



## Press Release

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### **Daiichi Sankyo Appoints New Group Corporate Officers**

**TOKYO, Japan (February 23, 2018)** – Daiichi Sankyo Company, Limited today announced the appointment of new Group corporate officers effective from April 1, 2018.

#### **1. DAIICHI SANKYO CO., LTD.**

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Kazunori Hirokawa	Representative Director Member of the Board Executive Vice President and CFO Head of Corporate Strategy & Management Div.	Representative Director Member of the Board
Toshiaki Sai	Member of the Board Senior Executive Officer Head of Global Brand Strategy Div.	Member of the Board Executive Vice President and CFO Head of Corporate Strategy & Management Div.
Junichi Koga	Executive Officer Head of R&D Div.	Senior Executive Officer Head of R&D Div.
Ryoji Nagasaka	Executive Officer Vice President of Secretariat Dept.	Executive Officer In charge of Secretariat & External Affairs
Yuichi Kubo	Executive Officer Vice President of Business Development & Licensing Dept.	Executive Officer Head of Global Brand Strategy Div.

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Kohei Wada	Corporate Officer Vice President of Development Function, R&D Div.	Executive Officer In charge of Medical Affairs
Kentaro Takamura	Corporate Officer Vice President of Finance & Accounting Dept., Corporate Strategy & Management Div.	Executive Officer Vice President of Finance & Accounting Dept., Corporate Strategy & Management Div.
Masahiko Ohtsuki	Corporate Officer Vice President of Research Function, R&D Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Business Development & Licensing Dept.
Kentaro Murakawa	Corporate Officer Vice President of Tokyo Branch, Sales & Marketing Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Sales Planning Dept., Sales & Marketing Div.
Shinichi Tobita	Corporate Officer Vice President of Marketing Dept., Sales & Marketing Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Tokyo Branch, Sales & Marketing Div.
Hideyuki Hirano	Corporate Officer Vice President of Sales Planning Dept., Sales & Marketing Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of External Affairs Dept.
Koji Ogawa	Corporate Officer President of ASCA Company	Corporate Officer Vice President of Corporate Communications Dept., Corporate Strategy & Management Div.
Yoshikazu Fukuchi	Vice President of Medical Science Dept., Medical Affairs Div.	Corporate Officer Head of Medical Affairs Div.
Masayuki Yabuta	Head of Biologics Div.	Corporate Officer Head of Biologics Div.
Hiroyuki Okuzawa	Vice President of Business Planning Dept., ASCA Company	Corporate Officer President of ASCA Company

◇Noriaki Ishida (current Executive Officer) will become Corporate Advisor as of April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018.

## 2. DAIICHI SANKYO ESPHA CO., LTD.

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Takeshi Shinseki	Vice President of Corporate Business Management Dept.	Member of the Board In charge of Corporate Strategy and Vice President of Corporate Business Management Dept.
Kazuyuki Watanabe	Member of the Audit & Supervisory Board, DAIICHI SANKYO CO., LTD.	Member of the Audit & Supervisory Board (Outside)

## 3. DAIICHI SANKYO HEALTHCARE CO., LTD.

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Katsuhiko Yoshida	Member of the Board Senior Executive Officer In charge of Corporate Planning and Corporate Administration and R&D	Member of the Board Senior Executive Officer In charge of Corporate Administration and Vice president of Corporate Planning Dept.
Kazuyuki Watanabe	Member of the Audit & Supervisory Board, DAIICHI SANKYO CO., LTD.	Member of the Audit & Supervisory Board (Outside)