

## Astellas Announces Personnel Changes

Tokyo, May 31, 2016 - Astellas Pharma Inc. (President and CEO: Yoshihiko Hatanaka) today announced the personnel changes as below.

### 1. Appointment of Senior Corporate Executive effective on June 1, 2016

Name	New Title	Current Title
Yukihiko Sato	CEO's Office	President, Japan Sales & Marketing

### 2. Appointment of Corporate Executive effective on June 1, 2016

Name	New Title	Current Title
Nobuaki Tanaka	President, Japan Sales & Marketing	Divisional Senior Vice President, Strategic Business Management, Japan Sales & Marketing

\*Nobuaki Tanaka will also serve as the Divisional Senior Vice President, Strategic Business Management, Japan Sales & Marketing until June 30, 2016.

### 3. Resignation of Senior Corporate Executive effective on June 20, 2016

Name	Title (effective on June 1, 2016)
Yukihiko Sato	CEO's Office

### 4. Personnel Changes effective on July 1, 2016

Name	New Title	Current Title
Tadashi Hara	Divisional Senior Vice President, Strategic Business Management, Japan Sales & Marketing	General Manager, Nagoya Branch, Japan Sales & Marketing
Naoyuki Kosaka	General Manager, Nagoya Branch, Japan Sales & Marketing	Executive Director, Sales Operation, Japan Sales & Marketing

**About Astellas**

Astellas Pharma Inc., based in Tokyo, Japan, is a company dedicated to improving the health of people around the world through the provision of innovative and reliable pharmaceutical products. We focus on Urology, Oncology, Immunology, Nephrology and Neuroscience as prioritized therapeutic areas while advancing new therapeutic areas and discovery research leveraging new technologies/modalities. We are also creating new value by combining internal capabilities and external expertise in the medical/healthcare business. Astellas is on the forefront of healthcare change to turn innovative science into value for patients. For more information, please visit our website at [www.astellas.com/en](http://www.astellas.com/en).

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