

## How to become a **TOPZERO** Certified Fabricator

1- Watch the installation video(s) at www.umistone.com

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- 2- Install a TopZero sink
- 3- Take a picture of your work and send it to <u>TopZero@umistone.com</u> along with your company and contact information

You will be listed as a certified TopZero fabricator on <u>www.umistone.com</u> and <u>www.topzero.com</u>

Please Note: UMI will refer TopZero customers to these sites to find certified fabricators in their area.

## Additional Installation Tips and Suggestions

There are three materials the manufacturer recommends for installing a TopZero sink:

- 1- Two part anchoring epoxy
   Suggested: Quikrete High Strength Anchoring Epoxy
- 2- Two part knife grade epoxy (NOT polyester) Suggested: Tenax Vigor
- 3- (Curtain) Tension Rods- used to hold the flexible sink walls to the outside stone surface for a better bond while anchoring epoxy is hardening.
  Suggested: C X 11 18" ediustable length and 4 X 24 26" ediustable length.

Suggested: 6 X 11-18" adjustable length and 4 X 24-36" adjustable length

Installation Tips:

1- Bonding Phase

Ideally with a 1/8" drop from top surface, use the two part concrete anchoring epoxy (Quikrete) to anchor ALL brackets of the sink to the underside of the stone and to seal the gap underneath the stone surface. For a better bond, curtain tension rods are used to hold the flexible sink walls to the stone surface.

2- Feathering Phase - Top Edge

Use a two part knife grade epoxy (Tenax Vigor) to feather the top edge of the stone and seamless steel. Tint to match the stone color.