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The present invention relates to stable cosmetic or pharmaceutical compositions containing at least one hydroxyacid encapsulated in a lamellar vesicle combination with a whitening agent. The invention also includes a method for preparing a stable cosmetic or pharmaceutical composition by encapsulating the hydroxyacid in the lamellar vesicle and adding the encapsulated hydroxyacid to a cosmetic or pharmaceutical carrier containing a whitening agent.