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DERMAL CHEMICAL PEELS CRITERIA (MEDICARE)

Dermal abrasion is covered when *ALL* criteria are met:

- For actinic keratoses and other pre-malignant skin lesions; *AND*
- 15 or more lesions; *AND*
- Impractical to treat each lesion individually; *AND*
- Failed to adequately respond to treatment with topical 5-FU, unless contradicted.