

# EQUIA® Forte

BULK FILL, FLUORIDE RELEASING  
GLASS HYBRID RESTORATIVE SYSTEM



## GC AMERICA: GLOBAL LEADER IN GLASS IONOMER TECHNOLOGY



### Class I Restoration

Photos courtesy of Dr. Dan Ward, Columbus, OH.



### Stress Bearing Class II Restoration

Photos courtesy of Dr. Mark Pitel, Poughkeepsie, NY.



## TOUCHofGENIUS™

- EQUIA® Forte builds on the remarkable clinical performance of original EQUIA® and presents an aesthetic and effective alternative to amalgam, composites and compomers.
- EQUIA® Forte consists of EQUIA® Forte Fil, a high strength glass hybrid restorative and EQUIA® Forte Coat, a wear resistant, self-adhesive, light cured resin coating.
- Expanded Indications: Class I, stress bearing and non-stress bearing Class II and Class V.<sup>1</sup>
- Fast placement, wet-field compatibility, excellent aesthetics, longevity and no post-operative sensitivity!
- Great for pediatric, geriatric & high-caries-risk patients!

<sup>1</sup>Basso M, Brambilla E, Benites MG, Giovannardi M, Ionescu AC. Glassionomer cement for permanent dental restorations: a 48-months, multi-centre, prospective clinical trial. Stoma Edu J. 2015;2(1):25-35

A New Generation of High Strength,  
Wear Resistant Glass Hybrids

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SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENT IN STRENGTH AND HARDNESS

## Technique Guide



Prepare cavity. (Optional use of cavity conditioner.)



Bulk Fill.



Final finishing.



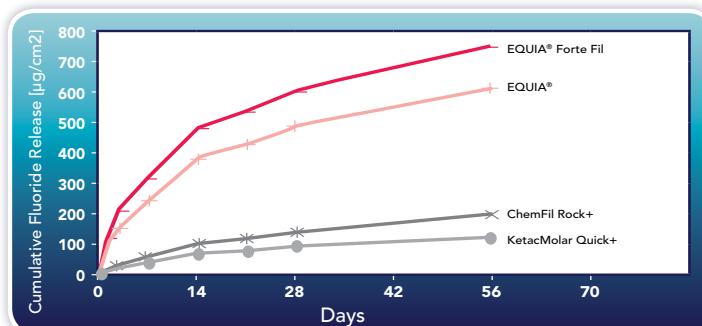
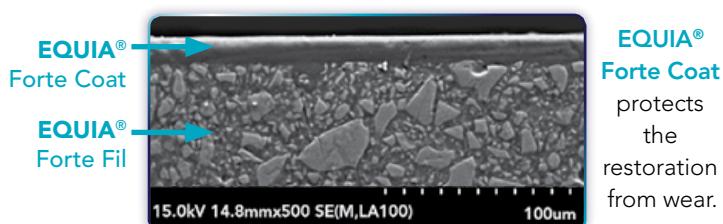
Apply EQUIA® Forte Coat.



Light cure for 20 sec.

**EQUIA® Forte has 20% higher flexural strength, 21% increased acid resistance and 40% improved wear resistance, when compared to original EQUIA®!**

EQUIA® Forte Fil's glass hybrid innovation is achieved through the introduction of ultrafine, highly reactive glass particles, dispersed within the conventional Glass Ionomer (GI) structure. With the addition of a higher molecular weight polyacrylic acid, the new glass hybrid formulation builds a high strength restorative. EQUIA® Forte Coat incorporates a new multi-functional monomer that produces a tougher resin matrix. Together, these innovations result in a strong, bulk-fill GI restorative system with exceptional physical properties and aesthetics.



Product	EQUIA® Forte Fil (New)	EQUIA® (Original)	Ketac Molar Quick Aplicap+	ChemFil Rock+
Compressive Strength [MPa]	218.98	210.9	200.60	176.30
Flexural Strength [MPa]	43.2	35.5	44.36	50.00
Acid erosion [mm]	0.11	0.138	Yes	Yes
Wear erosion [µm]	20	29.7	26.9	43.7

### Ordering Information

#### EQUIA® Forte Intro Kit

Contains: 48 intro capsules EQUIA® Forte Fil, 4mL EQUIA® Forte Coat, CAVITY CONDITIONER (GC) and accessories.

452001 A1      452002 A2      452003 A3

452004 A3.5      452006 B1      452007 B2

452008 B3      452009 C4

452005 Assorted (10 caps each of A2, A3, and A3.5; 9 caps each of B1 and B3)

#### EQUIA® Forte Fil Refill

Contains: 48 capsules EQUIA® Forte Fil

452010 A1      452011 A2      452012 A3

452013 A3.5      452014 B1      452015 B2

452016 B3      452017 C4

452000 Assorted (10 caps each of A2, A3, and A3.5; 9 caps each of B1 and B3)

#### EQUIA® Forte Coat

452500 EQUIA® Forte Coat (contains one 4mL bottle and accessories)

452505 EQUIA® Forte Coat (contains 50 unit doses (0.1mL each) and accessories) **NEW!**

#### 000110 CAVITY CONDITIONER (GC)

Contains: 5.7mL bottle

#### 437555 GC CAPSULE APPLIER III

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