

## Additional file 5

Time	Visit 1 Pre-Screening	Visit 2 Baseline visit Confirmation of eligibility			Visit 3a Week 4 EoT	Visit 3b Surgery
	—	Week 0			28 days (+3 days)	28 days (+3 days)
Trial Discussed / PIS given <sup>1</sup>	X					
Informed Consent <sup>2</sup>		X				
Photography				X		
Medical History and demographics			X			
EQ5D			X			
DLQI			X			
Patient treatment questionnaire					X	
Pregnancy Test <sup>3</sup>				X	X	
Trial medication dispensed				X		
Trial medication returned					X	
Patient diary				X	X	
Lesion Excision						X
Adverse events					X	
Concomitant medications			X		X	
CRF completion				X	X	

<sup>1</sup> Patient information sheet can be post to avoid any unnecessary journey.

<sup>2</sup> A minimum of 24hr for review of patient information sheet before patient can sign informed consent form.

<sup>3</sup> Pregnancy test should be urine dipstick and for all women of childbearing potential.