

When Blades Rattle And The Sockets Are Adjusted

There are a couple reasons blades rattle on the clipper.

1. Socket ears are spread apart too far and don't seat correctly on the hinge. Take a pair of pliers and pinch them together enough so you just see them move. Too far and you'll have to widen them again and start over.
2. The hinge its self is loose. They can become loose from running blades on combs all the time. This can back the screws out a little over time. Check the tightness of the hinge screws with a phillips screwdriver. It doesn't take much, so tightening them where the screw moves at all may fix this.
3. No hook on the end of the latch. If its missing, blades will rattle either right as you put the blade on the clipper, or when your going through coat and hit a thicker part. It can break off from slapping blades on the clipper without raising it first. NOTE: You put the blade on the open hinge, start the clipper, raise the latch, push the blade against the clipper, release the latch. The hook on the latch grabs the front of the socket to hold the blade against the clipper. There is a video on the website that shows how easy this is to do with one hand.
Instructional Video Page @ Notherntails.com

