

# Direct Anterior Composite Veneers: Creating Beauty with Your Own Bare Hands!

## Course Description Half-Day Lecture (2.5 – 3 Hours)

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### Description:

Dr. Jeff Blank is well on his way to becoming the nations next “master” of creating exquisite smile makeovers with direct composite veneers. His smile designs have been showcased in international dental advertisements, product brochures, instructional videos, and print media campaigns, and he has created several unique techniques that make this wonderful service practical, affordable, and predictable. This program describes the indications for direct composite veneers, the role they play in his busy cosmetic practice. Building on the principles of smile designed learned in the morning session, the rationale behind stratified, polychromatic layering of varying opacities of composite is discussed at length, and helpful tips to increase speed of placement and assurance of esthetics will be shared. Dozens of dramatic smile makeovers will be shown, ranging from ultra-conservative no-prep diastema closures, to full arch instant-ortho masterpieces. Each shown step by step, in phenomenal detail so that all participants will gain the needed insight required to begin doing direct composite veneers immediately. Numerous products will be discussed and long term successes and short-term failures will be shown to gain appreciation for what works, and what doesn't. So stop delegating all your smile makeovers to the labs, and begin “creating beauty... with your own bare hands!”

### Course Outline:

- Indications for Direct vs. Indirect
- Stratification – what is it, why do we need to know, and how to do it! Use of opaque, body, and enamel shades – building color and vitality from the inside out.
- Need a guide for creating beauty – a few lessons from your lab tech!
- Creating phenomenal “edge effects” in minutes... not hours!
- Using a silicone index for speed and accuracy
- Dozens of pearls for direct placement of composite including guaranteed contacts, insuring smooth subgingival contours, closing diastemas, and much more.
- Polishing with an advanced diamond disc – in one step, and in less than 30 seconds!