

AMINOLEVULINIC ACID
Ameluz Gel, Levulan Kerastick (aminolevulinic acid)

Pre - PA Allowance

None

Prior-Approval Requirements

Age 18 years of age or older

Diagnoses

Patient must have **ONE** of the following:

Ameluz

1. Actinic keratoses (AK) on face or scalp
 - a. Mild to moderate AK

Levulan

1. Actinic keratosis (AK) on face or scalp
 - a. Minimally to moderately thick AK
2. Actinic keratoses (AK) of the upper extremities

AND ALL of the following for **ALL** indications:

1. Inadequate treatment response, intolerance, or contraindication to at least **ONE** topical skin product (e.g. imiquimod)
2. Used in combination with the BF-RhodoLED lamp (if using Ameluz gel) **OR** in combination with the BLU-U Blue Light Photodynamic Therapy (PDT) Illuminator (if using Levulan Kerastick)
3. **NO** history of porphyria
4. **NO** history of photodermatoses
5. **NO** dual therapy with another aminolevulinic acid agent

Prior - Approval Limits

Duration 3 months of Levulan Kerastick or Ameluz gel

Prior – Approval *Renewal* Requirements

Age 18 years of age or older

Diagnoses

Patient must have **ONE** of the following:

AMINOLEVULINIC ACID**Ameluz Gel, Levulan Kerastick (aminolevulinic acid)**

1. Actinic keratoses (AK) on face or scalp
2. Levulan **only**: Actinic keratoses (AK) of the upper extremities

AND ALL of the following for **ALL** indications:

1. Re-evaluation of lesion(s) for improvement
2. A minimum of 3 months have elapsed since initial treatment for the requested site
3. Used in combination with the BF-RhodoLED lamp (if using Ameluz gel) **OR** in combination with the BLU-U Blue Light Photodynamic Therapy (PDT) Illuminator (if using Levulan Kerastick)
4. **NO** dual therapy with another aminolevulinic acid agent

Prior - Approval *Renewal* Limits

Duration 3 months of Levulan Kerastick or Ameluz gel

*One renewal only per site – face, scalp, and upper extremities are considered separate treatment sites

**Continuation of therapy for the same site must be completed with the same aminolevulinic acid agent