Supporting Information for

Gelatin-Based Metamaterial Hydrogel Films with High

Conformality for Ultra-Soft Tissue Monitoring

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Supplementary Figures and Tables



Fig. S1 Other properties of GelMA30 hydrogel. **a** Image of hydrogel dehydration with different glycerol ratios at each time point. **b** Transmittance of GelMA30 hydrogel in the visible wavelength range of 400~900 nm. **c** The absorbance at 450 nm using CCK-8



Fig. S2 Design of UFNs and images of UFNs under different tensile strains. **a** Biomimetic corrugated unit. **ai** rhombic unit. **bi** Design of unidirectional wave, **bii** orthogonal wave, **biii** triangular wave, **biv** and diamond. **c** Images of the $U_2^{180}60$, **d** $U_2^{180}60$ film, **e** $T_{1.5}^{180}45$, f) $T_{1.5}^{180}45$ film under different tensile strains



Fig. S3 Mechanical Properties of GelMA30 films and images of the $O_1^{150}60$ and $O_1^{150}60$ film under different tensile strains. **ai** and **aii** Images of $O_1^{150}60$ and its composite film under different strains. **b** The maximum suture force of the UCN films. **c** Anisotropic mechanics of the UCN films. **d** Elastic modulus of the UCN and UCN films. **e** The DIC analysis results about Lagrange average strain axial E_{XX} - ε_y and longitudinal E_{YY} - ε_y curves for the pure hydrogel, **f** $U_2^{180}60$ film, **g** $T_{1.5}^{180}80$ film, and **h** $O_1^{150}60$ film



Fig. S4 CD31 staining images and semiquantitative of skin wounds. a Images. b Semiquantitative

UC films	$U_1^{180}60$	$U_2^{180}60$	U ₃ ¹⁸⁰ 60	U ₄ ¹⁸⁰ 60
Volume fraction (%)	0.077	0.0423	0.028	0.025
Table S2 Vo	olume fractio	on of OCN i	n composite	films
OC films		$O_1^{180} 60$	$O_1^{150} 60$	$O_1^{150} 80$
Volume fraction (%)				

0.055

0.082

0.038

0.104

 Table S1 Volume fraction of UCN in composite films

Movie S1 Fabrication of GelMA30 films without UFNs

Movie S2 Fabrication of GelMA30 films with UFNs

Volume fraction (%)

Movie S3 Test the toughness and elasticity of GelMA30 films with UFNs

0.043

Movie S4 Real-time monitoring of mouse cardiac deformation