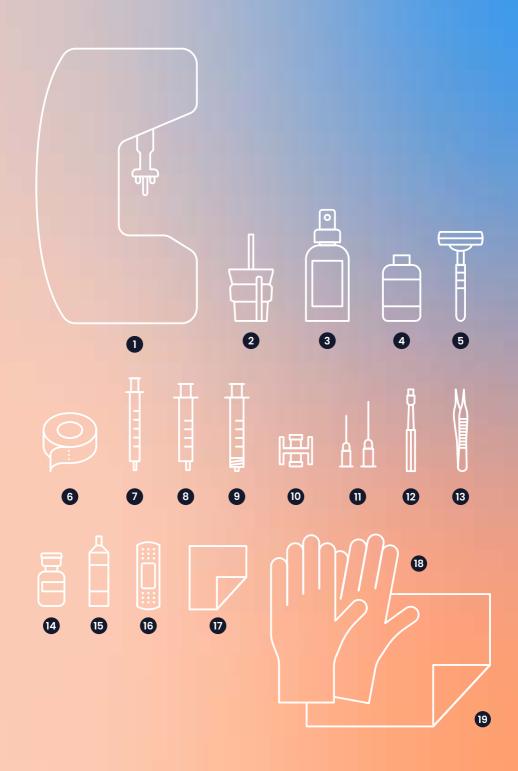
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Quick Guide to AMT® in AGA Management



### MATERIALS

- Rigenera® N4SA Machine
- 2 Rigeneracons® Derma
- 3 2% aqueous chlorhexidine
- 4 2% lidocaine without vasoconstrictor
- 5 Hair razor
- 6 Paper tape (micropore)
- Syringe 1 ml (anaesthesia)
- 8 Two 3 ml Luer Slip syringes (micrografting solution collection)
- 9 Two 3 ml Luer Lock syringes (AMT® Solution infiltration)
- Syringe connectors
- Needles 30G x ½, 0.3 x 12 mm Needles 21G x 1½, 0.8 x 40 mm
- 12 Dermal punch 2.5 mm
- 3 Sterile Adson Tweezers (toothless)
- 14 Injectable saline solution
- 15 Adrenalin 1mg/ml
- 16 Band-aids
- 17 Sterile gauze pads
- Sterile gloves
- 19 Sterile sizes

## PROCEDURE 1,2,3

Adapted from Gentile P. et al., 2017; Ruiz R. G. et al., 2019; Zari S., 2021







#### Diagnosis

• **Perform diagnosis** to confirm the patient has **Androgenetic Alopecia**.

#### Preparation & Anaesthesia

- **Prepare** the sterile field with all necessary materials. Activate the N4SA machine with the RFID microchip before doing any extraction.
- Disinfect the retroauricular mastoid hairy area with chlorhexidine.
- Shave gently to remove stratum corneum.

# TEP 3

#### Extraction

- Anaesthetise with 1 ml of Lidocaine 2% without vasoconstrictor.
- Extract 3 biopsy punches with a 2.5 mm dermal punch.
- Place the 3 biopsies in the **Rigeneracons® Derma**, on the grid under the helix.



#### Disaggregation & Collection

- Add approximately **1.8 ml of saline solution** through the extraction hole with a Luer Slip syringe.
- Disaggregate the tissue for 2 minutes.
- Cure the patient's donor area and apply a band-aid.
- Collect the first vial with a 3 ml Luer Slip syringe.
- Add 1.8 ml of saline solution through the extraction hole again.
- Perform a 1 minute cycle to collect any remaining material.
- Collect the volume in a second 3 ml Luer Slip syringe.
- Mix syringe 1 and syringe 2 using a connector.
- Split the volume between the two syringes.
- Increase the volume up to 3 ml with saline solution in each syringe. The result is 6 ml of AMT® Solution divided into two syringes.
- Optionally, transfer the AMT® Solution to Luer Lock syringes for a safer infiltration. (See dilution diagram in Figure 1).

## Infiltration

- Disinfect the infiltration area with antiseptic solution.
- Injections shall be approximately **0.1 ml per cm**<sup>2</sup>.
- Inject the AMT® Solution with a 30G x ½, 0.3 x 12 mm needle with a 45 degrees inclination to the scalp, into the deep dermis or superficial subcutaneous at most.
- **Gently massage** the scalp for one minute after the injections to distribute the solution.

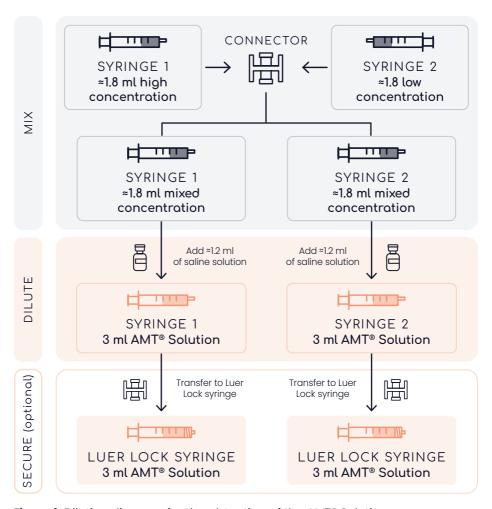


Figure 1. Dilution diagram for the obtention of the AMT® Solution.

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