

Southside Dental Center **Case Study**

Check out these results:





Located in Monticello, Minnesota, Southside Dental Center is owned by Derek Abramowski, DDS. On his team, he has two assistants, two hygienists, & an office manager. The Southside team was interested in implementing a new system that would help them stay organized, efficient, & on schedule. They decided to go for Zirc's Color Method[™] & organize the entire practice by color.



54%

Time spent sorting, pouching, & loading autoclave





Time spent restocking treatment rooms

With the Color Method[™], the Southside Dental Center team:

- Stays on-schedule
- Is OSHA compliant
- Spends less time doing setups
- No longer has to dig through drawers
- Orders inventory & restocks quicker
- Has more time for patient education
- Easily changes procedures on the fly
- Streamlined their sterilization processes
- Feel less worried about accidental sticks
- Saves money on inventory



Instances chairside

was left during a procedure

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Instances treatment rooms needed to be restocked

What exactly is the Color Method[™]?

The Color Method is as simple as it sounds – you assign a color to each procedure performed at your practice & use corresponding procedure trays, tubs, locking covers, cassettes, & more to make organization easy. Zirc's innovative line of products help you get organized & stay organized so that your team can spend more time focusing on patient care & less time managing your instruments & materials.



before

The Southside Dental team was able to get rid of this entire cabinet!

"It takes such a minimal amount of time to grab your tray, open the lid, & everything is right there. I can open my bag when I'm with my patient as we're updating any health history. It's made it very easy to spend a lot more time with education. And most **patients are pretty** impressed with the whole setup. People have been commenting on how impressive the whole [system] is."

- Kristi Kassulke, LDA



See more of what Dr. Abramowski has to say on YouTube at bit.ly/SouthsideDental

or scan me with your phone!

This study was sponsored by Zirc Dental Products. Zirc provided the complete Color Method[™] system to Southside Dental Center of Monticello, MN, in exchange for the collection of data. Data was recorded for two weeks prior to implementing the Color Method[™] & for two weeks following.

"Even during COVID & the shutdown, if a patient called me with a toothache, I could come in & get everything set up within minutes & I have no practice with doing so. It's really easy to see. I could just say, "Grab the red bin." They grabbed the red bin & everything set up really fast, as opposed to trying to run the room one for this & room two for another thing - you can get everything in one spot. It's really easy to set up & made things go really smoothly."

- Dr. Derek Abramowski

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