

# Guide to Fabrication of Putty Matrices for the Prosthodontic Procedures of the ADEX Dental Examination



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not representative of examination typodont.

The Acadental ModuPRO CheckMate One™ matrix former provides for a more consistent, reliable and accurate evaluation for both candidates and grading examiners.

## Materials & General Guidelines

Putty matrices or reduction guides may be fabricated without gloves during the setup time. After the exam has begun, full infection control procedures including the use of gloves is required.

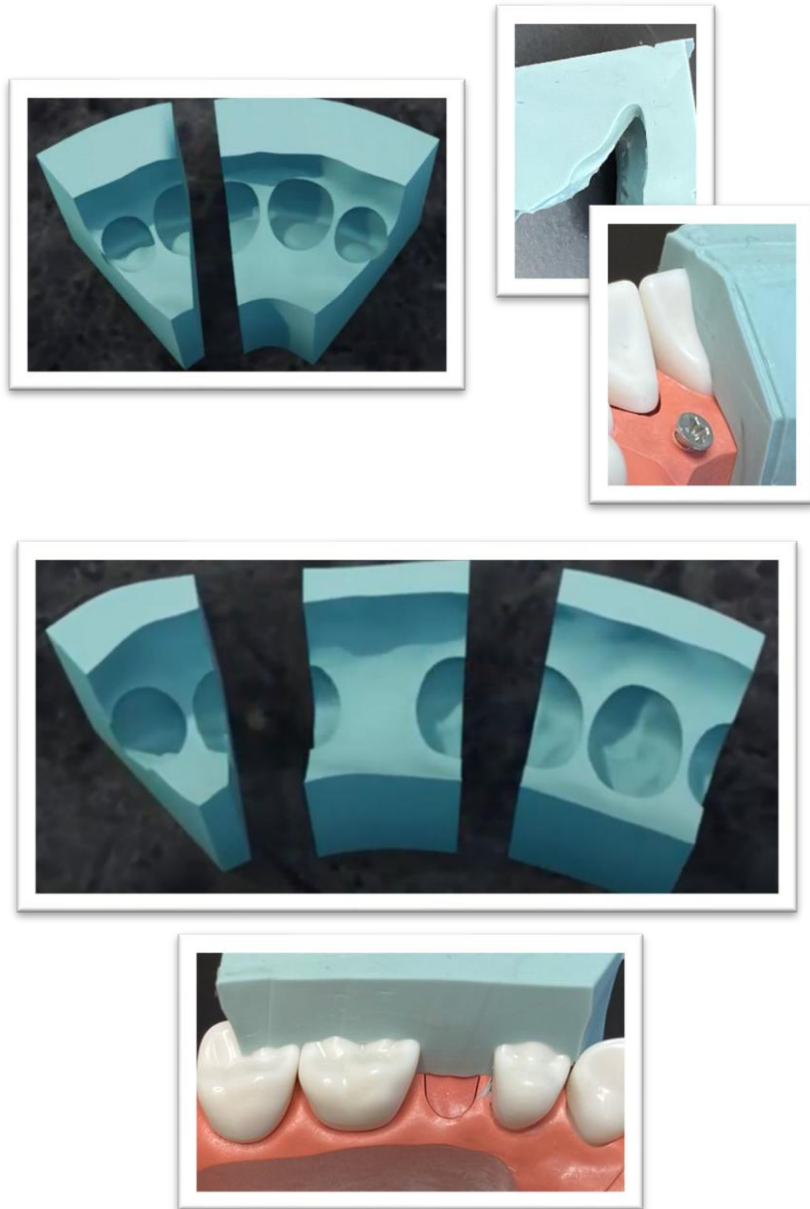
Pre-made reduction guides, putty matrices, stents, impressions, overlays, clear plastic shells, models, or pre-preparations are prohibited.

## Matrices Fabrication

During the set-up period, before the examination begins, candidates will fabricate their maxillary putty matrices using the provided Acadental ModuPRO CheckMate One™ matrix former.

Putty matrices are to be fabricated for the following:

- **Anterior.** Ceramic crown prep (1)
- **Posterior.** Combination of zirconia premolar and molar preps (2)



### Sectioning of Matrices

- **Faciolingual Sectioning:**
  - **Anterior.** Cut across the center of the tooth to be prepared faciolingually to create two (2) sections.
  - **Posterior.** Cut across the center of the teeth that are to be prepared faciolingually to create three (3) sections.
- **Mesio-Distal Sectioning:**
  - **Posterior.** Cut across the occlusal surface of the entire matrix, creating two (2) sections

### Post-Exam

Submit all matrices with your completed preps:

- Anterior = two (2) pieces total
- Posterior = five (5) pieces total

Place the putty matrices in the typodont box along with the typodont at the end of the examination. All other impressions, casts, or models must also be turned in.