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OVERVIEW

Citius is a late-stage biopharmaceutical company focused on the development and commercialization of first-in-class critical care products, with a pipeline of antiinfectives in adjunct cancer care, stem cell therapy and unique prescription products

Olympic Motto

Citius | Altius | Fortius

Faster | Higher | Stronger



INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

<u>\$</u>	GROWING PIPELINE WITH LATE STAGE LEAD ASSET	 Diversified Pipeline with Four Active Programs Mino-Lok® (Phase 3): potential to be <u>first and only</u> FDA-approved product to salvage infected CVCs causing CRBSI/CLABSI NC <i>i</i>-MSC™: novel mRNA stem cell therapy for acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS) Mino-Wrap: potential to be <u>first and only</u> FDA-approved product to prevent infections associated with post mastectomy breast implants Halo-Lido Rx: potential to be <u>first and only</u> FDA-approved Rx therapy for hemorrhoids
	Large Addressable Markets	 Multi-billion \$ global market opportunities CRBSI/CLABSI market est. >\$1.8B worldwide ARDS market large with no approved therapies Tissue expander infection prevention est. \$400M worldwide Rx hemorrhoid market est. >\$2B US
	Seasoned Management & Advisors	 Extensive pharma operational and financial track record Experienced "Blue Ribbon" Board of Directors Scientific Advisory Board of leading KOL's in infectious disease, pulmonology (ARDS), and breast surgery Multi-billion \$ in successfully completed transactions pre-Citius
Î	Strong Financial Platform	 Cash runway into 2023 (\$115.7M cash as of 6/30/21) \$26.5M invested by management / founders

THREE PILLARS OF OUR STRATEGY



FASTER TO MARKET

Advance therapies with unique commercial advantages



NEW CHEMICAL ENTITY BENEFITS

Invest in assets with differentiated upside potential



FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Create long-term sustainable value for shareholders



Unlocking Potential. Faster.



*As of 8/2021, best estimate subject to impact of COVID-19 pandemic on operations

LEAD PRODUCT CANDIDATE: MINO-LOK[®]

First and Only antibiotic lock therapy under investigation to sterilize and salvage infected Central Venous Catheters (CVCs)

* Shah H., Bosch W., Hellinger W. C., Thompson K. M. (2013). Intravascular catheter-related bloodstream infection. Neurohospitalist 3, 144–151. doi: 10.1177/1941874413476043.

** Antoňáková Němčíková A, Bednárovská E. Catheter-related bloodstream infections: do we know all of it? Klin Onkol. 2017;30(6):405–411. doi: 10.14735/amko2017405.



7 Million

Central Venus Catheters (CVCs) used annually in the U.S.*



4 Million

Long-term CVCs (>1 month) in the U.S.

~500,000

CRBSI/CLABSI infections annually in the U.S.**

12-25%

CRBSI/CLABSI associated mortality & morbidity**



MINO-LOK[®] PENETRATES BIOFILM

Biofilm prevents penetration of pathogen colonies by most traditional antibiotics



Biofilm Formation



CURRENT STANDARD OF CARE IS A POOR OPTION

Removing & replacing infected CVCs has multiple limitations

- Limited availability of other vascular sites
- Does not address need to maintain infusion therapy
- Potential for complications: infectious, thrombotic and mechanical
- 57%-67% of patients experience adverse physical and psychological symptoms from catheter R&R*
- High cost
 - ~\$10K cost of R&R procedure
 - \$46K-\$65K cost of CRBSI/CLABSI episode



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* Chaftari, AM et al., Unnecessary Removal of CVCs in Cancer Patients with CRBSI: Impact on Symptom Burden. Poster presentation at ID Week 2017, Infectious Diseases Society of America (IDSA)Oct 04 - 08, 2017

POTENTIAL GOLD STANDARD IN CLABSI TREATMENT

Mino-Lok® addresses the complications, discomfort and cost of CVC removal and replacement



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Limited duration IV therapy



Limits disruption of infusion therapy

Ease of Administration

- · Locking a catheter is a well known SOP
- Procedure can be performed by any healthcare provider
- Not flushed into the venous system
- Lower cost alternative
 - Significantly < R&R

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MINO-LOK[®] PHASE 2B TRIAL RESULTS

- **100%** Effective in salvaging CVCs in all patients treated with Mino-Lok[®]
- **100%** Patients treated with Mino-Lok[®] all had complete microbiologic eradication with no relapse
- 0% No SAEs in patients treated with Mino-Lok[®]
- 0% Complication rate for Mino-Lok[®] patients was 0% vs. 18% for control arm patients

Mino-Lok® demonstrated a strong safety and efficacy signal

Davamatar	Mino-	Lok Arm	Control Arm	
Parameter	N	%	N	%
Patients	30	100%	60	100%
Cancer Type				
- Hematologic	20	67%	48	80%
- Solid tumor	10	33%	12	20%
ICU Admission	4	13%	4	7%
Mech. Ventilator	3	10%	-	0%
Bacteremia				
- Gram+	17	57%*	32	53%
- Gram -	14	47%*	28	47%
Neutropenia (<500)	19	63%	36	60%
Microbiologic Eradication	30	100%	60	100%
- Relapse	-	0%	3	5%***
Complications	-	0%	8	13%
SAEs related to R&R	-	0%	6	10%
Overall Complication Rate	-	0%	11**	18%

*1 polymicrobial patient had Gr+ and Gr – organism cultured; ** 6 patients had >1 complication; ***all 3 CVCs were removed within 1 month.

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MINO-LOK[®] PHASE 3 PIVOTAL TRIAL UNDERWAY

Multi-center, randomized, open label, blinded assessor, active control superiority study



Primary Endpoint: Comparison of "Time to Catheter Failure" TOC = 6 weeks (42 days)

Interim Analyses:

- Futility performed at 35-40 events; superior efficacy and futility at 50% and 65% of anticipated events
- DMC recommended proceeding with trial without modification following all 3 reviews



Completing Phase 3 pivotal superiority trial



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IP PROTECTION THROUGH 2036

Mino-Lok[®] is supported by a robust intellectual property portfolio

- <u>Composition of Matter</u> and <u>Method of Use</u> patents that provide protection until June 2024
- <u>Formulation</u> patent has been issued and will add protection through 2036

Creators	Description of Patent	Patent Numbers	Issued	Expiry
Issam Raad, M.D. et al	Composition of Matter	 US: 7,601,731 EP: 04754538.9 CA: 2,528,522 	2009	2024
Issam Raad, M.D. Joel Rosenblatt, Ph.D. et al	Formulation/Enhanced Stability	 US: 10,086,114 Pub.No.: US 2017/051373 A1 Global IP: UTFC.P1283WO 	2018	2036
Issam Raad, M.D. et al	Method of Use	 US: 9,078,441 EP: 1644024 CA: 2528522 	2015	2024



REGULATORY PROTECTIONS

Qualified Infectious Disease Product (US)

- Priority Review reduces NDA review time from 12 to 6 months
- Additional 5 years of market exclusivity upon approval, combined with Hatch-Waxman

Fast Track Designation (US)

- Expedites review of drugs which treat a serious or life-threatening condition and fills an unmet medical need
- Rolling review allows for completed sections of the New Drug Application (NDA) to be submitted when ready

Supplementary Protection Certificate (EU)

• Extends patent protection up to 5 years



There are <u>no products</u> being developed for <u>treatment</u> of infected central venous lines

- No company has US regulatory approval
- There are no lock solutions in development for treating CRBSI patients and salvaging indwelling, infected CVCs
- CorMedix is focused on development of lock solutions for the prevention of CRBSI in hemodialysis patients

Company	Product	Status	Limitation	
CorMedix [®]	Defencath™	NDA accepted by the FDA in August 2020 CRL received from FDA in March 2021 Available in Europe (CE Mark)	Prevention only Anti-infective only being used in prophylaxis	



With modest penetration at conservative pricing >\$500M peak year US sales achievable with a worldwide opportunity of \$1.8B

United States



per year*

>4 million CLABSI's



Ex-US

PARTNER

Regulatory Environment

DISARM Act pending

- create a DRG carveout for QIDP
 products
- Allow for full reimbursement for CMS programs; not part of the payment bundle

Reimbursement

Apply for NTAP (all QDIP), increased to 75% of list price

Apply for transitional pass-through reimbursement

Commercial

Pricing Cost-Saving Mino-Lok will be < R&R

Targeting Accounts with high CLABSI medical claims

*DelveInsight "Catheter-Related Blood Stream Infections (CRBSI)-Market Insights, Epidemiology & Market Forecast-2028"

Potential market-leading antibiotic lock therapy to salvage the CVC in patients with CRBSI/CLABSI



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Patented solution

EXPANDING PORTFOLIO: ENGINEERED STEM CELL THERAPY





X Novellus

Privately-held pre-clinical stage biotechnology company with patented nonimmunogenic mRNA technology for gene editing (acquired by Brooklyn ImmunoTherapeutics, Inc. (NYSE American: BTX) in July 2021)



Majority-owned subsidiary of Citius

Developing next generation mesenchymal stem cells (NC *i*-MSCs[™])

Derived from an iPSC master cell bank

Primary focus is ARDS

Worldwide license for respiratory conditions associated with acute inflammation

Strong patent protection

DIFFERENTIATED STEM CELL PLATFORM

Next generation allogeneic engineered stem cell platform under development for the treatment of ARDS

SINGLE DONOR / CLONAL	•	Genetically identical <i>i-</i> MSCs™ derived from mutation-free iPSCs One homogeneous, validated source for all future cells NO repeat harvesting from multiple donors; NO repeat donor testing
MORE POTENT		Higher levels of therapeutic proteins compared to donor-derived cells
RESTORED TELOMERES	•	Result in longer therapeutic lifespan compared to donor-derived cells
SCALABLE MFG	•	Rapid production from master <i>i-</i> MSC™ cell bank Substantial expansion potential (trillions of cells for higher and repeat doses)



i-MSCs[™]: FROM ONE CELL TO TRILLIONS



One homogeneous,	Patented synthetic, non-	Virtually limitless	Rapid 4-week production	Performance enhanced with	cGMP compliant scalable	<i>i-</i> MSCs™ packaged in
validated source for all future cells	immunogenic mRNA high efficiency cell reprogramming	number of cells from "Angel Cell"	process from iPSC cell bank	longer therapeutic lifespan <i>i-</i> MSCs	manufacturing for preclinical and clinical studies	cryopreserved mini-bags

INTERIM RESULTS OF *i*-MSC [™] STUDY IN SHEEP MODEL OF ARDS

Animals receiving *i*-MSCs™ demonstrated stronger therapeutic effects v. control

Improved Oxygenation

Less Systemic Shock



Reduced Lung Vascular Injury



Preparing cGMP NC *i*-MSC[™] Master Cell Bank to support future trials, with IND submission planned for 2022



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DIVERSIFIED PIPELINE WITH NEAR TERM CATALYSTS



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FINANCIAL SUMMARY*

Bandwidth to Execute

- \$127.6M Financing activities 1H 2021
- \$7.7M R&D expense 1H 2021
- Runway into 2023
- \$26.5M invested by insiders

*As of 06/30/21 unless otherwise noted.

CURRENT CAPITALIZATION	SHARES	% OF FULLY DILUTED
BASIC SHARES OUTSTANDING	145,979,429	76.5%
WARRANTS	40,234,172	21.1%
OPTIONS	4,655,166	2.4%
FULLY DILUTED SHARES OUTSTANDING	190,868,767	100%

(12.6%)
(2.7%)

(1) Beneficial stock ownership as calculated under rules of the Securities Exchange Commission as filed with the Citius Def 14 A Proxy Statement in April 2021.

CITIUS: WHY INVEST? WHY NOW?



Diversified pipeline of potential first-in-class products addressing recognized unmet medical needs



Attractive diversified multi-billion dollar opportunities in adjunctive cancer care, infectious disease and gastrointestinal disease



Strong research partnerships to advance pipeline

- MD Anderson Cancer Center in developing novel anti-infectives in cancer
- Novellus developing promising *i*-MSC[™] therapy



Multiple staged near-term catalysts anticipated



Well capitalized to advance pipeline and invest in long-term growth

- \$115.7M in cash as of 6/30/21; runway into 2023
- \$26.5M invested by insiders

Seasoned executives with successful execution-focused track record



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