

# [How to] **COVID-19 Sign, Second Surface Printing**

PRINTER: UJF-7151plus RASTERLINK VERSION: 2.4

MEDIA: Plaskolite Acrylic PROFILE: For Printer Registration or UV-PET TYPE: Full Color PASSES: 12 OVERPRINT: 1

**RESOLUTION:** 600×900

INK: LH-100 INK CONFIGURATION: CMYK + W + Silver AMOUNT OF INK USED: 00.567 cc







## **STEP 01: DATA CREATION**

## **1.1 CREATE AN ILLUSTRATOR DOCUMENT**

- Create the document and artboard to the preferred size. For this particular design we've used a 18"x26" artboard

- Load a design into the file and arrange it inside the artboard

NOTE: Graphics that will utilize special plates or color replacement workflows must be created with vectored objects in CMYK.



### **1.2 CREATE A "WHITE LAYER"**

- Create or move all the vector objects that will be printed with White ink to a new layer.

- Assign the objects a single CMYK Color that will be replaced.

NOTE: Use a color that does not occur elsewhere in the graphic.



### **1.3 CREATE YOUR CUT LINES**

- In a separate layer, create any paths that will be used as a cut line

- In this example, we have created holes for stand-offs on the Trotec Speedy400

- Assign the lines a stroke thickness of .001 an and RGB color of 100% red.



### **1.4 SAVE YOUR LAYERS**

- You should now have a file with the following layers:
  - Color graphics
  - White ink call out
  - Cut line
- Save the following layers separately as EPS files
  - Color layer
  - Single CMYK Color (for White)

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# STEP 02: RASTERLINK SETTINGS

## 2.1 UPLOAD FILES TO RASTERLINK

- Load your files into Rasterlink

## 2.2 CREATE SPECIAL PLATE: WHITE INK

- Click the Color Replacement tool in the RasterLink toolbar and select the colors to be replaced in the Preview window.

- For this example, everything Magenta will print as White, assigning 100% for all available White inks channels.

## 2.3 COMPOSITE THE LAYERS TOGETHER 🛛 🔊

- Click the composition tool in the RasterLink toolbar and reorder the sequence by dragging the print layers in the composition window.

- Our Color layer should print first, then the White layer on top.

- Click the Composite button.

## 2.4 LAYER ADJUSTMENTS

- Click the Layer adjust tool.

- Make adjustments to thin the White layer to ensure it is tucked behind the Color layer.

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#### **2.5 MIRROR ARTWORK**

- Click the General Print tool.
- Mirror / Reverse image for second surface printing



## 2.6 CHOOSE PROFILE AND RESOLUTION 🖸

- 2.5 Choose profile and resolution.
- Click the Quality tool.
- Also, confirm Color matching settings.

Profile: Generic UV-PET | Resolution: 600x900

### **2.7 EXECUTE PRINT**

- Choose the Execution tool in the RasterLink toolbar

• Select Print and click Start to send the file to the printer