Project on establishing diagnostic methods, and strengthening treatment and development guidelines for hereditary angioedema in Vietnam

[BACKGROUND]

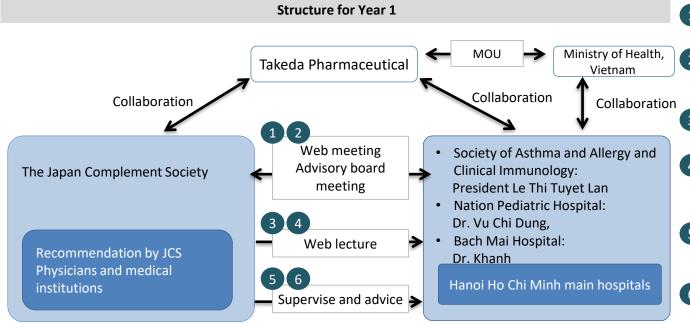
- The remarkably low diagnostic rate of HAE in Vietnam (2.5%) may be attributed to the lack of testing and diagnostic techniques.
- There are no national guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of HAE in Vietnam.

[PROJECT OVERVIEW]

- Year 1 (2021):
 - Disease Awareness and Capability development for Vietnamese and VN HCPs
 - Establish testing and diagnostic techniques (Serum C4 assay, C1 inhibitor activity assay)
 - Build core centers (Center of Excellence: CoE) for HAE diagnosis and management to improve diagnosis rate by developing a follow-up system in Hanoi and HCMC
 - Discuss the Vietnamese HAE guidelines
- Year 2 and thereafter:
 - Develop a collaboration system with core centers for HAE diagnosis and management to improve diagnosis rate

[SPILLOVER EFFECT]

- Improve access and treatment rates through marketing authorization and reimbursement of new HAE drugs
- Inform Japan and other Asian countries of the need to expand their rare disease treatment, and utilize this project as a catalyst to create HAE and rare disease treatment ecosystem in Asia



Jul - Aug 2021 (web meeting)

• Extraction of local issues (Diagnosis, Treatment and Follow-up)

Sep – Oct 2021 (Advisory board meeting)

- Advice from the JP KOLs toward the establishment of tests and diagnostic methods
- Hearing from JP KOLs

Nov – Dec 2021 (web lecture)

·Lecture on testing methods, diagnostic methods, and follow-up system

Jan – Feb 2022 (web lecture)

- Discuss project's guidelines
- •Review project's content for the next year

Jan – Feb 2022 (web lecture)

•Supervise and advice by JP KOLs on educational materials for the general public prepared by VN

Jan – Feb 2022 (web lecture)

•Supervise and advice by JP KOLs on educational materials for HCPs prepared by VN