



The Surgical Suction Askir – Filters (anti-bacterial) (VM-SSC30F) is a hydrophobic, single-patient replacement antibacterial filter for the ASKIR C30 mobile suction unit and compatible ASKIR surgical suction models. Fitted between the collection jar and the suction pump, it prevents bacterial particles, aerosols and fluid overflow from entering and contaminating the pump mechanism. The hydrophobic membrane repels liquid during high-flow aspiration of blood, mucus and surgical fluids. It is tool-free to replace during routine servicing between procedures. Available in South Africa from Vital Medical.

What Is an Antibacterial Suction Filter and What Does It Do?

An antibacterial suction filter is a protective barrier fitted in the suction line between the collection jar and the pump. The ASKIR Antibacterial Filter (VM-SSC30F) prevents bacterial particles, aerosols and fluid overflow from reaching the pump mechanism. Its hydrophobic membrane repels liquid even during high-flow aspiration of blood, mucus and surgical fluids. This protects the pump from damage and reduces the risk of infection. The filter is intended for single-patient use and should be replaced between patients to maintain clinical hygiene standards.

Compatibility and Replacement

The VM-SSC30F is designed for the ASKIR C30 mobile suction unit and is a compatible replacement accessory for other ASKIR models. Regular filter replacement is recommended as part of routine maintenance to keep suction performance optimal and prevent cross-contamination. The filter is easy to access and replace without tools during servicing between procedures, which keeps turnaround short in busy theatres and procedure rooms.

Hygiene, Compliance and Supply in South Africa

Using original replacement filters helps maintain the suction unit's CE compliance and its rated flow and vacuum specifications. A compromised or blocked filter can reduce the effective flow rate and increase the risk of pump damage or patient infection. Available in South Africa from Vital Medical, the VM-SSC30F is supplied as a standard replacement accessory to healthcare facilities operating ASKIR surgical suction equipment. Hospitals, clinics and theatres can request a free quote through the Vital Medical website and receive a personalised response within 24 hours.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS TABLE

Specification	Detail
Brand	ASKIR
SKU	VM-SSC30F
Product	ASKIR Antibacterial Replacement Filter
Type	Hydrophobic, single-patient use
Function	Prevents bacterial and fluid ingress into the suction pump
Position in Circuit	Between collection jar and suction pump
Compatible Units	ASKIR C30 and compatible ASKIR suction models
Replacement Interval	Between patients (single-patient use)
Accessory Code	VM-SSC30F

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