

*Change in Shape

* Too Much Heat

* Odd Noises

*Leaking

*Odor

*Change in Color

- Charge your lithium batteries following the manufacturers' instructions.
- Use approved power sources.
- Use the charging appliance that comes with the product.

DON'T

- Put the device in your pocket when batteries are in it.
- Use "standard" USB ports such as laptop USB ports or auto USB adapters.
- Keep extra batteries in direct sunlight.
- Overcharge the device.

THE FACTS

- ✓ Lithium batteries used in these devices can cause a fire or explosion leading to burn.
- ✓ Injuries happen most often when electronic cigarettes are stored in the pocket.
- ✓ More than 25 million Americans use electronic cigarettes.
- ✓ Electronic cigarettes (e-cigs) are battery operated products designed to turn nicotine and other chemicals into a vapor to be inhaled.



THE FIX

Should a burn injury occur...

- 1) STOP, DROP & ROLL if clothing catches fire.
- 2) Cool the burn with COOL (not cold) water.
- 3) Remove all clothing and jewelry from the injured area.
- 4) Cover the area with clean dry sheet or bandages.
- 5) Seek medical attention.



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