all parts with a paper tissue.
5. After you have cleaned all the separate parts you can put it back together. Now it's ready for a new day of creating airbrush brows magic!

3. Proper Storage:

- Store your airbrush in a clean, dry place when not in use. Ensure it's disconnected from the air source and the needle cap is on to protect the needle tip.
- Avoid storing the airbrush with makeup or cleaner left inside it.

4. Use Quality Products:

- Only use high-quality airbrush makeup or products recommended by Supercilium. Inferior quality products may contain particles that can clog the airbrush.

5. Handle with Care:

- Handle the airbrush gently to avoid drops or impacts that can damage the needle or other delicate parts.

TROUBLESHOOTING COMMON PROBLEMS:

- **Airbrush is clogged**

Solution: Disassemble the airbrush and soak the nozzle and needle in cleaning solution. Use a soft brush to remove any blockages gently. Reassemble and test the airbrush.

- **Inconsistent Spray Pattern**

Solution: This is often due to a dirty nozzle or needle. Clean these parts thoroughly. Also, check for any damage to the needle tip - if bent, it may need replacement.

- **Airbrush Leaking**

Solution: Leaks can occur if the airbrush is not assembled correctly or if there's a worn seal. Check all connections and replace any damaged seals or O-rings.

- **Poor Airflow**

Solution: Ensure the air compressor is functioning correctly and that there are no kinks or blockages in the air hose. Clean the air valve on the airbrush if necessary.

- **Spray is Too Dry or Too Wet**

Solution: Adjust the air pressure on your compressor and the amount of product being released. High pressure with too little product results in a dry spray, while low pressure with too much product creates a wet spray.

Taking care of your Supercilium ON AIR airbrush requires regular maintenance and careful handling. By following these guidelines, you can prevent common problems and enjoy a smoothly functioning airbrush for your makeup applications. Remember, a well-maintained airbrush is key to achieving professional and flawless makeup results.