Silicone Finger and Partial Hand Prosthesis
Elegant with an exact fit – for a good grip on everyday life

Information for Users
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Silicone finger and partial hand prostheses combine the most functional design with high aesthetic standards. The numerous applications of the prostheses as well as the highly accurate restoration of the user’s outside appearance help many finger and partial hand amputees achieve a higher quality of life.

Ottobock offers you a wide variety of silicone finger and partial hand prostheses, which will enable you to continue pursuing your daily activities after having lost one or more fingers. Each of these prostheses meets high standards in terms of functionality, comfort and free-form modulation. You can also determine the level of colour detail for your silicone prosthesis yourself.

The following two versions are available for selection:

- “Basic”: individual colouring for the entire prosthesis.
- “Natural”: 6–8 colours individually adapted to your skin colour, with custom nail design using multicoloured silicone or acrylic nails.
“I can easily press the valves on my trumpet, and even play quick and complicated tone changes readily.”
A silicone finger or partial hand prosthesis offers you:

- The highly accurate restoration of your outside appearance – including the individual design of your fingernail shape and colour
- The gripping function of the affected hand
- The use of keyboards and control elements in everyday life
- Thin socket edges: the freedom of movement for your adjacent fingers is not restricted
- A high level of wearer comfort
- Good fixation
- Protection of the residual limb through a custom socket design
- Easy handling: you can easily apply and remove the silicone finger or partial hand prosthesis
- Straightforward cleaning options: You can clean your prosthesis with water and neutral soap after use

Why do I need a silicone finger or partial hand prosthesis?
For whom are silicone finger or partial hand prostheses suitable?

A silicone finger prosthesis will be used:

• In case of amputation of one or more fingers with a sufficient residual limb length

A silicone partial hand prosthesis will be used:

• In case of amputation of one or more fingers with insufficient residual limb length
• In case of metacarpal amputations
Heidemarie Huke is in the prime of life. The amputation of the ring finger and little finger on her right hand hasn’t changed this.

The young mother gets up early in the morning, applies her finger prosthesis, and makes breakfast for her small family. Afterwards, Heidemarie Huke takes her daughter to kindergarten. Then she starts her workday as a salesperson at a car dealer.
How do I get a Silicone Finger and Partial Hand Prosthesis?

Your Certified Prosthetist or Silicone Specialist takes the measurements of your hand, makes impressions and takes photos. Based on these data, he or she fabricates a test prosthesis. For several weeks you wear and try this test prosthesis in your everyday life. This trial phase gives you an opportunity to find the finger position which is most functional for you. During this time, corrections can be made if required. After the test phase, the Certified Prosthetist or Silicone Specialist fabricates and fits the final prosthesis.

With the “Natural” prosthesis version, you as the user have the option to visit Ottobock Canada for a verification session. This visit gives you the opportunity to influence the final cosmetic design of your silicone finger or partial hand prosthesis before it is finished, so that you obtain the best possible aesthetic appearance.