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# ADHESION

## HOW, WHAT, WITH AND WHY



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#### **LEARNING GOALS:**

- ✓ How to adhere to a substrate micro-mechanical as well as chemical.
- ✓ How and with which materials a surface can be prepared for adhesion.
- ✓ The characteristics of 10-MDP monomer.
- ✓ The distinction between the different dental ceramics.

### **CONTENT:**

In this lecture I look into details and possibilities of luting indirect materials for instance to tooth tissue. Dentin is a very complex substance for a long term stable adhesion but it is not impossible to achieve. Starting point are the adhesive principles of dentistry.

Ceramics create, in spite of what may/might be thought, less of a challenge on condition of following the correct technical procedures. Every material requests its own specific treatment. The correct way to treat a substrate makes complicated adhesive (luting-) procedures much easier.

