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## Porcelain Patios, Bury, Lancashire

# **Case Study**

This homeowner in Bury, was very proud of his beautiful, new and extended porcelain patios, but, unfortunately they had quickly become dirty and stained, plus the original 'brush-in' jointing was failing. After extensive research, the owner contacted specialist paving contractor, CR Service, who together with their materials consultants and material supplier, NCC Streetscape, advised professional cleaning and replacing the original pointing with 2-part epoxy jointing mortars from GftK, a proven, tough and durable solution.

The GftK experts at NCC Streetscape recommended GftK vdw 815plus and GftK vdw 815plus, which is specifically designed for narrow joints >3mm wide. These advanced, 2-part epoxy paving mortars were the ideal solution for this project. They are stain-free and are applied by wet slurry techniques in a comfortable standing position, effectively self compacting into the joints with no additional tooling, making the whole operation both quick and clean. They can be applied in inclement weather, a huge advantage in the UK.

Prior to re-jointing the patio areas, the team from CR Services removed all the failed jointing, relaid any loose slabs and then cleaned the surfaces with NCC Porcelain Intensive Cleaner, also from NCC Streetscape, to remove the build-up of unwanted dirt, grime and grease etc.

The homeowner was delighted with the result, safe in the knowledge that his patio is now effectively 'better than new', and that he can safely jetwash and keep it in tip-top condition.



**Pavement Jointing Mortars** 

### **Garden Patio**

#### Client:

Private Residence

#### **GftK Products Used:**

GftK vdw 815plus & GftK vdw 850plus Basalt & Stone Grey

#### **Paving Contractor:**

**CR Services** 

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