

Title (en)  
METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING AND/OR FOR OBTAINING AN ACTIVE SUBSTANCE FOR THE TREATMENT AND THERAPY OF FAMILIAL AMYOTROPHIC LATERAL SCLEROSIS, AND USE OF AN ACTIVE SUBSTANCE FOR THE TREATMENT OF THIS DISEASE

Title (de)  
VERFAHREN ZUR IDENTIFIZIERUNG UND/ODER ZUM ERHALTEN EINES WIRKSTOFFS ZUR BEHANDLUNG UND THERAPIE DER FAMILIÄREN AMYOTROPHEN LATERALSKLEROSE SOWIE VERWENDUNG EINES WIRKSTOFFS ZUR BEHANDLUNG DIESER ERKRANKUNG

Title (fr)  
MÉTHODE POUR L'IDENTIFICATION ET/OU L'OBTENTION D'UN PRINCIPE ACTIF POUR LE TRAITEMENT ET LA THÉRAPIE DE LA FORME FAMILIALE DE LA SCLÉROSE LATÉRALE AMYOTROPHIQUE ET UTILISATION D'UN PRINCIPE ACTIF POUR LE TRAITEMENT DE CETTE MALADIE

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: WO2022127956A2] The invention relates to a method for identifying and/or obtaining active substances for the alleviation or treatment of ALS, comprising the following steps: a. providing a composition containing cells having the cell surface receptors syndecan-3 and/or syndecan-1, b. contacting the composition from step a) with SOD1 aggregates, c. contacting the composition from step a) with the test substance to be screened, it being possible for step b) and step c) to be performed simultaneously or for step c) to be performed before step b), d. determining the uptake of the SOD1 aggregates into the cells. The invention moreover relates to a kit or a composition for conducting the method according to the invention, containing at least cells expressing the cell surface receptors syndecan-3 and/or syndecan-1 and also SOD1 aggregates. The invention further relates to pentosan polysulfate sodium (PPS) or compounds from the group of the heparins or heparin-like compounds, for use in the preparation of an inhibitor for the uptake of SOD1 aggregates in neurons or neuronal cells of an organism and as medicament in the treatment of ALS.

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