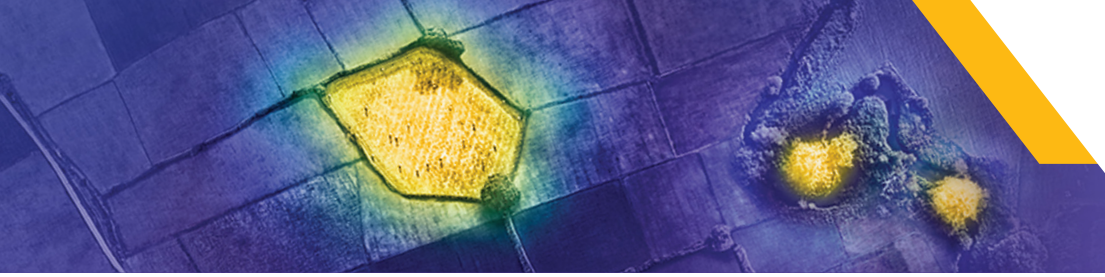

AXUMIN®
Fluciclovine F 18 Injection

Axumin Scheduling Tip Sheet

This resource is provided to support patient access to Axumin as prescribed. This is not a guide or instructions. The processes outlined here do not guarantee payment. Providers must use independent medical judgment in determining whether an Axumin PET scan is appropriate for the patient. The provider has the responsibility to ensure correct prior authorization, appeal, and denial policies are followed.

Axumin is covered by Medicare for the FDA-approved indication only

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IS THIS PATIENT APPROPRIATE FOR AXUMIN IMAGING?

- ☐ Patient has prior history of prostate cancer
- ☐ Patient was treated for prostate cancer
- ☐ Patient has elevated PSA levels following prior treatment
- ☐ All of the above documented in physician's notes and on file at imaging center

DO I HAVE WHAT I NEED TO SCHEDULE THE PATIENT?

- ☐ Physician order for Axumin PET scan
- ☐ Patient's insurance information and prior authorization number, if available
- ☐ If performing authorization, documentation of:
  - ☐ Medical necessity
  - ☐ Patient history
  - ☐ Information on Axumin PET scans

CODING FOR AXUMIN PET SCANS

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Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code for Axumin

A9588	Fluciclovine F 18, diagnostic, 1 mCi*

*Unit alert: Axumin is provided in 10 mCi doses. When submitting claims, be sure to enter the correct number of units.

HCPCS code for Axumin

78811	Positron emission tomography (PET) imaging; limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78812	Positron emission tomography (PET) imaging; skull base to mid-thigh
78813	Positron emission tomography (PET) imaging; whole body
78814	Positron emission tomography (PET) imaging with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization imaging; limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78815	Positron emission tomography (PET) imaging with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization imaging; skull base to mid-thigh
78816	Positron emission tomography (PET) imaging with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization imaging; whole body

ICD-10 codes currently covered by Medicare

C61	Malignant neoplasm of prostate
Z85.46	Personal history of malignant neoplasm of prostate
R97.21	Rising PSA following treatment for malignant neoplasm of the prostate

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- Hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis, may occur in patients who receive Axumin. Emergency resuscitation equipment and personnel should be immediately available.
- Axumin use contributes to a patient's overall long-term cumulative radiation exposure, which is associated with an increased risk of cancer. Safe handling practices should be used to minimize radiation exposure to the patient and health care providers.
- Adverse reactions were reported in ≤1% of subjects during clinical studies with Axumin. The most common adverse reactions were injection site pain, injection site erythema and dysgeusia.

To report suspected adverse reactions to Axumin, call 1-855-AXUMIN1 (1-855-298-6461) or contact FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or www.fda.gov/medwatch.

Please see accompanying full Axumin Prescribing Information, also available at www.axumin.com.

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