

NATURAL FINISH by Elegant Glass
STEP BY STEP DIRECTIONS (supplemental)

1. After washing hands, sanitize both your client's and your hands with Natural Defense.
2. Use the pumice stone to push back cuticle and remove excess pterygium from the nail plate.
3. Remove the shine from the natural nail with the pink 320-grit side of the Natural Finish board, being careful not to damage the nail plate. Dust the nails with a clean, dry, nylon nailbrush. (recommend Just a Brush by Elegant Glass)
4. Use Thymol Septic to sanitize the nail plate. It's best to spray one hand at a time while the hand is in a cupped position. This allows Thymol Septic to cover all the nail plates with one spray.
5. Brush on one application of Affix Adhesion Enhancer. Remember Affix pulls out any impurities left on the natural nail, and is NOT a primer.
6. Apply a line of Natural Finish EG resin Gel 3000 down the center of the nail starting 1/8 inch from the cuticle area. Then starting at the free edge of the natural nail and moving towards the cuticle area, brush the Resin Gel vertically down the nail with a full brush of Brush On Activator. Starting at the free edge ensures that you won't flood the cuticle or side walls with product. Always keep the product 1/8 inch from the cuticle and 1/16 inch from the side walls to keep product from coming in contact with the skin (that's what causes lifting in all products). Wipe the excess Activator and Gel off onto the Lint Free Brush Wipes, then return it to the Activator Bottle, (This keeps your brush clean and keeps your activator thin and watery).
7. Your next step is to shape the free edge of the nail to it's desired shape. Shaping the free edge at this point prevents the chance of tearing or damaging the natural nail.
8. After you have the desired shape on the nail, apply a second coat of Natural Finish Resin 3000 and brush it out with the Brush on Activator and seal the free edge and "undercoat" the nail slightly (You will have enough Resin and Activator left in your Activator brush for this step).
9. Apply one final coat of Natural Finish Resin 3000 and brush out with Brush On Activator and again seal and undercoat the free edge of the nail.
10. Buff the top of the nail smooth (if needed) with the Pink Crystal Cube. **DO NOT FILE ON THE FREE EDGE OF THE NAIL**