Sealant Placement Procedures
The following procedures should be followed for optimum sealant performance.

- Clean the upper and lower joint surface with a stiff bristle brush.
- Remove any dirt, debris, flashing, or concrete high points, which could keep the joint from coming together.
  - If necessary, a joint primer (i.e. CS-50) can be applied to improve sealant adhesion.
  - When using a primer, allow the primer to dry before placing sealant. The primer will normally be dry to the touch within 15-20 minutes.
    (Note: Primer can be applied at the job site or at the plant several days in advance of the set.)
- Place sealant on the lower joint in the correct location.
  DO NOT PLACE ANY JOINTS WITHIN 12" OF A CORNER.
- Join the sealant into one continuous strand by kneading the ends together where they meet.

**DO NOT STRETCH THE SEALANT. DO NOT OVERLAP THE SEALANT.**

- Once the sealant is installed, **do not**:
  - Step on the sealant
  - Allow dirt or debris to fall on the sealant
  
    Note: Plastic sheeting may be installed over the sealant if necessary.

- A **minimum** compression of 50% is required. Greater than 50% compression is optimal. It may take 15-20 minutes for the sealant to fully compress. This will vary according to the ambient temperature and the weight being applied.

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