



# INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

**Description:** Nuance FLOW is a light-cured flowable composite resin designed for anterior or posterior restorations. Nuance FLOW's unique, self-leveling viscosity allows for easy placement without running or dripping, making it an ideal material for the pulpal or axial layer in posterior restorations.

#### Indications:

*Nuance® FLOW* is recommended for the following types of applications:

- Direct restorations of anterior or posterior teeth
- Cavity base / liner
- Intraoral repairs of fractured crowns / bridges
- Filling and adding to provisionals

#### **Contraindications:**

Patients allergic or hypersenstitive to methacrylate monomers

#### Incompatibilities:

For pulp protection or temporary sealing, do not use materials containing eugenol. Eugenol increases the risk of retarding the bonding system curing process.

#### **Precautions:**

#### 1. Material Safety

- Patients that have a history of hypersensitity to methacrylate monomers should avoid the use of this product. If hypersensitivity occurs, discontinue use of the product and consult a physician.
- Clinician is advised to wear gloves to prevent the occurrence of hypersensitivity.
- Use caution to prevent the product from coming in contact with skin or eyes.
  - If product gets in the eye, flush with copious amounts of water and consult a physician.
  - If product comes in contact with the skin, immediately wipe with alcohol and rinse with copious amounts of water.
- Use caution to avoid patient ingestion. If ingested please contact physician immediately.
- Do not extrude syringe material directly into patients mouth, to avoid cross contamination. Dispense product onto a mixing pad prior to placement.
- Do not reuse flowable needle tips.





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### 2. Application Precautions

- Do not mix Nuance FLOW with other competitor composite resins. Mixing competitive materials increases the risk of a failed restoration. Layering Nuance FLOW is acceptable.
- When preparing the cavity, remove any existing lining material.
- For full polymerization, refer to the depth of cure chart and always hold the dental curing light tip as near and as vertical to the composite resin as possible.
- Verify the output of your dental curing light for proper intensity, to ensure complete polymerization. For best curing results use DenMat's Flashlite Magna<sup>®</sup> 4.0.

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Light	Wavelength range and light intensity
Halogen Lamp	Light intensity of 300-550 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> in wavelength range from 400-415 nm
Xenon Lamp	Light intensity of more than 2000 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> in wavelength range from 400-515 nm, and light intensity of more than 450 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> in wavelength range from 400-430 nm
Blue LED	Light intensity of more than 300 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> in wavelength range from 400-515 nm
LED	Light intensity of 1,100 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ±200 in wavelength range from 460-480 nm
LED	Light intensity of 1,300 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ±200 mW in wavelength range of 440-490 nm
	Halogen Lamp Xenon Lamp Blue LED LED

- Nuance FLOW will slowly polymerize in ambient light, and should be used shortly after extrusion. It is recommended that overhead lights be turned down. Please discard any material which has polymerized prematurely.
- Nuance FLOW should be at room temperature when dispensing and applying.

## 3. Storage Precautions

- Nuance FLOW should not be used past the expiration date listed on the syringe.
- Nuance FLOW should be stored at 2 25°C / 36 77°F when not in use.
- Keep away from direct sunlight, extreme heat, or open flame.
- After extrusion, securely place the cap onto the syringe. This will protect Nuance FLOW from ambient light, as well as foreign objects.

## Main Ingredients:

- Silanated barium glass filler
- Silanated colloidal silica
- Methacrylate blend
- DL-Camphorquinone

## **Clinical Procedure**

- 1. Clean and prepare the tooth in the manner standard to your office's protocol.
- 2. Apply bonding agent per the manufacturer's instructions.
- 3. Place and light-cure Nuance FLOW.
  - To reduce micro leakage and sensitivity, apply Nuance FLOW as a liner in the cavity preparation. Light cure per instruction table.
  - Choose the appropriate shade that best matches the surrounding tooth.
  - Place the chosen product into the restoration site, and light cure per instruction table.

*Note* – Nuance FLOW should not be bulk cured, beyond increments of the recommended curing depth.

 Contour the restoration and adjust the occlusion using a fine diamond point. Polish with silicone rubber points or polishing discs.

Nuance FLOW Curing times			
Туре	Curing Time	All Shades	
LED / Halogen	20-40 sec	1.5 mm Dooth of Ouro	
Plasma Arc	5–10 sec	1.5 mm Depth of Cure	