

6 PREVIOUS EVALS 42 YEARS EXPERIENCE

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Scott Waletzko, DDS
Oak Harbor, WA



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Bennie Clark, DMD
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Luna 2, Luna Flow & Zipbond

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This versatile restorative system combines ideal handling properties with superior strength and esthetics to create beautiful, durable final restorations

Sorting through the wide range of composite materials on the market is easier said than done. With flowable, bulk-fill, and universal composites, it can be overwhelming for dental practices to keep them all straight, which often leaves dentists searching for a versatile restorative solution that simplifies the selection process.

Hoping for "a versatile, high quality composite material [that is] suitable for a variety of composite restorations," Dr. Stephen Rosenberg was excited to try SDI's trio of restorative materials—Luna 2 universal composite, Luna Flow flowable composite, and Zipbond universal adhesive—for this *DPS* evaluation. He determined that it is "a versatile system [that's] simple yet flexible enough to suit a wide variety of clinical uses." Explaining that Luna 2, Luna Flow, and Zipbond "produce very nice-looking restorations," Dr. Rosenberg is thrilled to have "a coordinated composite restorative that is useful in a wide variety of situations, is versatile but not over complicated, performs very well, and integrated into my practice easily."

Ease of Use & Convenience of All-in-One System

Suitable for anterior and posterior restorations, Luna 2 universal composite features ideal handling properties, low shrinkage, beautiful esthetics, and high strength, while Luna Flow is a strong, flowable, light-cured material that's delivered directly into the cavity prep. Zipbond is a fluoride-releasing, light-cured universal adhesive with predictable bond strengths to multiple substrates with all etching techniques.

When using Luna 2 and Luna Flow with Zipbond, Dr. Eric Levine liked having "a system of composites



and adhesives where it's easy to identify what will be used with what." Calling the products "quick and easy to use," Dr. Donald Jetter said Luna 2 and Luna Flow "result in esthetic restorations," and Zipbond "saves chair time," especially with unit-dose bottles. Preferring the bulk bottle, Dr. Scott Turik stated, "Zipbond works as well as, if not better than, the [brand name] we are currently using." Describing a patient with 2 chipped lower incisors, Dr. Rosenberg said, "The combined use of Luna Flow and Luna 2 made the procedure straightforward and resulted in highly esthetic restorations through simple technique."

Handling

A unique blend of proprietary fillers optimizes handling, offers high radiopacity, and features reliable mechanical properties for both Luna 2 and Luna Flow. "Luna Flow is the correct consistency to make placement easier and more comfortable," noted Dr. Edward Penza, while a few dentists thought it was too runny. Dr. Rosenberg called Luna 2 "an excellent balance of handling properties that handles and sculpts very well," and Dr. Jetter said the "easy-to-handle compos-

takeaways

- Luna 2, Luna Flow, and Zipbond are a versatile restorative solution for many different indications
- Luna 2 & Luna Flow offer superior strength, esthetics and high radiopacity
- Proprietary fillers improve handling properties
- Logical Shade Matching Technology and a chameleon effect enable easy and accurate shade matching
- Zipbond provides consistent adhesion and bond strength to multiple substrates



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ite resin" saves chair time. Luna 2 and Luna Flow have "good adaptability to cavity preparations," Dr. Scott Waletzko said. "The handling characteristics (lack of stickiness, ability to shape) are a valuable, stress-relieving addition to my clinical tool kit."

Versatility, Esthetics & Final Results

Available in 12 shades, Luna 2 and Luna Flow feature Logical Shade Matching Technology and a chameleon effect with optimal translucency, color stability, and high polishability. With high strength and wear resistance, both composites are ideal for a variety of restorative indications, and Zipbond delivers a consistent reliable bond.

"I loved the wide assortment of shades; it matches shades perfectly," described Dr. Eric Leibowitz. With "excellent handling and color matching," Dr. Bennie Clark said the composites should "be considered top-shelf," explaining that Luna 2 "performed at high levels in the posterior when doing multiple restorations." Hoping for a posterior composite that handled and polished well, Dr. Scott Miller said Luna 2 "really came through on both counts," reporting several Class II and V restorations that "came out great." Dr. Waletzko called Luna 2 "a winner for esthetics and strength" and said its "finishing characteristics were pleasantly surprising" with "a good shine and smoothness." Luna 2 provided "life-like restorations" for his patients, said Dr. Rob-

ert Klein, who had "great results in both posterior and anterior restorations" and said he is very happy with these products and will continue using them.

Overall Satisfaction

"When a product reduces my stress level, I can't help but feel enthusiastic!" said Dr. Waletzko about the trio of SDI products, which Dr. Jetter called "quality

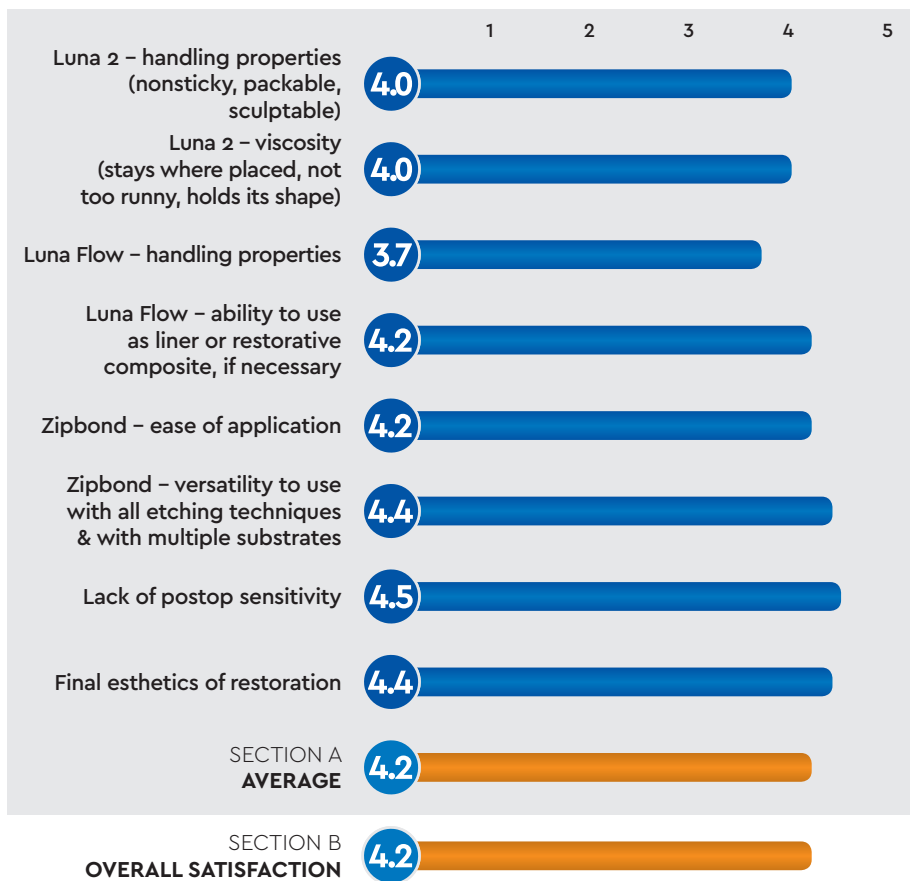
products that result in quality restorations." Luna 2, Luna Flow, and Zipbond are "as good as most products on the market," noted Dr. Turik, and Dr. Clark decided, "This composite holds its own when compared to industry giants. I highly recommend."

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PRODUCT REVIEW SNAPSHOT

CRITERIA BASED ON AVERAGE SCORE (OUT OF 5)



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FINAL SCORE
AVERAGE OF SECTIONS A AND B

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RECOMMENDED PRODUCT