

# Initial Prior Authorization with Quantity Limit

## Lidoderm, ZTLido

### Products Referenced by this Document

Drugs that are listed in the following table include both brand and generic and all dosage forms and strengths unless otherwise stated. Over-the-counter (OTC) products are not included unless otherwise stated.

Brand Name	Generic Name
Lidoderm	lidocaine patch 5%
ZTLido	lidocaine topical system

### Indications

#### 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 neuropathy<sup>4</sup>

Pain associated with cancer-related neuropathy<sup>4,5</sup>

## Coverage Criteria

### Pain Associated with Cancer-Related Neuropathy

Authorization may be granted when 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])

### Pain Associated with Diabetic Neuropathy

Authorization may be granted when the requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with diabetic neuropathy

### Pain Associated with Post-Herpetic Neuralgia

Authorization may be granted when the requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with post-herpetic neuralgia

## Continuation of Therapy

### Pain Associated with Cancer-Related Neuropathy

Authorization may be granted when 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]) when the following criteria is met:

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

### Pain Associated with Diabetic Neuropathy

Authorization may be granted when the requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with diabetic neuropathy when the following criteria is met:

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

### Pain Associated with Post-Herpetic Neuralgia

Authorization may be granted when the requested drug is being prescribed for pain associated with post-herpetic neuralgia when the following criteria is met:

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

Reference number(s)
1182-C, 125-C

## 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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