

29. Resin cements forge ahead in lutting agents

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Restorative dentistry is constantly undergoing change, driven in part by new clinical applications of existing dental materials. Changes in restorative treatment pattern with the introduction of new and improved restorative material techniques has enhanced dental care and growing interest in caries free teeth and longevity of dental restorations.. Selecting the proper cement for sufficient bond strength has become progressively complicated as the number of different materials for indirect restoration has increased. Currently no commercially available lutting cement is ideal for all situations. Proper selection of a lutting agent is the important decision in a series of steps that required meticulous execution and will determine the long term success of fixed restoration. The success of any restoration is highly dependent on proper cement being chosen and used.

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