

Dental VPP Photopolymers for Laboratory Manufacturing Workflows

Grade-specific mechanical, optical and processing information with finished-device validation boundaries

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Highlights

- Dental grades are mapped only to documented manufacturing uses and current controlled evidence.
- Monomer-free chemistry does not establish formulation-level biocompatibility.
- ISO 20795-1 is restricted to denture base polymers within scope.
- ISO 4049 is restricted to covered restorative and luting materials.
- The legal manufacturer validates accuracy, processing, biology, performance and conformity.

Abstract

The dental portfolio contains clear, coloured and castable grades intended for different laboratory manufacturing workflows.

Mechanical, optical and formulation attributes do not independently establish clinical performance, biological safety or conformity. Product standards depend on the finished article and their stated scopes.

Each grade is mapped only to documented use with current TDS, instructions and reports. The legal manufacturer owns finished-device classification, process validation, biology, accuracy, cleaning/sterilization and conformity.

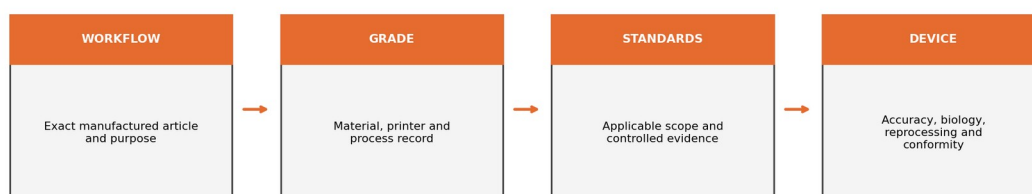
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Source use. Product evidence is in [1]; dental and biological standards in [2–4]; legal and workflow control in [5–6].

1. Grade-specific manufacturing use

Models, guides, splints, aligners, dentures, restorations and castable patterns are separated. A shared portfolio does not create universal indication coverage.

- Record exact grade and printer.
- Define article and intended purpose.
- Use current product-specific data.



Release requires traceable evidence at every gate; a catalogue label cannot bypass the chain.

Figure 1. WP-40 evidence gates from controlled material description to final acceptance.

2. Standards scope

ISO 20795-1 is not generalized beyond denture base polymers. ISO 4049 is not generalized beyond covered restorative/luting materials. TPO/SVHC claims require current composition and ECHA-status evidence.

- Do not infer lower biological risk from TPO-free.
- Use exact QMS certificate statements only.
- Separate castable pattern from cast device.

3. Finished-device validation

Material flexural strength alone does not establish drill-guide accuracy or safety. Clinical outcome, imaging and reprocessing require complete product/process evidence.

4. Minimum controlled evidence before release

Control field	Required record	Release interpretation
Workflow	Exact manufactured article and purpose	Catalogue description only until evidence is linked
Grade	Material, printer and process record	Control process variables and change triggers
Standards	Applicable scope and controlled evidence	Report method, result, uncertainty and limits
Device	Accuracy, biology, reprocessing and conformity	Apply final acceptance and responsibility boundary



Description ≠ measured result ≠ certification or finished-device approval

Figure 2. WP-40 separates catalogue positioning, measured evidence and final application decisions.

KEY INSIGHT

Precise product or application language is retained only when the exact formulation, method, processed specimen and controlled evidence can be traced.

5. Limitations

- Monomer-free is not biocompatibility.
- No standard covers all dental grades.
- No universal printer/deployment claim is retained.
- Material strength does not validate guide safety.
- Finished-device responsibility remains explicit.

6. Conclusions

- Dental grades are mapped only to documented manufacturing uses and current controlled evidence.
- Monomer-free chemistry does not establish formulation-level biocompatibility.
- The legal manufacturer validates accuracy, processing, biology, performance and conformity.
- This corrected candidate remains local and on HOLD until series-wide scientific, metadata and visual release checks are complete.

Revision note

Version 5.5 removes monomer-free biocompatibility and universal dental-indication/standard claims, splits manufacturing routes and adds final-device validation controls.

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