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## Dental Hygiene

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### Disposable Prophy Angle Attaches To Low-Speed Motor

ESA (Extended Straight Attachment) eliminates the metal straight attachment along with its cleaning & maintenance. It also provides a lighter weight handpiece & better fit of prophy angle. Four options are available: Soft-cup, Non-latex soft cup, Firm cup, & Tapered brush. Currently compatible with Midwest's Shorty or Rhino & Star's Titan low-speed handpiece motors. 50% of CRA Evaluators stated this product was the same or better than their current prophy angle (16 brands reported). Advantages: 1) Disposable, eliminates cleaning, sterilizing, & maintenance; 2) Light weight; 3) Easy to use; & 4) Does not require straight attachment. Disadvantage: 1) 18% of evaluators reported slightly more vibration than their current prophy angle.

**ESA**  
\$0.49 each (\$49/box of 100)

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**95%** of 22 CRA Evaluators rated ESA excellent or good.



**68%** stated they would purchase product.

### Low Cost - Good Performing Prophy Paste

**NEXT Prophy Paste** in unit dose cups is available in 3 pumice grits (extra course, course, medium), & 1 diatomaceous earth grit (fine), in 6 flavors (mint, chocolate mint, bubble gum, cinnamon, tropical fruit, cherry). CRA data show pumice is not damaging as has been alleged (Christensen, R.P., et al.: Immediate & Long-term *in vivo* Effects of Polishing on Enamel & Dentin. J. Prost. Dent. 57(2): 150-160, 1987). Dental Hygiene clinicians noted following advantages: (1) Good flavor & excellent variety; (2) Low splatter; (3) Removes stain easily; (4) Good texture & consistency; (5) Reasonable Cost; & (6) Rinses off easily. No significant disadvantages were noted.

**NEXT Prophy Paste**  
\$31 / 200 2g single dose cups  
16¢ each

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**95%** of 20 CRA Evaluators rated this product excellent or good.



**75%** stated this product would replace product they use currently.



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