

Lumizyme® (alglucosidase alfa)

When requesting Lumizyme® (alglucosidase alfa), the individual requiring treatment must be diagnosed with the following FDA-approved indication and meet the specific coverage guidelines and applicable safety criteria for the covered indication.

FDA-approved Indication

Lumizyme (alglucosidase alfa) is indicated for the treatment of individuals with Pompe disease (acid α -glucosidase deficiency).

Coverage Guidelines

Pompe Disease

The individual must meet all of the following criteria for approval:

- Diagnosis is confirmed by one of the following:
 - Laboratory test demonstrating deficient acid α -glucosidase activity in blood, fibroblasts, or muscle tissue; OR
 - Molecular genetic test demonstrating acid α -glucosidase gene mutation;
- Lumizyme is prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, a neurologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders.

Approval duration: 12 months

Dosing Recommendation

The recommended dosage of alglucosidase alfa is 20 mg/kg body weight administered every 2 weeks as an intravenous infusion.

References

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