

LIFE-LIKE LABORATORY

ONLINE DEMO ONLY

NOT FOR PRINT OR USE WITH PATIENT PHOTOS

It is very important that all photos are against this color background sheet.

☐ POSITIONING

Request that patient increases blood circulation into his/her extremities by moving around. Observe the color differences. The patient's skintone will vary greatly, subject to many variables such as blood circulation, ambient temperature, lighting sources, etc. An approximation between the extreme variances will provide the best results.

☐ NO FLASH - ADEQUATE LIGHTING

The best results will be achieved with indirect natural lighting. Flash photography will distort color accuracy.

☐ MULTIPLE ANGLES and CLOSE-UPS

Please provide photos taken from multiple angles of both the injured and sound side, i.e. palmar, dorsal, side and distal aspects. Close-up photos of skin and nail details are also helpful. Minor skin details will add to the realism of the prosthesis e.g. birthmarks, freckles, age spots.

☐ SWATCH SELECTION and PLACEMENT

Pick a silicone color swatch closest to your patient's extremity. Place it on the color background and take pictures. Also, pick out the numbered colored swatch on the color background that best represents your patient and record it on the Patient information Work Order (e.g. #21 matches DIP joint).

☐ COLOR ACCURACY

Please take time to compare the photos taken to the patient's actual skin tone. The closer the color accuracy, the closer the prosthesis will reflect the patient's natural skin tone. Please ensure that the patient is satisfied that the photos closely represent their skin tone.

☐ ADDITIONAL NOTES and DOCUMENTATION

Please provide additional notes that may assist our technicians in making any necessary adjustments during the fabrication process. These notes should describe any matters that may not be obviously observed in the photos provided.

Please sign and complete ALL supporting documentation. Failure to do so may result in delays to the commencement of the fabrication process.

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PLEASE KEEP COLOR BACKGROUND IN CASE COLOR ADJUSTMENTS ARE NEEDED