

# 5 REASONS TO TRY

## **UNI-ETCH** with BAC

32% Phosphoric Acid Etchant with Benzalkonium Chloride

Rx Only

### **1** **Low Viscosity**

Flowable material allows for easy application to larger surface areas making it ideal for the total-etch technique.

### **2** **Unparalleled Bond**

Creates microretentive surfaces that are necessary for successful bonding. Published research proves that BISCO etchants produce higher bond strengths to (wet or dry) dentin<sup>1</sup> and enamel.

### **3** **Easy Wash Off**

Rinses away cleanly and quickly, leaving no residue to interfere with bonding.

### **4** **Contains BAC**

An antimicrobial agent. In-vitro research shows it is effective against both *Actinomyces viscosus* and *Streptococcus mutans*.<sup>(2,3,4)</sup>

NOTE: Inclusion of BAC has not been shown to correlate with a reduction in secondary decay in patients. In-vivo clinical studies to evaluate the effects of BAC on oral bacteria or caries have not been performed.

### **5** **Versatility**

Can be used for etching the tooth structure prior to bonding and as a cleaning agent on dental restorative materials.



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