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# SCENESSE® successfully administered to paediatric EPP patient

CLINUVEL today announced that SCENESSE® (afamelanotide) has been successfully administered to a 9-year-old girl living with severe symptoms of erythropoietic protoporphyria (EPP). The treatment was well tolerated with no adverse events reported to date. The patient is the youngest known to have received SCENESSE®.

# SCENESSE® in paediatric EPP: addressing unmet need

SCENESSE® is approved for the prevention of phototoxicity in adult EPP patients. Since 2021 paediatric EPP patients have received treatment in European EPP Expert Centres, with the treatment reimbursed by insurance companies. Several paediatric patients remain on treatment today.

The youngest patient at 9 years of age, diagnosed with EPP, was treated with SCENESSE® in Switzerland. The child was suffering from severe phototoxicity and was going through an ordeal preventing her from participating in daily activities.

A pharmacokinetic study (CUV052) in adolescent (12-17 years) and adult EPP patients was conducted in 2024, with data analysis ongoing. As reported in February 2025, SCENESSE® was well tolerated by all patients in the CUV052 study and no unexpected safety concerns were identified. Pending final results from CUV052, the Company aims to refile later this year to extend the European SCENESSE® label to include adolescent patients.

## **Commentary**

"For both the parents and child this is a remarkable breakthrough," CLINUVEL's Director, Global Clinical Affairs, Dr Emilie Rodenburger said. "The patient was living indoors and could not tolerate any form of light. Following treatment, she is now leading a more normal life, including returning to school.

"Owing to the insight and clinical assessment by the leading physician this treatment has been made possible. I am optimistic our study results and case reports will now urge the regulatory agencies to consider expanding the label to include treatment for younger patients. After decades of monitoring the drug in adults, we are as confident as we can be that the benefit-risk profile is consistent between adult and adolescent EPP patients," Dr Rodenburger said.

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#### **About CLINUVEL PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED**

CLINUVEL (ASX: CUV; ADR LEVEL 1: CLVLY; Börse Frankfurt: UR9) is a global specialty pharmaceutical group focused on developing and commercialising treatments for patients with genetic, metabolic, systemic, and life-threatening, acute disorders, as well as healthcare solutions for specialised populations. As pioneers in photomedicine and the family of melanocortin peptides, CLINUVEL's research and development has led to innovative treatments for patient populations with a clinical need for systemic photoprotection, assisted DNA repair, repigmentation and acute or life-threatening conditions who lack alternatives.

CLINUVEL's lead therapy, SCENESSE® (afamelanotide 16mg), is approved for commercial distribution in Europe, the USA, Israel, and Australia as the world's first systemic photoprotective drug for the prevention of phototoxicity (anaphylactoid reactions and burns) in

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adult patients with erythropoietic protoporphyria (EPP). Headquartered in Melbourne, Australia, CLINUVEL has operations in Europe, Singapore, and the USA. For more information, please go to <a href="https://www.clinuvel.com">https://www.clinuvel.com</a>.

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