

## PHARMACY COVERAGE GUIDELINE

### LUMAKRAS™ (sotorasib) oral Generic Equivalent (if available)

#### This Pharmacy Coverage Guideline (PCG):

- Provides information about the reasons, basis, and information sources we use for coverage decisions
- Is not an opinion that a drug (collectively “Service”) is clinically appropriate or inappropriate for a patient
- Is not a substitute for a provider’s judgment (Provider and patient are responsible for all decisions about appropriateness of care)
- Is subject to all provisions e.g. (benefit coverage, limits, and exclusions) in the member’s benefit plan; and
- Is subject to change as new information becomes available.

#### Scope

- This PCG applies to Commercial and Marketplace plans
- This PCG does not apply to the Federal Employee Program, Medicare Advantage, Medicaid or members of out-of-state Blue Cross and/or Blue Shield Plans

#### Instructions & Guidance

- To determine whether a member is eligible for the Service, read the entire PCG.
- This PCG is used for FDA approved indications including, but not limited to, a diagnosis and/or treatment with dosing, frequency, and duration.
- Use of a drug outside the FDA approved guidelines, refer to the appropriate Off-Label Use policy.
- The “Criteria” section outlines the factors and information we use to decide if the Service is medically necessary as defined in the Member’s benefit plan.
- The “Description” section describes the Service.
- The “Definition” section defines certain words, terms or items within the policy and may include tables and charts.
- The “Resources” section lists the information and materials we considered in developing this PCG
- **We do not accept patient use of samples as evidence of an initial course of treatment, justification for continuation of therapy, or evidence of adequate trial and failure.**
- Information about medications that require prior authorization is available at [www.azblue.com/pharmacy](http://www.azblue.com/pharmacy). You must fully complete the [request form](#) and provide chart notes, lab workup and any other supporting documentation. The prescribing provider must sign the form. Fax the form to BCBSAZ Pharmacy Management at (602) 864-3126 or email it to [Pharmacyprecert@azblue.com](mailto:Pharmacyprecert@azblue.com).

#### Criteria:

➤ **Criteria for initial therapy:** Lumakras (sotorasib) and/or generic equivalent (if available) is considered **medically necessary** and will be approved when **ALL** the following criteria are met:

1. Prescriber is a physician specializing in the patient’s diagnosis or is in consultation with an Oncologist
2. Individual is 18 years of age or older
3. Individual has a confirmed diagnosis of **ONE** of the following:
  - a. KRAS G12C-mutated locally advanced or metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC), who has received at least one prior systemic therapy

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- b. KRAS G12C-mutated metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC) in combination with panitumumab who have received prior fluoropyrimidine-, oxaliplatin- and irinotecan-based chemotherapy
- c. Other request for a specific oncologic direct treatment use that is found and listed in the National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Guidelines with Categories of Evidence and Consensus of 1 and 2A

4. Individual has completed **ALL** the following **baseline tests** before initiation of treatment and will have continued monitoring as clinically appropriate:

- a. KRAS G12C-mutated NSCLC or mCRC by an FDA-approved test [Note: Information on FDA-approved tests for the detection of KRAS G12C mutations is available at: <http://www.fda.gov/CompanionDiagnostics>]
- b. Liver function tests (alanine aminotransferase (ALT), aspartate aminotransferase (AST), total bilirubin)
- c. Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) Performance Status of 0 or 1

5. **If available:** Individual has failure after adequate trial, contraindication per FDA label, intolerance, or is not a candidate for a **generic equivalent** [Note: Failure, contraindication or intolerance to the generic should be reported to the FDA] ([see Definitions section](#))

6. Individual is not currently taking any other drugs which cause severe adverse reactions or any drug interactions requiring discontinuation such as use with strong CYP3A4 inducers (e.g., carbamazepine, phenobarbital, phenytoin, rifampin, and others)

**Initial approval duration:** 6 months

➤ **Criteria for continuation of coverage (renewal request):** Lumakras (sotorasib) and/or generic equivalent (if available) is considered **medically necessary** and will be approved when **ALL** the following criteria are met (**samples are not considered for continuation of therapy**):

- 1. Individual continues to be seen by a physician specializing in the patient's diagnosis or is in consultation with an Oncologist
- 2. Individual has documentation of positive clinical response to therapy defined as there is no evidence of disease progression or unacceptable toxicity
- 3. Individual has been adherent with the medication
- 4. Individual is using at least 240 mg daily
- 5. There have not been more than two dose reductions for adverse effects
- 6. **If available:** Individual has failure after adequate trial, contraindication per FDA label, intolerance, or is not a candidate for a **generic equivalent** [Note: Failure, contraindication or intolerance to the generic should be reported to the FDA] ([see Definitions section](#))

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7. Individual has not developed any significant adverse drug effects that may exclude continued use such as:
  - a. Hepatotoxicity (AST or ALT greater than 3 times ULN with total bilirubin greater than 2 times ULN in the absence of alternative causes)
  - b. Interstitial Lung Disease/Pneumonitis
8. Individual is not currently taking any other drugs which cause severe adverse reactions or any drug interactions requiring discontinuation such as use with strong CYP3A4 inducers (e.g., carbamazepine, phenobarbital, phenytoin, rifampin, and others)

**Renewal duration:** 12 months

➤ Criteria for a request for non-FDA use or indication, treatment with dosing, frequency, or duration outside the FDA-approved dosing, frequency, and duration, refer to one of the following Pharmacy Coverage Guideline:

1. **Off-Label Use of Non-Cancer Medications**
2. **Off-Label Use of Cancer Medications**

#### **Description:**

Lumakras (sotorasib) is an inhibitor of the RAS GTPase family indicated for the treatment of adult patients with KRAS G12C-mutated locally advanced or metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC), as determined by an FDA-approved test, who have received at least one prior systemic therapy. This indication is approved under accelerated approval based on overall response rate (ORR) and duration of response (DOR). Continued approval for this indication may be contingent upon verification and description of clinical benefit in a confirmatory trial(s). Lumakras (sotorasib), in combination with panitumumab, is indicated for the treatment of adult patients with KRAS G12C-mutated metastatic colorectal cancer (mCRC), as determined by an FDA-approved test, who have received prior fluoropyrimidine-, oxaliplatin- and irinotecan-based chemotherapy.

Sotorasib is an inhibitor of KRAS G12C, a tumor-restricted, mutant-oncogenic form of the RAS GTPase, KRAS. Sotorasib forms an irreversible, covalent bond with the unique cysteine of KRAS G12C, locking the protein in an inactive state that prevents downstream signaling without affecting wild-type KRAS. Sotorasib blocks KRAS signaling, inhibits cell growth, and promotes apoptosis only in KRAS G12C tumor cell lines.

#### **Definitions:**

U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) MedWatch Forms for FDA Safety Reporting  
[MedWatch Forms for FDA Safety Reporting | FDA](#)

#### **Anti-PD-1/PD-L1 immunotherapy, Immune Checkpoint inhibitors for NSCLC:**

- Tecentriq (atezolizumab) Injection
- Libtayo (cemiplimab-rwlc) Injection
- Imfinzi (durvalumab) Injection

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- Yervoy (ipilimumab) Injection
- Opdivo (nivolumab) Injection
- Keytruda (pembrolizumab) Injection

#### **Platinum based therapy:**

- Paraplatin (carboplatin) Injection
- Cisplatin Injection

#### **Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events (CTCAE) Version 5.0:**

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| Grade 1 | Mild; asymptomatic or mild symptoms; clinical or diagnostic observations only; intervention not indicated   |
| Grade 2 | Moderate; minimal, local or noninvasive intervention indicated; limiting age-appropriate instrumental ADL*  |
| Grade 3 | Severe or medically significant but not immediately life-threatening; hospitalization or prolongation of hospitalization indicated; disabling; limiting self-care ADL** |
| Grade 4 | Life-threatening consequences; urgent intervention indicated  |
| Grade 5 | Death related to AE   |

U.S. department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health, and National Cancer Institute

#### **ECOG Performance status:**

| Eastern Co-operative Oncology Group (ECOG) Performance Status |  |
|---|--|
| Grade   | ECOG description   |
| 0   | Fully active, able to carry on all pre-disease performance without restriction   |
| 1   | Restricted in physically strenuous activity but ambulatory and able to carry out work of a light or sedentary nature, e.g., light housework, office work |
| 2   | Ambulatory and capable of all selfcare but unable to carry out any work activities. Up and about more than 50% of waking hours                           |
| 3   | Capable of only limited selfcare, confined to bed or chair more than 50% of waking hours   |
| 4   | Completely disabled. Cannot carry on any self-care. Totally confined to bed or chair   |
| 5   | Dead   |

Oken, M.M., Creech, R.H., Tormey, D.C., Horton, J., Davis, T.E., McFadden, E.T., Carbone, P.P.: Toxicity And Response Criteria Of The Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group. Am J Clin Oncol 5:649-655, 1982

#### **NCCN recommendation definitions:**

##### Category 1:

Based upon high-level evidence, there is uniform NCCN consensus that the intervention is appropriate.

##### Category 2A:

Based upon lower-level evidence, there is uniform NCCN consensus that the intervention is appropriate.

##### Category 2B:

Based upon lower-level evidence, there is NCCN consensus that the intervention is appropriate.

##### Category 3:

Based upon any level of evidence, there is major NCCN disagreement that the intervention is appropriate.



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#### Resources:

Lumakras (sotorasib) product information, revised by Amgen, Inc. 01-2025. Available at DailyMed <http://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov>. Accessed May 08, 2025.

National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology (NCCN Guidelines®): Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Version 3.2025. Updated January 14, 2025. Available at <https://www.nccn.org>. Accessed May 08, 2025.

National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology (NCCN Guidelines®): Colon Cancer Version 3.2025. Updated April 24, 2025. Available at <https://www.nccn.org>. Accessed May 08, 2025.

National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology (NCCN Guidelines®): Rectal Cancer Version 2.2025. Updated March 31, 2025. Available at <https://www.nccn.org>. Accessed May 08, 2025.

Off Label Use of Cancer Medications: A.R.S. §§ 20-826(R) & (S). Subscription contracts; definitions.

Off Label Use of Cancer Medications: A.R.S. §§ 20-1057(V) & (W). Evidence of coverage by health care service organizations; renewability; definitions.

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