

Front Cover Submission Guidelines

Thank you for your interest in submitting a case to be considered to be featured on the cover of the *Journal of Cosmetic Dentistry*. Please follow these guidelines to help ensure efficient processing of your submission. Keep in mind, the dentistry completed on the case must be reviewed and accepted **prior** to a photo shoot.

What we are looking for:

- A thought-provoking and educational clinical case
- High resolution “before and after” images
- Quality technique images
- Your passion to share the patient’s case

Submission

What you will need:

- **Clinical Images preferred:** 10 - 12 views of the before and after shots of the following: Full headshot, 1:2 frontal smile, 1:2 retracted smile 1:2 retracted of any preps, 1:1 retracted smile, and labeled as such. All images should be high resolution at a minimum of 300 dpi.
- **Technique shots:** 5-7 technique shots that illustrate the treatment used.
- Do **not** crop or edit images. A useful resource is the *AACD A Guide to Accreditation Photography*. [Order a copy now](#).
- Please write two brief paragraphs explaining the clinical and laboratory work (if applicable) that was completed.
- Please write 3 or 4 sentences stating why the treatment plan was chosen to complete the case.
 - What you treated
 - How you treated
 - Why you treated
- Your name or identity **must not** appear on the treatment details or images.
- Be sure to send us a cover letter, and include the author’s name(s), address(es), telephone, fax numbers, and e-mail address(s). Please also state the name, company, city, and state, phone and e-mail information for each of the following:
 - dentist
 - laboratory technician
 - photographer of clinical images

Please send your cover case submissions via a large file transfer service such as Dropbox or Hightail to publications@aacd.com

The Photo Shoot

Please note that a photo shoot must **not** be done until the submission has been accepted.

The *jCD* looks forward to your submission.