



Cytokinetics Announces Data to Be Presented at the HFSA Virtual Annual Scientific Meeting 2020

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SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Sept. 24, 2020 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Cytokinetics, Incorporated (Nasdaq: CYTK) today announced that new data will be presented at the Heart Failure Society of America (HFSA) Virtual Annual Scientific Meeting 2020 taking place online from September 30, 2020 – October 6, 2020.

The new data include analyses characterizing real-world patients with heart failure with reduced ejection fraction (HFrEF) representative of patients in GALACTIC-HF (Global Approach to Lowering Adverse Cardiac Outcomes Through Improving Contractility in Heart Failure), the Phase 3 event driven cardiovascular outcomes clinical trial of *omecamtiv mecarbil*. Additional results from COSMIC-HF (Chronic Oral Study of Myosin Activation to Increase Contractility in Heart Failure), the completed Phase 2 clinical trial which evaluated *omecamtiv mecarbil* in patients with HFrEF, will also be presented.

Title: Characteristics And Outcomes Of A Real-world Population With Heart Failure With Reduced Ejection Fraction Representative Of Clinical Trial Patients

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Date: Wednesday, September 30, 2020 – Tuesday, October 6, 2020

Title: Progress from Bench to Bedside and Insights Learned - Myosin Activators

Session: Excellence in Translation Science: Fast Track Discovery to Application (Joint Session with CVCT)

Speaker: Fady I. Malik, M.D., Ph.D., FACC, FHFA, Executive Vice President of Research & Development, Cytokinetics

Date: Thursday, October 1, 2020

Presentation Time: 6:00 – 8:15 PM ET

Title: The Effect Of The Cardiac Myosin Activator, *Omecamtiv Mecarbil*, On Right Ventricular Structure And Function In Chronic Systolic Heart Failure (COSMIC-HF)

Session: Jay N. Cohn New Investigator Award: Clinical/Basic Science Session

Speaker: Tor Biering-Sørensen, M.D., Ph.D., MPH, Associate Professor, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, University of Copenhagen; Research Director, Cardiovascular Non-Invasive Imaging Research Laboratory, Department of Cardiology, Herlev & Gentofte Hospital

Date: Friday, October 2, 2020

Presentation Time: 7:15 – 8:15 PM ET

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About Cytokinetics

Cytokinetics is a late-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on discovering, developing and commercializing first-in-class muscle activators and next-in-class muscle inhibitors as potential treatments for debilitating diseases in which muscle performance is compromised and/or declining. As a leader in muscle biology and the mechanics of muscle performance, the company is developing small molecule drug candidates specifically engineered to impact muscle function and contractility. Cytokinetics is collaborating with Amgen Inc. (Amgen) to develop *omecamtiv mecarbil*, a novel cardiac muscle activator. *Omecamtiv mecarbil* is the subject of an international clinical trials program in patients with heart failure including GALACTIC-HF and METEORIC-HF. Amgen holds an exclusive worldwide license to develop and commercialize *omecamtiv mecarbil* with a sublicense held by Servier for commercialization in Europe and certain other countries. Cytokinetics is developing *reldesemtiv*, a fast skeletal muscle troponin activator (FSTA) for the potential treatment of ALS and other neuromuscular indications following conduct of FORTITUDE-ALS and other Phase 2 clinical trials. The company is considering potential advancement of *reldesemtiv* to Phase 3. Cytokinetics is collaborating with Astellas Pharma Inc. (Astellas) to research, develop and commercialize other novel mechanism skeletal sarcomere activators (excluding FSTAs). Licenses held by Amgen and Astellas are subject to specified co-development and co-commercialization rights of Cytokinetics. Cytokinetics is also developing CK-274, a novel cardiac myosin inhibitor that company scientists discovered independent of its collaborations, for the potential treatment of hypertrophic cardiomyopathies (HCM). Cytokinetics has granted Ji Xing Pharmaceuticals Limited an exclusive license to develop and commercialize CK-274 in China and Taiwan, in accordance with Cytokinetics' planned global registration programs. Cytokinetics is conducting REDWOOD-HCM, a Phase 2 clinical trial of CK-274 in patients with obstructive HCM. Cytokinetics continues its over 20-year history of pioneering innovation in muscle biology and related pharmacology focused to diseases of muscle dysfunction and conditions of muscle weakness.

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