



**SunFlex**  
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## Sunflex Patient Selection Requirements

1. Sunflex is not suitable for every clinical situation. Large upper and lower free end saddles are generally not recommended as the flexibility of the Sunflex material can lead to instability if there is no end standing teeth for clasping retention. In this case we offer a combination of chrome frame/Sunflex for large free end saddles (more than 2 teeth), in order to give you the benefit of the stable framework and the flexibility of the Sunflex material. Gum fitted teeth are not recommended for Sunflex dentures as there is no chemical (only mechanical) bond between the teeth and the Sunflex base material. The lack of Sunflex material around a gum fitted tooth may result in the tooth being de-bonded from the Sunflex material. Our experienced technicians will help you to choose the right material whenever you are in doubt.

2. Gingival health and good oral hygiene is essential for the success of Sunflex. Only those patients should be considered for a Sunflex treatment.

3. Full dentures are unfortunately not suitable for Sunflex. We provide acrylic material for full dentures. Again please speak with our technicians if you are in doubt which material to choose.

4. We generally use Yamahachi New Ace/Naperce teeth as standard. If you require a different brand of teeth, please send your choice of teeth with the job or allow additional order time. If you send try-ins from a 3rd party (local lab) for us to complete, teeth must be drilled in accordance to Sunflex requirements due to the fact there is a mechanical but no chemical bonding between the teeth material and the denture base.

5. Sunflex is available in different tissue shades. pink, light pink, medium meharry and dark meharry. The above is our recommendation for Sunflex. Please note, should our technicians feel your case is unsuitable for Sunflex, you may be required to sign a disclaimer. In case of any queries or for any help or advice, please call us on: 01226 786163.



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