The health and appearance of gingival tissues significantly affects smile aesthetics. With more than 85% of the population displaying some type of these dental issues, choosing the best treatment for cervical lesions and gingival recession may present a challenge to dental professionals.¹

Over decades, direct composite resin restorations have become a clinically proven alternative for patients seeking highly aesthetic yet minimally-invasive restorative procedures.² New advancements in dental materials combined with better understanding of biomechanics of dental tissues have stimulated the formulation of composite resins with improved physical and optical properties, making it possible to reestablish aesthetics of fractured teeth and correct the appearance of gingival recession, directly, in the operatory.

Recently, Beautifil II Gingiva and Enamel direct resin composites were developed as an addition to the award-winning Beautifil II, a fluoride-releasing, bioactive, nanohybrid composite line. Intended for the cervical area, specifically—the aesthetic correction of gingival recession, wedge-shaped defects, exposed cervical areas, splinting, and re-balancing of pink and white aesthetics, the pink-colored Beautifil II Gingiva restorative is available in 5 gingiva shades, light pink, dark pink, orange, brown and violet. The collection of these shades was created based on Shofu’s signature Ceramage line, a nano-ceramic indirect composite, designed for artistic restorations of anterior regions. Similarly to its indirect predecessor, Beautifil II Gingiva resin composite can be blended together and layered to produce custom shades that will help effectively address patient’s clinical needs.

Designed for direct anterior restorations, Beautifil II Enamel resin composite is available in 4 enamel shades, high-value translucent, translucent, low-value translucent and amber. The chameleon-like optical characteristics of the enamel tones allow for creating polychromatic restorations with morphology and aesthetics of natural teeth, chairside, providing the clinicians with a cost-effective alternative to ceramic veneers. Similarly to gingiva-shaded composites, the white-colored Beautifil II Enamel can be layered and blended together to deliver results that will mimic natural dentition.

The new color modules are highly filled (ca. 83 wt%), demonstrate excellent flexural and compressive strength (ca. 130 MPa and 320 MPa, respectively), maintain outstanding color stability before and after curing, exhibit high luster and, similarly to the original Beautifil II nano-hybrid composite resin, offer clinically vetted Giomer benefits—the ability to release and recharge fluoride, inhibit plaque build-up and neutralize acid.

Available in syringes and technique kits, Shofu’s nano-hybrid Beautifil II Gingiva and Enamel composites with bioactive Giomer chemistry provide life-like aesthetics in a minimally-invasive and cost-effective manner. These novel materials make an excellent addition to the clinician’s armamentarium by expanding the range of treatment modalities that lead to increased patient satisfaction and practice profitability.

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