

## Regimen Monograph

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## A - Regimen Name

**TALI Regimen**

Talimogene laherparepvec

**Disease Site** Skin - Melanoma**Intent** Palliative**Regimen Category** **Evidence-informed :**

Regimen is considered appropriate as part of the standard care of patients; meaningfully improves outcomes (survival, quality of life), tolerability or costs compared to alternatives (recommended by the Disease Site Team and national consensus body e.g. pan-Canadian Oncology Drug Review, pCODR). Recommendation is based on an appropriately conducted phase III clinical trial relevant to the Canadian context OR (where phase III trials are not feasible) an appropriately sized phase II trial. Regimens where one or more drugs are not approved by Health Canada for any indication will be identified under Rationale and Use.

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## B - Drug Regimen

**talimogene laherparepvec**      up to 4 X 10<sup>8</sup> pfu      Intralesional      Day 1

**(This drug is not currently publicly funded for this regimen and intent)**

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### C - Cycle Frequency

**REPEAT EVERY 14-21\* DAYS** for up to 18 months unless disease progression or unacceptable toxicity occurs.

\*Cycle 2 is 21 days after the 1st dose. Schedule is Q14 Days thereafter.

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### D - Premedication and Supportive Measures

**Antiemetic Regimen:** Low

**Other Supportive Care:**

Also refer to [CCO Antiemetic Recommendations](#).

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### K - References

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