Care and Instruction Sheet for Standard and True Finish™ Silicone Cosmetic Gloves

Technical Literature

Please pass this leaflet to the user of this glove:

Care
Take care when fitting and using Silicone cosmetic gloves. Silicone is a soft, flexible material susceptible to punctures, cuts and abrasions. The material used will resist most staining media.

High Definition Nails
Silicone gloves have nails painted by hand following the manufacturing process. Bonding to the base material is good.
If desired it is possible to create a flexible bed that will accept nail varnishes and will allow re-colouring. A special silicone adhesive can be supplied that allows this. Please contact us for details. We do not recommend the use of polystyrene nails attached with Cyano-acrylic glue as attempts to remove nails bonded with this adhesive will permanently damage the glove.

Cleaning
General soiling can be removed with soap and water, industrial hand cleaners or ‘washing up’ liquid. After cleaning remove all traces of the cleaner and wipe the surface dry. Most dyes will be fully removed by this process. A liquid domestic fabric softener can be used in solution to reduce the ‘tackiness’ of the surface.

Fitting a New Glove
• Consult your prosthetist for advice, particularly with myoelectric arms.
• Check that you have a suitable replacement glove.
• Remove the damaged glove by cutting along its length using blunt nosed scissors. Be careful not to cut cables or internal cosmesis. It may be necessary to cut digits off individually.
• Remove any internal glove fillers for later use.
• Inspect the prosthesis. If water ingress, corrosion or other damage is evident, contact your prosthetist.
• Wipe the prosthesis clean and dry carefully.
• Warming this type of glove will not alter its properties. It should be fitted at room temperature.
• Apply a water based lubricant sparingly over the surface of the hand, particularly the fingers and widest sections.
• If fitting a myoelectric hand partially close it and remove the battery.
• Slide the glove in place.

Swatch Information

E24654- Standard Finish Glove Colours.
E24655- True Finish™ Glove Colours.

Note: Steeper can accept no responsibility for damage resulting from the application of inks, varnishes or artificial nails.

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