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(57) **Abstract:** The biomedical adhesives of the invention provide a reactive surface to adhere or crosslink to tissue and may be used, for example, as ready-to-use corneal onlay in ophthalmic surgery. The invention provides a method for bonding a bulk material to a corresponding nucleophilic or electrophilic surface including attaching a multifunctionally activated bulk material compound to the bulk material and contacting a functional group of the compound with the surface under conditions permitting covalent linkage between the bulk material and the functional group.



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