Instructions for Use

Renamel® Microfill
Light-Cured Microfill Composite

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**GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Renamel Microfill is the only composite that truly mimics the enamel surface. Where enamel is to be replicated, Renamel Microfill is the composite resin of choice. Renamel Microfill has been and continues to be the number one rated microfill for more than 2 decades. When applied, sculpted, finished and polished accurately, no other composite resin can match its lifelike, natural appearance. In essence, it is the artistic dentist’s dream material.

Renamel Microfill is a light-cured, microfilled, highly polishable dental filling material according to EN ISO 4049. Renamel Microfill cures with a LED and Halogen light at wavelength range of 400 - 500 nm.

**CREATING AN ENAMEL-LIKE SURFACE**

Renamel Microfill is a pure microfill, and as such can be polished as highly as glass. Using the appropriate instruments, a dentist can shape and texture the surface to exactly duplicate the surrounding dentition. This step should not be taken lightly, for this is the part that gives you the ultimate in esthetic dentistry. Renamel Microfill has the best refractive and reflective index of any product in the marketplace. When finished and polished properly, Renamel Microfill will create results that are so beautiful and long-lasting, that both the dentist and the patient will be astounded.

**NOTHING POLISHES LIKE A MICROFILL!**

A comparison of the polished surface of two leading composites. The SEM image of Renamel Microfill (left) and 3M Filtek Supreme (right), both at the same 1,000x surface magnification. The University of Illinois study is available on request.

**COMPOSITION**

Renamel Microfill consists of multi-functional acrylic resins and fillers of 0.04 - 0.2 micron sized particles of inorganic and prepolymerized composite (70% by weight, 60% by volume). Renamel Microfill has been in the marketplace for more than twenty-five years, and its handling, color stability, and long term polishability is unsurpassed.
LONG-TERM COLOR STABILITY
Renamel composites offer color stability that is unmatched in the marketplace. Renamel Microfill holds its shade and polish so that you can rest assured that your patient will be happy for many years.

LONG TERM COLOR STABILITY
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An Incredible 22-1/2 Years Post Op!

INDICATIONS FOR USE
• Direct anterior veneers
• Anterior Class III restorations
• Class V restorations (cervical caries, root erosion, wedge-shaped defects)
• Closing of diastemas
• Repair of composite and ceramic veneers
• Occlusal surfaces of posterior restorations
• Reshape, lengthen and restoratively reposition anterior teeth

“In June of 2003 I placed 6 veneers with Renamel Microfill B-1. Today this patient came to my office with a large diagonal fracture of the veneer on #8. I completely replaced the veneer with the same B-1 material. The result was hard to believe. The shade match was perfect! After all these years the old veneers had not discolored one bit. The patient said that she drinks tea and red wine quite often. The polishability of Renamel Microfill is amazing, and it apparently maintains its luster for many years. My patient was really impressed also.”

— Dr. Mark Johnson, Cosmedent Customer.
PLACEMENT DIRECTIONS

Prior to the application of Renamel Microfill, the use of opaquers or microhybrids, or a combination of both may be necessary to achieve excessive color blockout. If replacing dentin, place a microhybrid or nanofill composite first for strength and opacity. Polymerize before the addition of your microfill layer.

1. Prepare tooth, etch and dry according to manufacturer’s instructions.
2. Place dental adhesive of choice, such as Cosmedent’s Complete®, and polymerize.
3. Renamel Microfill should be placed on a light-protecting box, such as the ResinKeeper™ to prevent pre-polymerization by ambient light. Slice an increment of proper size and roll the composite into a ball, a cylinder or an elliptical shape (convenience form) as needed.
4. Place with a clean metal instrument onto the area to be restored and shaped. Cosmedent’s 8A and 8AL (long and short bladed) and G-3 are excellent instruments for placement.
   Note: For instrumentation, titanium-coated composite instruments are desired because they will prevent composite material from sticking to the instrument.
5. If resin still sticks to the instrument, the instrument may be scratched or dirty. If your room is excessively warm and some stickiness occurs, simply wipe the instrument with a light alcohol swab and this will reduce stickiness completely.
6. Take your time and sculpt carefully. Slightly over-contour every restoration, except in the interproximal areas. Sculpt exactly to contour in these areas and it will greatly aid in developing the final contour of your restoration, and shorten your finishing and polishing time. Cosmedent’s IPC instruments are excellent for interproximal sculpting.
7. If placing an incisal shade, the use of a titanium-coated instrument, such as Cosmedent’s Multi-Purpose instrument, will help you create incisal lobes and grooves in your body composite to make room for the application of your incisal shade.
8. Polymerize each surface for 20-40 seconds (Halogen or LED Lamp) and final cure each restoration on all surfaces for 60 seconds. Do not try to cure to depths over 2 mm. Note: Dentists tend to under-cure composites. You will get best results if you slightly over-cure.
9. Finishing should be done with a combination of polishing materials such as diamonds, carbide burs and aluminum oxide discs in coarse and medium grits (FlexiDiscs™ from Cosmedent).
10. High-gloss polish can be achieved using aluminum impregnated instruments fine and superfine flexible discs (FlexiDiscs™) and (FlexiCups™), followed by Enamelize™ polishing paste applied with (FlexiBuffs™) all from Cosmedent.

For more detailed polishing techniques, please visit Cosmedent’s Resource Center at Cosmedent.com/Resources or call a Cosmedent Customer Care Representative at 800-621-6729.
COLOR MATCHING

Is there anything more difficult than matching a tooth shade against an existing dentition? The Renamel Restorative System® is designed to take the guesswork out of shade selection. It recognizes that there are different zones of color and translucency. It understands that color selection should be about achieving the correct enamel shade with predictability. Cosmedent’s Renamel Restorative System will help you easily achieve consistently reliable results when selecting a shade.

Color matching is a difficult science, and many people have trouble with color selection. What are the problems?

- Many materials on the market do not match their shade guides.
- It is often difficult for an individual to see shade differences.
- The color, opacity, translucency and polishability of many materials do not accurately simulate the tooth surface.
- Materials often have a refractive and reflective index that is dissimilar to that of the enamel surface.
- Many materials do not have long-term color stability which can result in large color changes over time.

Cosmedent has consistently developed reliable and color stable materials that accurately match each other and the Classic VITA® Shade Guide. Renamel composites have been matched to VITA shades more accurately than any other material in the marketplace. The 16 different shades in the VITA shade guide encompass four shade ranges. Cosmedent has added several additional useful shades to give the clinician still more options to develop the correct color.

These shades include some darker geriatric shades for cervical restorations (A5, A6, and C5) and SuperBrite shades (SB1, SB2, and SB3) to match intensely bleached teeth, or to create the Hollywood smile. This system is also complimented by unique half shades of A1.5, A2.5, and A3.5, which are commonly missing in other systems. The Renamel Restorative System also contains three vividly translucent incisal shades: light, medium and dark.
SHADE SELECTION

When selecting a shade, one should remember that teeth are usually polychromatic, having three zones: a translucent darker incisal, a lighter central body portion and a darker cervical area.

Assessing shade on a clean, moist tooth using magnification will help you to easily identify these areas. The body shades in The Renamel Restorative System correspond to the central body zone of the tooth surface. Primary shade selection should be taken against the body area of the tooth. A good suggestion is to remove the incisal and gingival portion on each shade tab which may help you achieve a more accurate match to the body area. You can also make your own shade guide out of composite material.

Some additional hints on shade selection are:

- Understand how light affects the overall aspect of your shade selection. Assess shade in fluorescent light (where we view one another most of the time) and augment with other types of light, i.e., shade matching light such as Rite-Lite 2™ from Addent, or viewing in natural light.
- Your materials must accurately match an existing shade guide. If not, make your own shade guide.
- You can include the patient in shade changing, but never include them in shade matching.

USEFUL TIPS FOR PLACEMENT

1. Use of a clean, dry gloved finger is very effective in rapidly forming the desired surface prior to your sculpting techniques.
2. The use of titanium-coated instruments is desired to prevent composite pull-back.
3. Use a Cosmedent 8A or 8AL (long or short blade) or a G3 for application and general shaping of the material, and the IPCT or IPCL (long or short blade) for finite refinements.
4. The use of Cosmedent’s Multi-Purpose instrument is very effective for incisal groove and lobe placement, which allows enough room for addition of the incisal material.
5. Use a Caliper instrument for measurements.
6. To avoid contamination, wash and dry your gloves thoroughly prior to placement. Do not use powdered gloves.
7. Make sure your patient removes all makeup prior to treatment.
8. When applying composite, place convenience form in one piece, then sculpt off excess. This is much easier than placing too little and then adding more.

FOR MORE COMPREHENSIVE COMPOSITE TECHNIQUES

View COSMEDENT’S Tip of the Month® at Cosmedent.com and visit DentalComposites.com, our free resource to composite bonding.
STORAGE

- Once opened, do not refrigerate.
- Keep Renamel Microfill at room temperature (approximately 39-75 °F; 4-24 °C).
- Do not use after expiration date.
- Avoid direct sunlight.
- Keep material out of reach of children.

IMPORTANT PRODUCT INFORMATION

Federal (U.S.) law restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a dentist.

Note: This product was developed for use in the dental sector and should be used in accordance with the instructions for use. The manufacturer does not accept liability for damage caused by its use for any other purpose. The user is also obliged to accept responsibility for checking before use that the material is suitable and can be used for the intended purpose, particularly if this is not listed in the instructions for use.

Contraindications: Renamel Microfill is contraindicated if patient is known to be allergic to any of the ingredients of Renamel Microfill.

Side Effects: Can cause irritation in sensitive patients.

Interactions: Do not use Renamel Microfill in combination with eugenol containing materials, as these can impede the polymerization process.

Notice: During time-consuming procedures, avoid overexposure from the operatory light to protect against polymerization of the material.

Warning: Renamel Microfill contains 1,4-Butanediol dimethacrylate. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Wear protective gloves. In case of contact with the eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical attention.
PACKAGING UNITS AND SHADES

Renamel Microfill Refills
  Individual Syringes
  1 each of 4 g.


  Plus SuperBrite Shades:  SuperBrite 1, SuperBrite 2, and SuperBrite 3.

Kits come in 11 shades and 5 shades. All Kits Can Be Customized.

Renamel Microfill Starter Kit
  A1, A2, A3, A4, and Medium Incisal.

Renamel Microfill 11 Shade Kit
  A1, A2, A3, A4, B1, B3, C2, C4, D3, Light Incisal, and Medium Incisal.

SAVE!
  Buy any 5 or more shades of Renamel Microfill and Save 10%
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