

3M Science.
Applied to Life.™

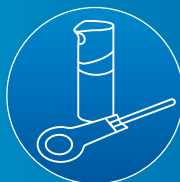
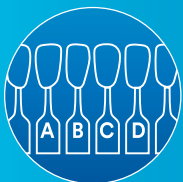


**More control.
More confidence.
It all starts here.**

3M Direct Restorative Solutions



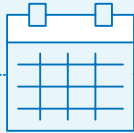
- ✓ Performance
- ✓ Productivity
- ✓ Profitability



Partnering for success on the road to practice growth.

A history of innovation. A legacy of trust.

Over the last 50 years, 3M Oral Care has focused on using material science to help overcome common challenges in each step of the direct restorative procedure. We've introduced groundbreaking industry "firsts" that help deliver an excellent patient experience while enhancing your productivity.



- 1964** » The first tooth-colored restorative material
- 1997** » The first dental company to win the coveted Malcom Baldrige National Quality Award
- 1998** » The first true nanocomposite – for beautiful, strong restorations that last
- 2009** » The first toothpaste with functional tri-calcium phosphate (fTCP)
- 2011** » The first universal adhesive
- 2013** » Polishing wheel introduced using patented radial bristle disc design
- 2016** » 1 billion restorations completed using 3M™ Filtek™ Dental Restoratives
- 2017** » Smart Contrast Ratio Management technology for improved opacity
- 2018** » First composite cleared by the FDA for warming
- 2020** » The first radiopaque universal adhesive, enabling more accurate X-ray diagnosis

Meet our partners.

3M has teamed up with two industry leaders in techniques and technology for restorative dentistry:

bluelight

Half of all dental income* relies on the successful use of light-cured dental materials. Yet, it's hard to tell if a curing light is doing its job. Bluelight and 3M have teamed up to give you the evidence you need to be confident in the performance of your curing light – tailored for the restorative materials you use.

- » With **Bluelight CheckMARC® service**, a trained 3M representative will visit your clinic and evaluate your light-curing materials and protocols.
- » With a **Bluelight CheckUp Radiometer** and app, you can monitor your own curing lights and match curing times to the materials you use.

BIOCLEAR

The Bioclear™ Method uses injection molding with warmed 3M™ Filtek™ Dental Restoratives to take the guesswork out of shaping, create natural contacts, preserve tooth structure – and achieve spectacular, transformative results.

- » Correct black triangles easily and beautifully
- » Predictably perform Class II restorations with better results for you and your patients
- » Give patients a minimally invasive option for restoring their smile

* American Dental Association. (2007). 2005-06 Survey of Dental Services Rendered. 1–181. American Dental Association. (2013). Survey of fees. Retrieved from: <http://www.toothnature.com/2013/07/survey-average-fee-charged-by-dentists.html>
Dental Revenue in the US. (2013). Retrieved from: <http://www.statista.com/statistics/296642/revenue-dentists-in-the-us/>.

Harness the combined power of these advanced materials and innovative method to put your practice on the path to restorative success.

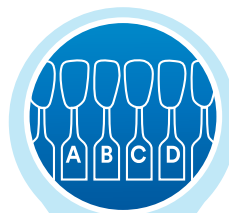
Tough procedure challenge?
Find your roadmap for success.

3M Direct Restorative Solutions

For over 50 years, 3M Oral Care has supported you with industry-leading composites, adhesives, finishing and polishing systems, fluoride-based products and more.

Now, it all comes together – in a comprehensive portfolio of solutions designed to help you take your direct restorations to the next level.

- ✓ Streamline your procedures
- ✓ Overcome common challenges
- ✓ Deliver an excellent patient experience



Shade selection

Make it easier to match your patients' dentition by choosing composites formulated to match the VITA® Classical Shade Guide – and with a range of shades and opacities to match your technique.



Technique selection

3M Direct Restorative Solutions are designed to help you improve efficiency and meet patient expectations for natural-looking restorations.

- ✓ Single-shade
- ✓ Multi-shade
- ✓ Injection molding

Improve control and predictability at every step.



Composite placement



3M™ Filtek™ Dental Restoratives: Universals, Flowables and Bulk Fills

- ✓ Create strong, wear-resistant restorations
- ✓ Improve handling with composite warming
- ✓ Find the right balance of esthetics and efficiency



Adhesive application



3M™ Scotchbond™ Universal Plus Adhesive

- ✓ Dentin-like radiopacity
- ✓ Virtually no post-op sensitivity
- ✓ High bond strength in one bottle system

*3M internal data on file

Take the direct route to restorative success.



Light curing

Finishing and polishing

Protection



3M™ Elipar™ DeepCure-S LED Curing Light

- ✓ Delivers a deep, predictable uniform cure
- ✓ Comfortable, ergonomic, and efficient design

3M™ Sof-Lex™ Dental Abrasive Systems

- ✓ Finish faster, with fewer steps
- ✓ Maximize the esthetics of your restoration

3M™ Clinpro™ Tooth Crème 0.21% Sodium Fluoride Anti-Cavity Toothpaste & 3M™ Clinpro™ White Varnish

- ✓ Give your high-risk patients extra protection
- ✓ Innovative fTCP technology delivers consistent release of fluoride

3M Direct Restorative Solutions put the tools in your hands.

- ✓ Navigate complex challenges with confidence
- ✓ Create more beautiful, lasting restorations, more efficiently
- ✓ Bring new opportunities to your practice



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