



## CDA Position on **Fissure Sealants**

The Canadian Dental Association supports the appropriate and selective use of sealants based on caries risk assessment and diagnosis by a dentist. Sealants are an important component of a comprehensive preventive program which includes nutritional counseling, optimal fluoride exposure, good oral hygiene and regular dental examinations.

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