



Welcome to the Care Guide for your Velarian

This simple guide will help you keep your Velarian spigots and backplate looking the same as the day you opened the box. It's the same process we use in-house to maintain parts in storage.

Carbon Plate

The carbon plate has open machined edges. While the resin system is largely impermeable, we recommend sealing the edges with wax. It's a simple, satisfying job — and at HL, integrity is never left to chance.

Brass Components

Our brass is supplied raw and machined unless you've chosen a plated option (Nickel or Chrome). Raw brass will naturally age and tarnish, which many find desirable. If you'd like to restore its bright finish, it can be done easily with the right products.

Recommended Products

- [Dodo Juice Black Widow Wax](#) — used in-house to seal exposed carbon edges.
- [Menzerna Universal Polishing Cream](#) — safe for both brass and cured resin.
- Four clean microfibre cloths (two for wax, two for polish).
- Gloves to prevent oils and grease from contaminating the brass.
- Cotton buds for cleaning engravings if needed.

Process

Carbon Plate

1. Disassemble your Velarian and place parts on a soft, scratch-free surface.
2. Apply a thin layer of Black Widow wax around the full edge using a microfibre cloth.
3. Allow the wax to haze, then wipe clean with a separate cloth.
4. Place back on a soft surface until ready to reassemble.

Brass Components

1. Apply a small amount of Menzerna polish to a microfibre cloth (careful — it comes out quickly).
2. Work the polish into one part at a time with firm circular motions.
3. Wipe clean with a fresh cloth.
4. Optionally, apply a thin coat of wax to the brass using the same haze/wipe process. Use a cotton bud to clear wax from engravings.

Final Note

These steps will keep your Velarian up to HL standard. We recommend reapplying wax every **3–6 months**, depending on use and environment. For any questions or additional support, contact us at [contact@harroldandlloyd.com].