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Prepare For Success.... With Flexible Clearance Tabs

We would like to make it easier for our clients to ensure they are creating sufficient occlusal and interproximal tooth preparation clearance for today's more aesthetic restorations. We have come across a very simple and inexpensive product known as **Flexible Clearance Tabs**,

Each colour coded **Flexible Clearance Tab** is made to a specific thickness and is used like a feeler gauge to check preparation dimensions. The tabs are available in three thicknesses, from 1mm pink tabs (Kerr PN 004-006), 1.5mm green tabs (Kerr PN 004-007) to the 2.0mm blue tabs (Kerr PN 004-008). When the tab is drawn between a prepared tooth and its opposing occlusal surface or adjacent tooth, it will verify whether or not adequate clearance has been achieved.

If the tab resists being drawn through the space, there is less clearance than the thickness of the tab. By marking the tab with a Sharpie marker and testing the clearance, the ink will mark the tooth where more occlusal reduction is needed.

We would be pleased to provide you with a complimentary sample package for you to see for yourself how simple and effective these little tabs can be. If you would like to purchase **Flexible Clearance Tabs**, they are available through your regular dental sundries dealer.

Tips for use:

- 1 Trim the Tabs:** If the tab is too wide to achieve an accurate reading
- 2 Mark The Tab:** Use a sharpie marker to mark the tip of the tab
- 3 Position the tab:** Measure the space between the prep and opposing
- 4 Results:** The sharpie ink left on the prep reveals the reduction



Interproximal Clearance



Occlusal Clearance

Simple solutions to everyday problems -

It's just another way we are, "Working Harder and Smarter for your Practice!"