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Philips Sonicare 4100 Electric Toothbrush User Manual

Model: HX3683/33

Introduction

The Philips Sonicare 4100 electric toothbrush utilizes advanced sonic technology to provide an effective yet gentle cleaning experience. It is designed to remove plaque and surface stains, contributing to naturally whiter teeth. This manual provides essential information for the safe and optimal use of your Philips Sonicare 4100 toothbrush.



Image: Philips Sonicare 4100 Electric Toothbrush in white, showcasing its sleek design.

What's in the Box

Your Philips Sonicare 4100 package includes the following components:

- 1 Philips Sonicare 4100 rechargeable toothbrush handle (white)
- 1 Philips Sonicare W2 Optimal White brush head
- 1 USB charger (wall adapter not included)
- 1 Slim travel case

Setup

1. Attaching the Brush Head

Align the brush head with the handle so the bristles face the same direction as the front of the handle. Push the brush head down firmly onto the metal shaft until it stops.

2. Charging the Toothbrush

Place the toothbrush handle on the USB charging base. Connect the USB cable to a compatible USB power source (e.g., a computer USB port or a USB wall adapter, not included). The battery indicator light will flash to show that the toothbrush is charging. A full charge provides approximately two weeks of regular use (based on two 2-minute brushing sessions per day).



Image: Philips Sonicare 4100 toothbrush on its charging base, connected via USB.

Operating Instructions

1. Brushing Your Teeth

1. Wet the bristles and apply a small amount of toothpaste.
2. Place the toothbrush bristles against your teeth at a slight angle towards the gumline.
3. Press the power button to start brushing.
4. Gently move the brush head slowly across your teeth in small back-and-forth motions, allowing the sonic

vibrations to do the work.

5. Do not scrub.



Image: A hand holding the Philips Sonicare 4100 toothbrush, ready for use.

2. Cleaning Modes

The Philips Sonicare 4100 offers two cleaning modes:

- **Clean Mode:** Standard mode for superior cleaning.
- **Sensitive Mode:** Gentle mode for sensitive teeth and gums.

To switch between modes, press the power button repeatedly while the toothbrush is on.



Image: Close-up of the Philips Sonicare 4100 handle indicating two cleaning modes.

3. Pressure Sensor

The integrated pressure sensor protects your teeth and gums by alerting you when you apply too much pressure. If you press too hard, the toothbrush will change its vibration and sound to indicate that you should reduce pressure.



Image: A user brushing with the Philips Sonicare 4100, illustrating the pressure sensor feature.

4. SmartTimer and QuadPacer

- **SmartTimer:** The toothbrush automatically turns off after 2 minutes of brushing, indicating that you have brushed for the dentist-recommended time.
- **QuadPacer:** This feature divides your mouth into four sections. At 30-second intervals, the toothbrush will briefly pause to signal you to move to the next section of your mouth, ensuring a thorough cleaning.



Image: A sequence of images demonstrating the QuadPacer feature for complete mouth cleaning.

Maintenance

1. Cleaning the Toothbrush

After each use, rinse the brush head and bristles thoroughly under running water. Wipe the handle with a damp cloth. Do not immerse the handle in water.

2. Brush Head Replacement

For optimal performance and hygiene, replace your Philips Sonicare brush head every three months, or sooner if the bristles are splayed or worn. The BrushSync Replacement Reminder feature will also indicate when it's time to replace the brush head.



Image: Detailed view of the Philips Sonicare brush head, highlighting the sonic cleaning action.

3. Travel Case

Use the provided slim travel case to store your toothbrush and brush head hygienically when traveling.



Image: The Philips Sonicare 4100 toothbrush being stored in its protective travel case.

Troubleshooting

If you encounter any issues with your Philips Sonicare 4100 toothbrush, please refer to the following common solutions:

- **Toothbrush not turning on:** Ensure the toothbrush is fully charged. If the battery is depleted, place it on the charger for at least 24 hours.
- **Reduced vibration:** Check if the brush head is securely attached. If the battery is low, charge the toothbrush.
- **Pressure sensor activating too often:** Adjust your brushing technique to apply less pressure. The sensor is designed to protect your gums from excessive force.
- **Brush head not fitting:** Ensure you are using genuine Philips Sonicare brush heads compatible with the 4100 series.

For further assistance, please contact Philips customer support.

Specifications

Model Number	HX3683/33
Brand	PHILIPS
Technology	Sonic
Cleaning Modes	2 (Clean, Sensitive)
Special Features	Pressure Sensor, SmartTimer, QuadPacer, BrushSync Replacement Reminder
Power Source	USB Charger
Battery Life	Up to 2 weeks per full charge
Brush Head Type	W2 Optimal White (included)
Dimensions (Package)	22.4 x 13.9 x 6.4 cm; 380 grams
Material (Handle)	Plastic
Material (Bristles)	Nylon

Safety Information

Please read all safety instructions before using the Philips Sonicare 4100 electric toothbrush.

- Use the toothbrush with the recommended pressure to avoid damaging gums, as indicated by the pressure sensor.
- Replace the brush head when necessary, as guided by the BrushSync Replacement Reminder.
- Do not use this product if it appears damaged in any way (handle, brush head, charger).
- This appliance contains no user-serviceable parts. For repairs, contact Philips customer service.
- Keep the charger away from water. Do not place or store it where it can fall or be pulled into a tub or sink.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

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