

Health Care

# Ruggacker Retirement Home – Dietikon

Combination of colourful accents and qualitative values.



## Starting Point

Two autonomous structures are connected by a single-storey connecting structure. To underscore the ensemble character of the retirement apartments and nursing home, a single choice of materials is proposed for both buildings. Bright limestone concrete surfaces stand in colourful contrast to the dark windows and colourful curtains.

## Solution

Transparent curtains for protecting privacy and thick curtains for colourful accentuation can be found in all public areas of the retirement home. These have an extremely good visual presence, but also attest to outstanding quality in everyday use.

## Object

Ruggacker Retirement Home, Dietikon, Switzerland

## Concept

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## Photos

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# Textiles Used

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## MYSTERY

**Article-Number:** 0100675

**Use:** Dim-out fabric/blackout

**Number of colors:** 19

**Material:** 100% Polyester flame retardant

**Fabric width:** 150 cm/59 inch/1.64 yard

**Weight:** 293 g/m<sup>2</sup>

**Sound absorption:**  $\alpha_w$  0.85

**Abrasion resistance:** 28'000 Martindale

**Pilling:** 5

**Light fastness:** see downloads

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## SINFONIA CS VI WHITE

**Article-Number:** 0100301

**Use:** Transparent/semi-transparent curtain fabric

**Number of colors:** 3

**Material:** 100% Flame retardant (Trevira CS)

**Fabric width:** 300 cm/118 inch/3.28 yard

**Weight:** 74 g/m<sup>2</sup>

**Sound absorption:**  $\alpha_w$  0.10

**Light fastness:** 5-6