

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA

BRAND NAME (generic)

LIDODERM
(lidocaine patch 5%)

ZTLIDO
(lidocaine topical system)

Status: CVS Caremark® Criteria

Type: Initial Prior Authorization with Quantity Limit

POLICY

FDA-APPROVED INDICATIONS

Lidoderm

Lidoderm is indicated for relief of pain associated with post-herpetic neuralgia. It should be applied only to **intact skin**.

ZTLido

ZTLido (lidocaine topical system) 1.8% is indicated for relief of pain associated with post-herpetic neuralgia (PHN) in adults.

Compendial Uses

Pain associated with diabetic neuropathy⁴

Pain associated with cancer-related neuropathy^{4,5}

COVERAGE CRITERIA

The requested drug will be covered with prior authorization when the following criteria are met:

- The requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with post-herpetic neuralgia
 - AND**
 - The request is NOT for continuation of therapy
 - OR**
 - The request is for continuation of therapy
 - AND**
 - The patient has achieved or maintained a positive clinical response to the requested drug
- OR**
 - The requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with diabetic neuropathy
 - AND**
 - The request is NOT for continuation of therapy
 - OR**
 - The request is for continuation of therapy
 - AND**
 - The patient has achieved or maintained a positive clinical response to the requested drug
- OR**
 - The requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with cancer-related neuropathy (including treatment-related neuropathy [e.g., neuropathy associated with radiation treatment or chemotherapy])
 - AND**
 - The request is NOT for continuation of therapy
 - OR**

Lidoderm, ZTLido PA with Limit Policy 125-C, 1182-C UDR 10-2023.docx

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- The request is for continuation of therapy

AND

- The patient has achieved or maintained a positive clinical response to the requested drug

Quantity Limits apply.

90 patches/ 25 days* or 270 patches/ 75 days*

**The duration of 25 days is used for a 30-day fill period and 75 days is used for a 90-day fill period to allow time for refill processing.*

Duration of Approval (DOA):

- 125-C: Initial therapy DOA: 3 months; Continuation of therapy DOA: 36 months
- 1182-C: Initial therapy DOA: 3 months; Continuation of therapy DOA: 12 months

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