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INTERNATIONAL NONPROPRIETARY NAME FOR ANTI-AMYLOID BETA PROTOFIBRIL ANTIBODY BAN2401 DECIDED AS LECANEMAB

Eisai Co., Ltd. (Headquarters: Tokyo, CEO: Haruo Naito, "Eisai") announced today that the International Nonproprietary Name (INN) for the investigational anti-amyloid beta (A β) protofibril antibody BAN2401 was decided as lecanemab. For details, please refer to [the Recommended INN List No. 84](#) in WHO Drug Information Volume 34, No. 3.

For lecanemab, a global clinical Phase III study (Clarity AD) for early AD as well as a the clinical Phase III study AHEAD 3-45 for preclinical AD are underway. Lecanemab is being jointly developed by Eisai and Biogen Inc. (Headquarters: Cambridge, Massachusetts, United States).
