



Smile Veneers:

Integrated Analog & Digital Clinical Protocol

Patient Name: _____ Age: ____ Case No: _____

Day 1: Diagnostics, Analysis & Digital Simulation

- **Photography:**
 - Pre-Treatment Photos (Full face, Smile, 1:2 Macro) ¹
 - Shade Mapping with tab in frame ³
- **Data Acquisition (Select Method):**
 - **Analog:** Diagnostic Impressions (Putty/Alginate) for PrepGuide ⁴
 - **Digital:** Intraoral Scan (IOS) for Digital Smile Design (DSD)
 - **Advanced:** Facial Scanning for 3D integration ⁵
- **Analysis:**
 - Anterior Bite Registration (Traditional Putty or Digital Scan) ⁵
 - Oral Habits / Bruxism Check (Mandatory for Veneer Guard planning)
 - Enamel Status & Structural Risk
 - Interdental Space / Diastema Analysis
- **Patient Engagement:**
 - Compliance & Informed Consent ⁴
 - **Digital Simulation:** AI-driven "Preview before you proceed" mockup
 - Traditional Shade Selection (VITA Master or similar)

Day 2: Guided Preparation & RSVP Provisionalization

- **Preparation Templates (Select Method):**
 - **Analog:** PrepGuide derived from diagnostic models ⁴
 - **Digital:** 3D-Printed Rigid PrepGuide for maximum accuracy
- **Enamel-Preservation Prep Metrics:**
 - **0.2 mm** – Gingival Third (Light Chamfer) ⁷
 - **0.5 mm** – Facial / Middle Third ⁷
 - **1.0 mm** – Incisal Edge (Butt Joint preferred) ⁷
 - PrepGuide Recheck during reduction
- **RSVP (Rapid Simplified Veneer Provisional) System:**
 - Matrix fabrication from Wax-up (Manual or Digital) ⁸
 - **Provisional Modification:** Trim cervical 1/3 of matrix for flash control ⁸
 - Spot Etch & Bond (Optional for retention) ⁹
 - RSVP Incisal (Matrix) + RSVP Cervical (Free-hand sculpting)



- Finish/Polish (Avoid Vaseline contamination of bond surfaces) ⁸

Day 3: Laboratory Fabrication & Material Integration

- **Workflow Selection:**
 - **Traditional:** Pressed Ceramic (Feldspathic or Lithium Disilicate)
 - **Express Digital:** CAD/CAM Milling (Same-day capability)
- **Strategic Planning:**
 - Shade Adjustments & Characterization
 - Stain Cover-up Protocols (Opaque ingots if required)
 - **Veneer Guard:** Custom fabrication (Mandatory for bruxers)

Day 4: High-Integrity Bonding & Delivery

- **Pre-Bonding Phase:**
 - Trial Assessment (Fit, Margin, Contact)
 - Water/Try-in Paste for shade verification ¹⁰
- **Ceramic Surface Management (Decontamination):**
 - **Laboratory Etched:** 37% Phosphoric Acid (\$H_3PO_4\$) for 40-60 sec ¹¹
 - **Blood Contamination:** Ivoclean (Zirconium Oxide suspension) ¹³
 - **Chairside Etching:** 5-9% Hydrofluoric Acid (HF) - 20 sec ¹²
- **Adhesive Sequence:**
 - Silane Coupling Agent (60 sec) + Uncured Bonding on Veneers ¹⁶
 - 37% Phosphoric Acid (\$H_3PO_4\$) on Enamel (15-30 sec)
 - Cured Bonding Agent on Tooth Surface
- **Final Delivery:**
 - Resin Cementation & Spot Bond (Wave-cure technique) ⁴
 - Excess removal, Finishing & Polishing ¹⁸
 - Post-Treatment Photography ⁵
 - Veneer Guard Delivery & Occlusal check

Armamentarium Matrix

Category	Traditional / Analog	Modern / Digital Alternative
Data	Alginate / Putty Impressions ⁴	Intraoral Scanner (IOS)
Analysis	Facebow / Manual Bite	3D Facial Scanner / Digital



		Occlusion ⁵
Guided Prep	Putty Stents / Depth Burs ⁴	3D Printed Rigid PrepGuides
Provisional	Bis-Acryl Temp Crowns ⁹	RSVP Composite System (Microhybrid)
Burs	Depth Mark, Taper Round, Ball ⁴	Guided-Handpiece Burs
Materials	Feldspathic Porcelain	Lithium Disilicate / Zirconia
Etching	HF Acid / H_3PO_4 ⁴	Ivoclean / Laser Decontamination
Finishing	Polishing Discs / Strips ⁴	Resin Glaze (Glisten/Tempglaze)

Clinical Notes & Patient Feedback: _____
