#### **Vape Cartridge Best Practices**

# VAPE CARTRIDGE INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1: PRESS POWER BUTTON 5 TIMES

QUICKLY TO TURN ON

TO USE: PRESS AND HOLD DOWN POWER

**BUTTON** AND INHALE

PREHEAT MODE: PRESS POWER BUTTON

2 TIMES QUICKLY TO BEGIN PREHEAT.

PRESS POWER BUTTON 1 TIME TO

DEACTIVATE.

TURN OFF: PRESS POWER BUTTON 5 TIMES

QUICKLY TO TURN OFF

## **Disposable Vape Best Practices**

## 1. Check If Your Device Is Functioning

Disposable vape pens may or may not have a button to activate the device. With so many brands, there are some differences in how they function.

If your pen does have this button, click it before trying to inhale. The button turns on the device. After clicking the button, an indicator light (generally blue, white, or green) should illuminate, letting you know the device is ready

for use. If the indicator light of your disposable vape pen is blinking, it may be a signal that your device is low on battery.

However, some disposable vapes don't have an "on" button. Instead, you activate them by inhalation alone. The indicator light, in this case, signals that the device is creating the vapor. All you have to do is inhale it through the mouthpiece (the small opening at the top) and start vaping right away. When you inhale, the indicator light should turn on or flash.

With disposable vape pens, it's best to check that the device is functioning correctly shortly after purchase. The "disposable" nature of these items means that sometimes, manufacturers use lower-quality materials. The internal mechanisms may not always work as they should.

#### 2. Inhale Steadily—Not Sharply

As mentioned, when you activate your disposable vape pen by inhaling, the battery powers the heating chamber. This process then heats the nicotine juice or oil residing in the tank. The heat then turns the liquid into vapor, which you inhale.

Because inhalation activates the device, it's essential to inhale correctly. When you are inhaling, it's best to draw in small amounts at a time (about 2-3 seconds), especially if you are a first-time user. This way, you don't overwhelm yourself with inhalations that are too deep. Deep inhalation of vapor can be uncomfortable for some.

Inhaling too sharply or intensely can lead to light-headedness. It also can overwork the atomizer, significantly shortening the lifespan of your device.

## 3. Store the Device Properly

A 0.5g vape pen can usually provide about 150 puffs, whereas a 1g pen will last 300 puffs. Its lifespan also depends on how often you use it.

It is essential that you store your disposable vape pen properly to ensure that it lasts as long as possible and get the most out of your purchase. You should store your pen in a cool, dry place. Too much exposure to moisture or direct sunlight can affect the device's performance and battery life.

However, long-term storage for disposable vape pens is not advisable. The e-liquid can expire, and because the cartridge in disposable pens is not removable, you risk inhaling e-liquid that has gone bad.

#### 4. Do Not Attempt to Disassemble

Rechargeable pens make it so you can keep the device, recharge it, and swap out the tanks (or pods) with a fresh cartridge whenever one finishes. Instead of constantly replacing your device, you just plug it into a charger to recharge.

A disposable vape pen has an entirely different design and how you use it is different. When using disposables, it is critical that you do not attempt to disassemble the device or attempt to recharge the device. Disposables were not meant to be rechargeable or disassembled, and attempting to recharge can compromise the device's safety.

# 5. Dispose Safely

With disposable vape pens, once you have finished the nicotine juice in the cartridge, you can just throw it out and buy another instead of recharging and buying more cartridges.

Generally, it is safe to toss it away in any garbage receptacle. However, to dispose of the pen in a more environmentally conscious way, you can always drop your used disposable vape pen off at a <a href="Hazardous Materials">Hazardous Materials</a>
<a href="Management Facility">Management Facility</a> in the United States or a place that recycles batteries in your area.