



GC Capsulated restorative & luting materials

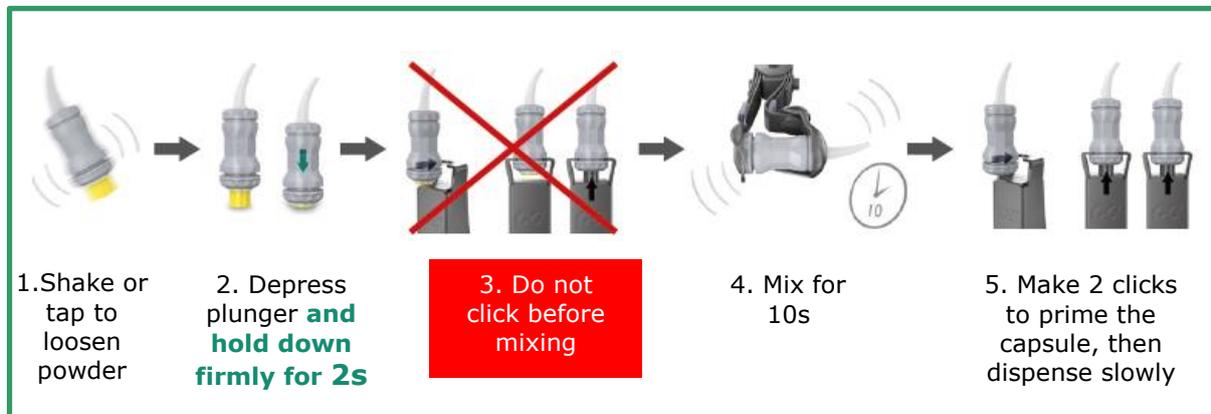
New activation method

GC is improving the capsule experience with a faster and easier activation technique!

Before: Push, Click & Mix

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Now: Push & Mix



Change to Push & Mix!

- New technique: one less step by eliminating the "click" step before mixing
- Instead, the plunger is depressed by **firmly pushing it for two seconds** (see image)
- This change is **applicable to all GC capsules**

Why changing the activation technique?

- To make the **use & activation of capsules easier**
- New activation should provide **optimal mixing** of products and reduce risk of complaints, especially on Fuji IX GP and Fuji IX GP Fast

What are the next steps?

- A sticker on the box & an insert with the new activation method have been placed to start informing the customers
- Instructions for use & boxes will gradually be updated to reflect the change of activation.
- Rolling out of new instructions will take place over the course of the year.



■ Capsules impacted by the change in activation method

■ All GC capsules will be impacted. Below is a complete overview of GC Capsules portfolio.

Restorative Glass Ionomer Capsules					
LIGHT BLUE	GREEN	PINK	WHITE	GREY	YELLOW
GC Fuji VIII GP	Fuji II LC	GC Fuji TRIAGE	GC Fuji IX GP FAST	GC Fuji IX GP	GC Fuji IX GP EXTRA
Resin-modified glass ionomer	Resin-modified glass ionomer	Low viscosity glass ionomer	High viscosity glass ionomer	High viscosity glass ionomer	High viscosity glass ionomer
Class III Class V Root surface protection	Deciduous teeth Base Class III Class V	Fissure and root surface protection Temporary restorations Desensitisation (MIH teeth...) Sealing of endo-access cavities	Base Temporary restorations Core build-up Small, non-load bearing Class I & II Deciduous teeth Class V Root surface protection		
Shades: A2, A3, A3.5, B2, B3, C4	Shades: A1, A2, A3, A3.5, A4, B2, B3, B4, C2, C4, D2	Shades: Pink, White	Shades: A1, A2, A3, A3.5, B2, B3, C4	Shades: A2, A3, A3.5, B2, B3, C4	Shades: A1, A2, A3, A3.5, B1, B2, B3, C4

Long-Term Restorative Systems		
YELLOW	RED	RED
EQUIA Fil	EQUIA Forte	EQUIA Forte HT
High viscosity Bulk fill	Bulk fill glass hybrid	Bulk fill glass hybrid
Load bearing Class I Small load bearing Class II Class V Core build-up Deciduous teeth	Load bearing Class I Load bearing Class II Class V Core build-up Deciduous teeth	Load bearing Class I Load bearing Class II Class V Core build-up Deciduous teeth
Shades : A1, A2, A3, A3.5, B1, B2, B3, C4, SW	Shades : A1, A2, A3, A3.5, B1, B2, B3, C4	Shades : A1, A2, A3, A3.5, B1, B2, B3, C4

Luting Capsules			
RED	LIGHT PINK	BLUE	ORANGE
GC Fuji I	GC Fuji PLUS	GC Fuji ORTHO LC	GC G-CEM
Glass ionomer	Resin-modified glass ionomer	Resin-modified glass ionomer	Self-adhesive resin cement
Metal based crowns, bridges & posts	Metal based, zirconia, lithium disilicate or composite crowns & bridges	Orthodontic bands and brackets	Metal, ceramics or resin crowns, bridges, inlays, onlays & posts
Shade: Light Yellow	Shades: A3, Yellow	Shade: Light Yellow	Shades: A2, B01, Translucent, A03