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Laboratory instructions for temporary adhesive bridges (TABs)

Please could you follow the instructions that are ticked only?

- Cast up upper and lower impressions in improved dental stone (Type IV gypsum)
- Fabricate 1/2/3/4 individual bridge/bridges
- 2 unit/3 unit/4 unit cantilevered/fixed-fixed design
Pontic(s) Abutment(s).....
- Copy the shape of the contralateral tooth
- Use PERFORATED Beryllium free Nickel-Chromium for the sub-structure
- Make the entire wing(s) a minimum of 1mm thick and finish the margins with a short/steep bevel. The bridge will be cemented using the "Dahl concept" if required
- Provide maximum lingual/palatal coverage but stop 1.5 millimetres short of the incisal edge of anterior teeth or cusp tip of canine teeth
- Provide maximum height in the connector zone and use full height of the guide surface to prevent flexion
- Fabricate a COMPOSITE modified ridge-lapped pontic/ridge-lapped/bullet shaped pontic
- Remove stone in the..... area/remove..... to 3-4mm depth to improve the emergence profile and mark this on the working cast
- See diagram and photos for shade estimation/The patient will contact you to organise shade-matching at the laboratory

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Diagram(s):



Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries on 07957391314 or aj@graystonereferral.com.

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Many thanks



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