



ICON Analyst Day

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ICON Executive Overview

Steve Cutler CEO ICON plc

ICON Analyst Day - Participating ICON Executive Management

Name/Title	Name/Title
Steve Cutler CEO	Colin Stanley President, ICON Functional Services
Brendan Brennan CFO	Thomas O'Leary Chief Information Officer
Nuala Murphy President, Clinical Research Services	Ramita Tandon EVP, ICON Commercialisation & Outcomes
George McMillan Chief Commercial Officer	Jim Miskel EVP Laboratory Services
Don Kraft EVP, Strategic Projects	

Agenda

Demonstrations

Financial update

Q & A

The Integrated FSP model

Topic	Presenters
ICON executive overview	Steve Cutler
Partnership at the core of ICON's commercial success	George McMillan
Focus on Execution: ICON's Site & Patient Strategy	Nuala Murphy

Colin Stanley

Brendan Brennan

ICON Executive Management Team

Gareth Milborrow, Nicole Trewartha, Marie McCarthy

Focus on Execution: ICON's Site & Patient Strategy Nuala Murphy Innovation: Organisational and trial efficiencies Tom O'Leary

ICON - What We Do

ICON is a global provider of outsourced drug and device development and commercialisation services to pharmaceutical, biotechnology, medical device, and government and public health organisations.

We specialize in the strategic development, management and analysis of programs that support Clinical Development - from compound selection to Phase I-IV clinical studies



Government Biotech Pharma Medical Device Specialty

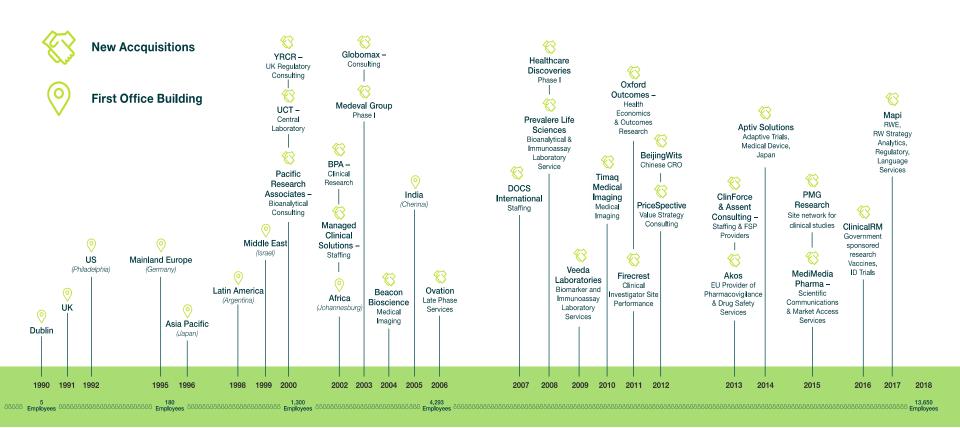




"ICON's mission is to help our customers accelerate the development of drugs and devices that save lives and improve the quality of life."

"ICON's vision is to be the CRO partner of choice in drug and device development by delivering best in class information, solutions, and performance."

The journey so far...



Displaying Significant Growth Over 28 Years...

1990



2018













Building a Global Platform & Execution Capability for the Future



13,650 employees across 93 offices in 37 countries providing access to patients and execution capability

Across a Comprehensive Service Portfolio Supporting All Aspects of **Drug Development**

Early Phase Services

- Clinical Research Unit
- Patient Studies
- Pharmacodynamic Models
- Data Visualization & Analysis
- NONMEM Software
- PK/PD Pop Software
- Precision Methodology Cardiac Assessment





Drug Development Services

- Non-clinical
 - Chemistry, Manufacturing & Controls (CMC)
- Clinical Development

Commercialisation & Outcomes

- Real World Strategy & Analytics
- Real World & Late Phase Research
- **RWE Research Services & Clinical** Operations
- Access, Commercialisation & Communications
- Patient Centered Sciences
- Strategic Regulatory Services
- Medical Device & Diagnostics Research







Clinical Research Services

- Project Management
- Clinical Operations/Monitoring
- Patient Centric Monitoring
- Data Management
- Site & Patient Solutions
 - Site Feasibility EMR & Data Analytics
 - ICON owned Site Networks
 - Patient Recruitment & Retention
 - Digital Solutions FIRECREST
 - Scientific Operations
 - Adaptive Trials ADDPLAN®
 - Medical Imaging
 - Biostatistics
 - Medical Affairs
 - Pharmacovigilance
 - Regulatory Affairs
 - Endpoint Adjudication
 - Medical Writing & Publishing

 - Interactive Response Technology

Laboratory Services

- Central Laboratories
- Bioanalytical Laboratories





Functional Services

- **Functional Solutions**
- FSP (DOCS)
- Government Solutions

Leveraging our Differentiated Technology Solutions and Data **Collaborations**

Patient Identification



Real World Data



World Class Analytics & Collaborations



Solutions

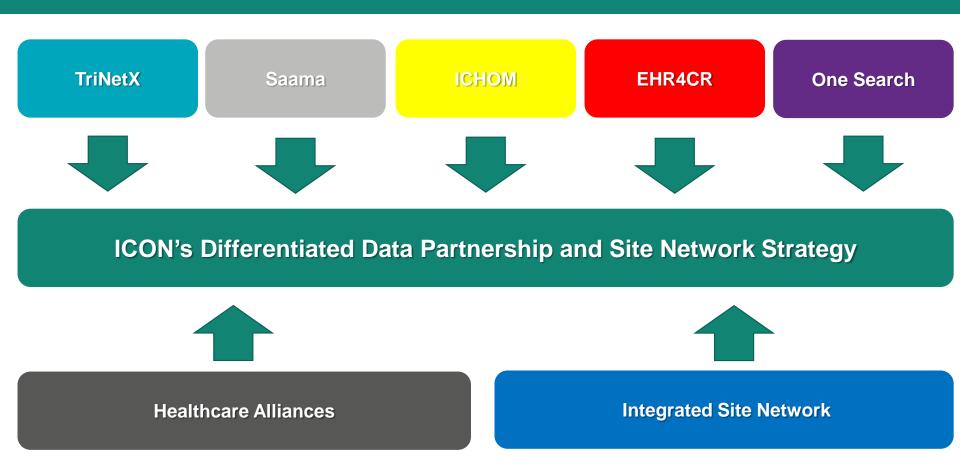


Platform delivering studies better, faster, safer, more cost effectively

> Investigator & patient training and support svstem

Software, for design, simulation & analysis of adaptive trials

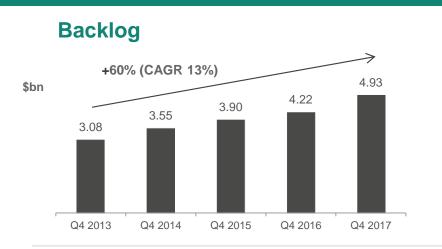
To Drive Better Execution in Clinical Trials

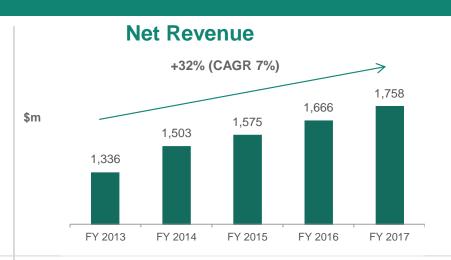


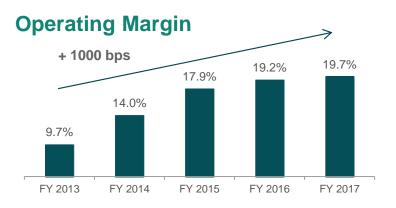
To Become the CRO Trusted Partner of Choice for Drug Development

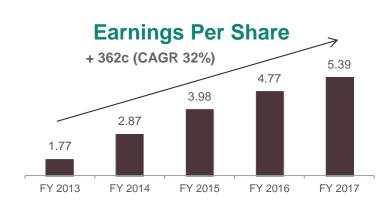


Delivering Significant Shareholder Value

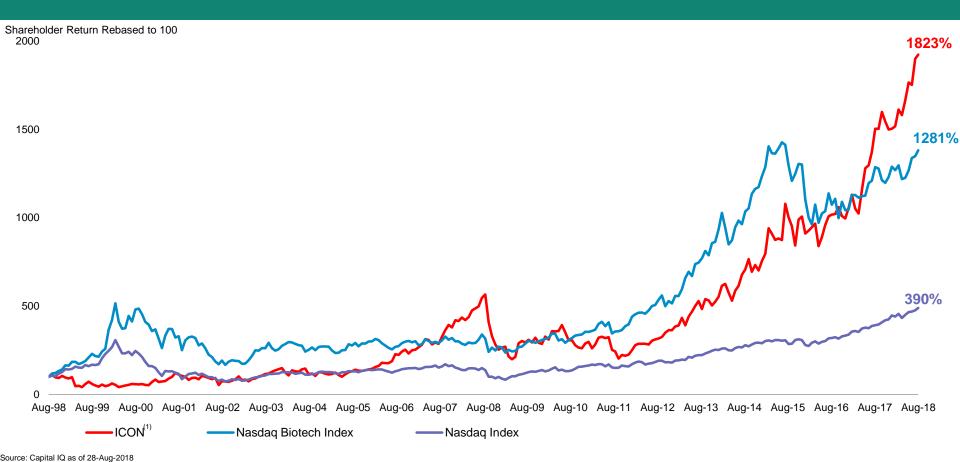








Delivering Significant Share Price Appreciation Over 20 Years



Note 1: Adjusted for stock solits

Widely Recognized as an Industry Leader: 2018 Awards



- Dr. Nuala Murphy for Raising the Bar on Clinical Performance
- Ramita Tandon for Being a Powerful Voice



- Best CRO employer
- Top 10 companies in the 'Drugs & Biotechnology' industry sector ranking



 International Award of Excellence in Pharma Awards



CRO Leadership Award by Life Science Magazine and ISR



- 'Delivering Differently' Company Team of the Year award
- ICON's site network, PMG Research win silver at Site Team of the Year Award



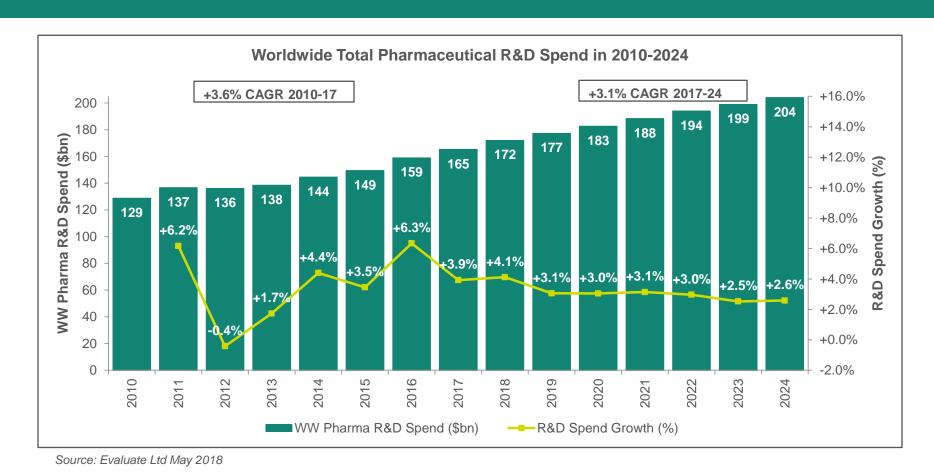
ICON and AMAG honoured as Clinical Research
Team of the Year





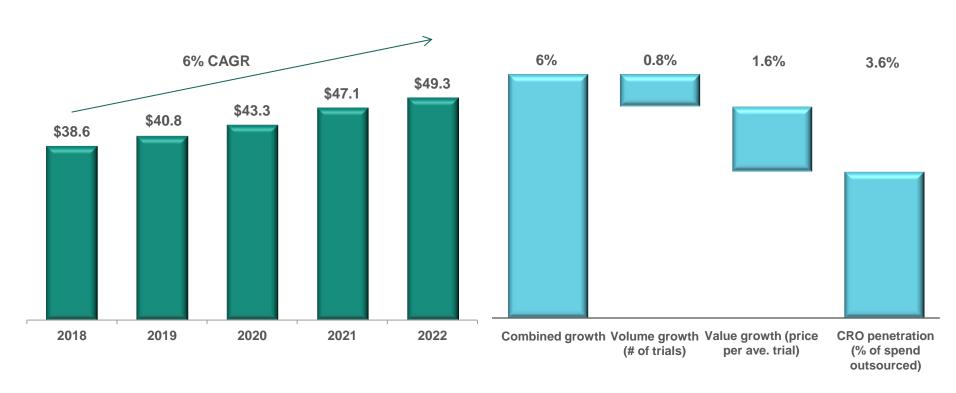
Market Trends and Opportunity

R&D BioPharma Spending to Remain Robust



2018 – 2022: CRO Industry Expected to Grow at 6% p.a.

Fundamentals Remain Healthy



CRO Industry Fundamentals Remain Healthy

Attractive fundamentals: c6% growth driven by:

- Increasing CRO penetration: increasing cost pressures on BioPharma
- Continued momentum in Phase III IV
- Value growth in specialty TAs will intensify
- Strong funding environment
- Increased approval rates and positive mood music from FDA





ICON's Strategy

ICON's Strategy: We Focus on Four Key Areas

Partnership, Customer & Market Focus

Operational Excellence & Quality

Enhanced Capabilities & Expertise

Talent, Leadership Development & Culture



Fostering a Culture of High Performance, Career Development & Leadership Development to Support Growth

Best Talent / Capability in the industry

High Performance

Long Term Growth



Attract

- 'Best' talent & required capability
- Minimize turnover
- Consistent delivery to customers



Develop

- Better leadership depth & agility
- Stronger pipeline of senior leaders and beyond
- Career visibility and progression



Engage

- Winning employees' hearts and minds
- Ongoing feedback & recognition
- Pay for performance



Enable

- Organizational efficiency and effectiveness
- Using data to generate insights

Our Values are Important to Us



Core Themes

Partnerships

Relentless focus on execution

Sustainable growth





Partnership at the Core of ICON's Commercial Success

George McMillan
Chief Commercial Officer

ICON Commercial: Three Key Takeaways

- ICON's competitive differentiation message is "Trusted Partner"
 - · Resonates with large and small pharma
 - Communicates ICON's ability to respond to their specific needs and tailor the joint approach to clinical development
- ICON's consolidated Commercial Division, created in early 2017, tailors the commercial strategies for three separate market segments:
 - Large pharma
 - Mid-sized pharma
 - Emerging/Biotechs
- Sponsors are showing intensified interest in three topics:
 - · Innovative patient recruitment strategies,
 - Exploration and validation of diverse data strategies and new tools/techniques
 - Flexible and innovative models blending FSP and full-service

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ICON Strategic Pillars

Our Values are important to us

We own the challenge – we don't walk past a problem, we fix it.

We are focused on the solution – using data to support our decisions. We are efficient and concise in our processes – we keep it simple.



ICON Differentiation: To Be the Industry's *Trusted Partner*

Listening, understanding and anticipating your needs

Flexible resourcing, organization and approach to meeting your needs

Innovative solutions that improve outcomes

Delivery excellence (the 120% solution)

ICON's Trusted Partner: What It Communicates to the Sponsor



Together we improve outcomes

What are the Most Important CRO Qualities for Biopharma?

Rank & Quality

- Timeliness
- Service Quality
- Technical Proficiency
- Wide geographical coverage
- Network of vendors (for specific services e.g. data management)
- Network of key opinion leaders (doctors, authority members)
- Adaptive trial design capabilities
- Network of sites
- Price competitiveness
- Brand / Reputation

Fundamentals

Qualities necessary for scale and comprehensive service offering

As industry moves from simple to complex studies, expectations for CROs to provide innovative design solutions

Price is not the main differentiator

Case Study: "Trusted Partner" Results in a CRO Refresh

Company: Top 20 International Pharma (never previously an ICON customer)

Objectives of 2017 CRO Review:

- Consolidate and centralize CRO relationships (25 to 2)
- Standardize protocols/processes for consistency and quality
- Find two CROs that could work cooperatively with Sponsor to figure out "envisioned future"

ICON was selected as one of the two CRO partners because:

- ICON's focus on partnership and sponsor's needs differentiated
- ICON has track record of partnerships and particularly its ability to collaborate with other CROs
- ICON was willing to blend the Sponsor's SOPs and IT with its own
- ICON offered both a fully dedicated team, and C-suite involvement

ICON Commercial: Tailored Focused by Market Segment

ICON's recent commercial success is attributable, in no small part, to its focus on addressing three market segments with discrete teams and approaches:

- Large pharma engaged in preferred provider relationship model
- Medium pharma with prioritized high growth potential
- Rapidly-growing bio-pharma

Each is addressed through a distinct team configuration and set of processes

This Commercial Approach has Produced Success

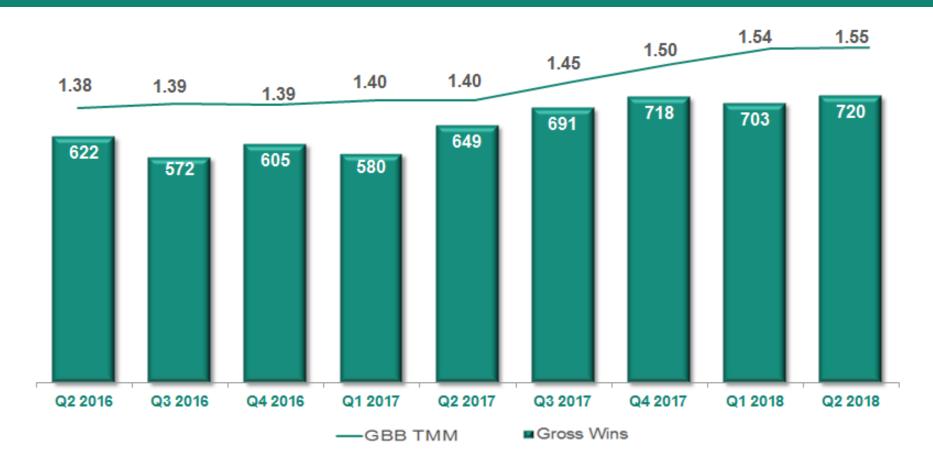
Key Commercial Objectives

- 1. Win and develop more strategic alliance partnerships
- Diversify client base expand relationships among Global Accounts producing increasing base of predictable revenue
- 3. Accelerate growth in faster-growing& strategic market segments

Commercial Progress of ICON—Mid-2017 to Present

- Sustained level of higher bookings resulting in TTM
 NBTB ratio of 1.29X, driving revenue acceleration
- Growth in Top 30 Pharma Partnerships
- New partnerships among the medium-sized pharma companies
- Strong across-the-board demand for ICON's key
 Service Lines, including FSP, Labs and Early Phase

ICON Commercial Success: Gross Business Wins & TTM Book to Bill Ratio



New Product and Service Initiatives Broaden Partnerships

Key Objectives

- 1. Maintain market competitiveness: continue to build capabilities
- Enhance partnership relationships and revenue growth with capacity to demonstrate new capabilities
- Track areas of potential market disruption & develop strategies to address

Progress

- New Drug Development & Consulting Service Offerings:
 - In silico screening of molecular structures for potential genetoxicity
 - Due diligence as a service offering
- New Access, Commercialisation & Communications Practice launched in Late Phase
- Collaboration with Practice Fusion
 Focus areas: Health Research Programs, Real World Registries
- Enhanced Endpoint Adjudication Services
 Using AG Mednet's EAS technology solution
- Advancement in experience and approaches to adaptive trial design and RBM

Key Trends on Sponsor Decision-making Processes

Three topics are emerging in sponsor thinking and decision-making processes regarding CRO selection and evaluation:

- Site and Patient Recruitment Strategy, including ICON's investment in integrated SMO network
- Data ownership and data interrogation, including ICON's experiences
 - Our POV: Focus on data analytics
- Innovative and integrated out-sourcing models

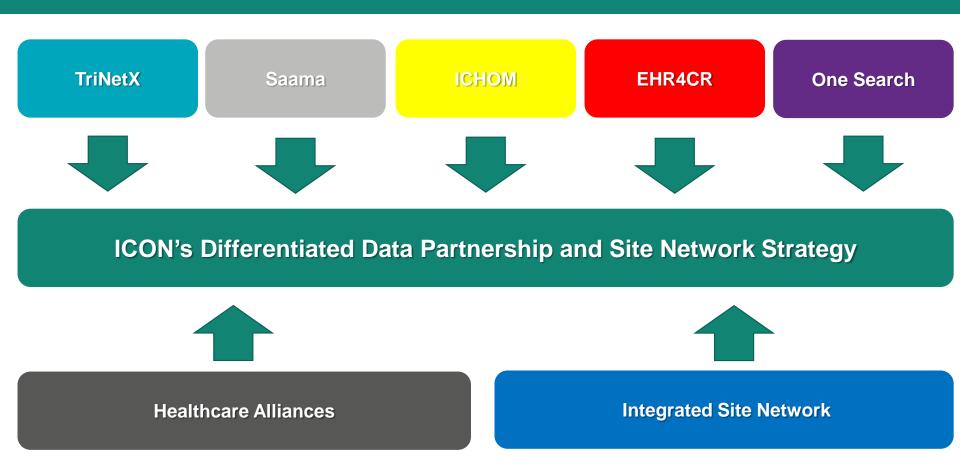




Focus on Execution: ICON's Site & Patient Strategy

Nuala Murphy
President, Clinical Research Services

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ICON's Site and Patient Strategy Benefits

ICON's Integrated Site Network and Healthcare Alliances create specific and tangible benefits to three constituents involved in the clinical trial process

Stakeholder Benefits



- Patients
- Access to better care for management of chronic conditions
- Access to cutting edge health innovation
- Decreased cost of care
 - Increased engagement and satisfaction

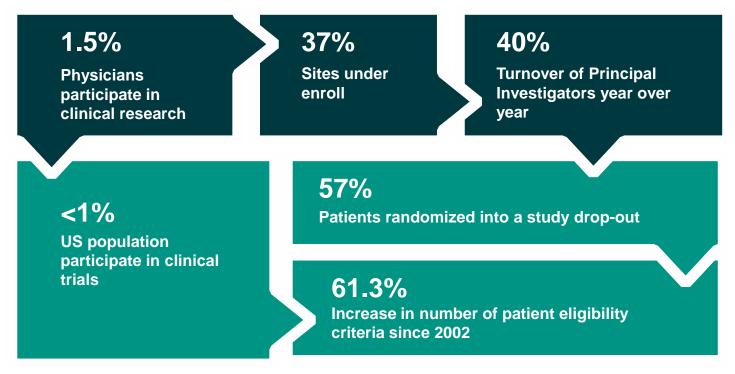


- Healthcare Institutes
- Improved care at lower costs
- Increased patient and physician satisfaction
- Improved patient outcomes
- Scientific contribution



- **Industry**
- Trials enroll faster = Faster time to market
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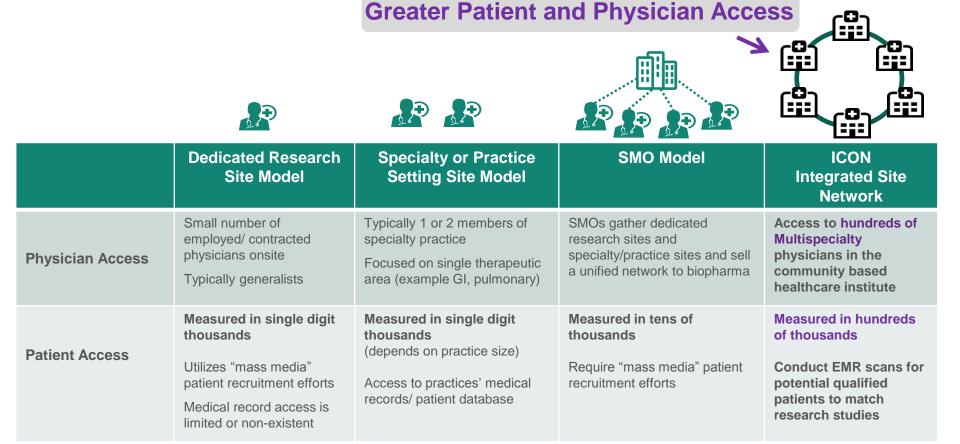
Client Challenge: Physician and Patient Engagement



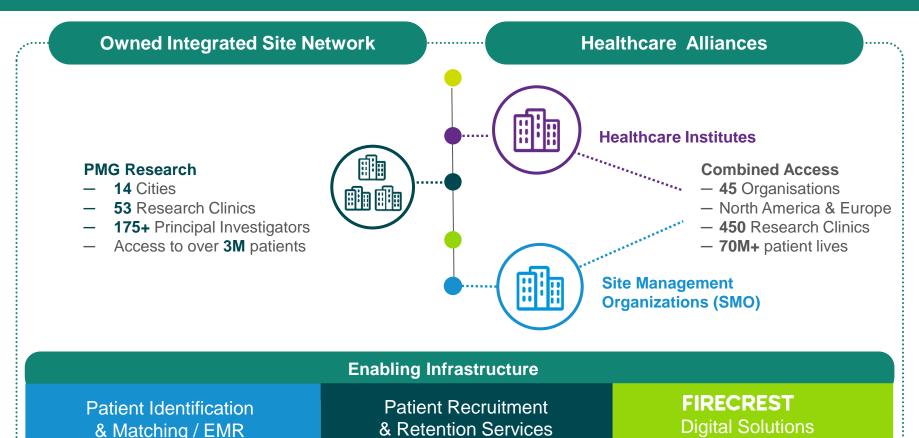
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- (2) Research from Tufts CSSD Characterizes Effectiveness and Variability of Patient Recruitment and Retention Practices [Accessed Jan 2013]. http://csdd.tufts.edu/news/complete_story/pr_ir_jan-feb_2013
- (3) Tufts CSDD, March 2017, Getz, et al

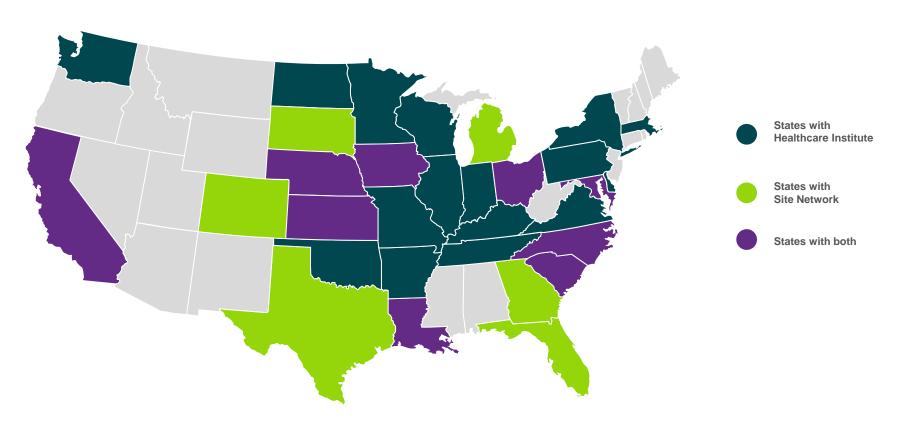
Site Models - Comparison Physician and Patient Access



ICON Site & Patient Strategy Improving Clinical Trial Predictability by Driving Site Performance



Healthcare Alliances – North America Expanding geographical coverage

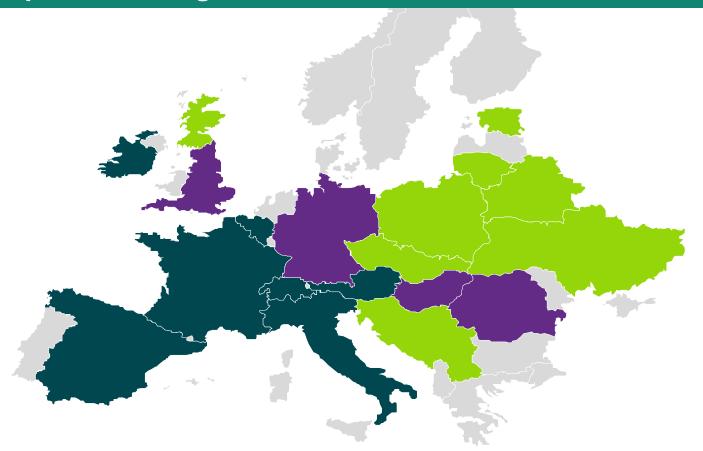


Healthcare Alliances – Europe Expanding geographical coverage

Countries with
Healthcare Institute

Countries with Site Network

Countries with both



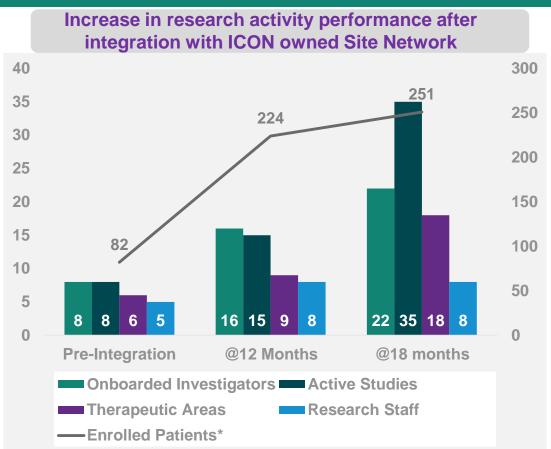
Case Study: ICON Integrated Site Network Improving Site Performance and Patient Engagement

About Healthcare Institute:

- Multispecialty
- 170 providers serving 400,000 patients
- 40 departments; 35 specialties
- Existing Research Department



Increase in patient engagement







ICON's Integrated Site Network

ICON Integrated Site Network Infrastructure, Methodology and Specialist Services

- Standardized technology and processes
 - 39 years experience
- Highly-trained, dedicated research staff provide site-based clinical research services to healthcare systems (site)
- Site-based central research services providing:
 - Research study sourcing, feasibility and EMR query tools
 - Training
 - Quality Management System
 - Budget and contract negotiation
 - IT and human resources
 - Patient engagement, recruitment and retention

Recent Development: DuPage Medical (Chicago, IL) Selects ICON Site Network to Boost Clinical Research Services – March 2018

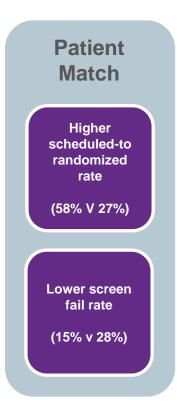
- Client benefit increased access
 - 700+ physicians (currently 15 physicians conducting research)
 - Additional 1M+ patient lives through EMR
 - 60+ specialties including Oncology and CNS
- DuPage patient benefit
 - Cutting edge clinical research opportunities in a community based setting rather than having to travel to tertiary centers

Tumor Type	New Cases 2017			
Breast	581			
Prostate	389			
Lung	238			
Colon	203			
Bladder	112			
Kidney/Renal Pelvis	75			
Pancreatic	42			
Stomach	30			
Uterine	27			
Esophogeal	18			
Liver	11			
Ovarian	5			

ICON Site Network: Increased Reach and Patient Matching for Trials

- More efficient recruitment spending and improved study performance
 - 32% decrease in recruitment cost per randomized patient
 - 63% increase in practice/EMR outreach tactics deployed
 - 9% increase in database outreach tactics deployed
 - 59% increase in number of patients randomized
- Increased enrollment from practice and network database
 - Database: 46% of randomized patients
 - Practice: 25% of randomized patients
 - Advertising: 5% of randomized patients

EHR Patient Reach 32% Increase 2016 Over 2015 69% Increase 2017 Over 2016



Improving Site and Patient Identification & Selection Benefit: Better Protocol Design, Country Selection and Realistic Prediction



Data driven decisions

Health Information Technology Collaboration

- TriNetX, EHR4CR, EH2EDC

Feasibility Intelligence Tools

One Search, Feasibility Intelligence Tool (FIT), Pre-Screen,
 Trial Trove, Monte-Carlo simulations

Study Design and Protocol Evaluation with Site Network

- Direct access to Investigators to review study operations and resolve standard of care questions
- Access to patient population to query study procedures and patient centric approaches
- Time and motion programs to evaluate patient and site burden

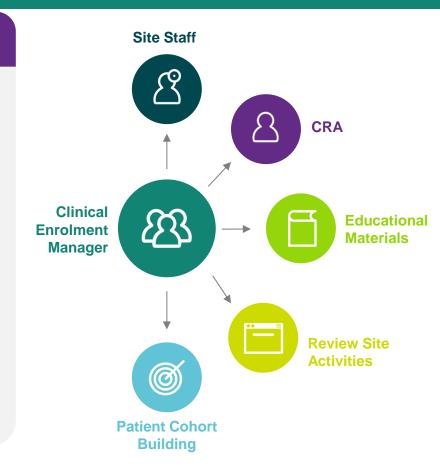
Quality control

- Site performance data analysis
 - Quantifying based on patient identification and validating sites' access to patients

Patient Recruitment Specialist Staff Trained and Experienced to Deal with Unique Challenges

Clinical Enrolment Managers (CEM) Model

- Translate protocol requirements into the sites' daily routine
- Develop site specific recruitment strategy based on local resourcing, site infra-structure and recruitment potential
- Collaborate and exchange information
- Review and identify gaps in site process for patient identification and develop corrective action plan
- Work with local centers to facilitate referrals to main center
- Review site pre-screening process to identify potential subjects
- Support sites remotely or on site as necessary



Digital Solutions to Drive Site Performance



Case Study: Recent Example Client Benefits from Enterprise Solution

FIRECREST



Cost Reduction Training

47%



Increased Compliance Training



Reduction Protocol Deviations



Cost Reduction

Document Distribution

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The Future: ICON Site & Patient Solutions Continued Investment and Expansion of Capability

Build on the success of site network model aligned with client portfolio:

- Geographical expansion
 - Western Europe
 - Asia Pacific China and Japan site support services
- Therapeutic enhancement
 - Focus on Oncology and CNS indications
- Continue to strengthen enablement infrastructure

Support virtual visits and virtual studies

- ePRO, Wearables and BYOD
- Provide at-home services to reduce patient burden
- Combining research professionals in a diverse geographic footprint with patient recruiting outreach services and technology







Innovation: Organisational and Trial Efficiencies

Tom O'Leary Chief Information Officer

Automation has Revolutionized Other Industries



11K Cars Per Week in 1916



106K Cars Per Week in 2016

- 1,800 American car manufacturers between 1896 & 1930: only 9 main ones today.
- Automation revolutionised the car industry and drove success for companies that adopted & perfected early.

Digital Technology Driving Change.....



Automation - Takes Many Forms & Enables Numerous Opportunities





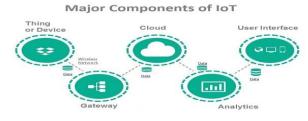














Robotic Process Automation, AI & Machine Learning

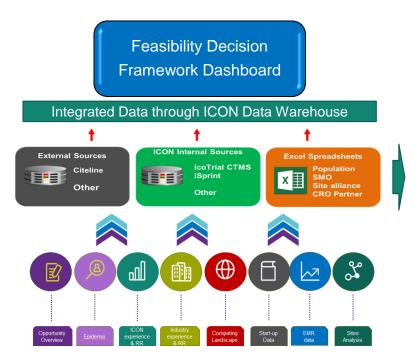
The workforce transitions as digital Al and robotics create new jobs and cause existing jobs to disappear



Automation Advantage....

- First to successfully apply automation will have a distinct competitive advantage in CRO space
 - First mover advantage
- Automation in the CRO & trial space will achieve
 - Cheaper, faster and on-time trials with reduced administration headcount requirements.
 - Better compliance tighter real time automated controls
 - Any deviations highlighted real time With appropriate remediation proposed
 - Ability to centrally govern with real time progress and status updates available
 - Faster efficacy data centrally available

ICON One Search - Leveraging AI & Machine Learning for Better Process and Decision Making





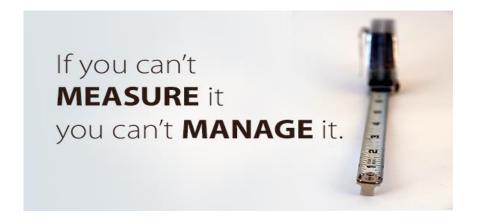






Monitoring and Managing Performance - Metrics

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– Why Measure Performance ?

- What gets measured gets done
- Effective decision making
- Guide people's behaviour proactively
- Reduce administration effort

Monitoring and Managing Performance - Metrics

Operational Excellence:

Predictability & transparency

- Data accuracy / quality / timeliness
- Centralised data & applied analytics capability
 - 1. Rationalise the reports
 - 2. Vertical alignment
 - 3. Review technology & data flows
- Risk protection / project governance
 - Risk scorecards
 - 2. Strengthen reporting
 - 3. Advancing ICONIK / RBM



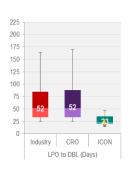
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Productivity	Samples per FTE	Monthly	>= 485 (Samples/FTE)	opported in	551 +36 pt	437 FTE (+3)		+24% +107 pt
Quality	Amended Reports - DPMO	Monthly	<= 85 (Defects/Im Ops		11 -37 pt	980349 opp. (+26963)		+120% +6 pt
Time	Report Safety Results next day	Monthly	>= 98% (On Time/Total)		99.5% 0.7 pt	671671 tests (+14173)	ICL Only	0% -0.1 pt
	Report TAT (% within 30 days)	Rolling 3 Month	>= 90% (On Time/Total)		92.6% +1 pt	54 reports (-16/+21)	IBL Only	+106% +47.6 pt
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Head of Data is accountable for the data & information

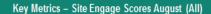
The Results....Speak for Themselves



- Greater Transparency
- Information and Insights
- Better Data Currency
- Holistic Perspective Portfolio
- Higher levels of Accountability
- · Identifies areas to further improve
- Improved Customer Engagement Scores
- Driving more Opportunities

















All (Pl, Sub I, CoOrd, Nursa, Other)

70% of principal investigators consider ICON to be CRO of First Choice. 82% consider ICON Top 2 Sessed of 60 completed surveys in August





Virtual Trials

As the World is Becoming Virtual – So are Clinical Trials



The world's largest taxi company owns no vehicles



The world's largest accommodation provider, owns no properties



The fastest clinical trials in the world are operating without sites

New Ways of Working – Relationships & Collaborations







VALIDIC







ICON Innovation collaborates with best in class to identify the transformational solution











Wearable and Sensor Capability

Accelerometer Data Mapping

Accelerometer data into EDC

Machine Learning

• Tremor surrogate, Scratching

Pain App

Smartwatch mobile pain management tool

Gait Assessment

Insoles

Passive Monitoring

Smart-home IOT Technology



Wearable and Sensor Partnerships

Multi-Sensor Respiratory Study Actigraphy/ePRO Pain Study Multi-Sensor/App study Place-shifting study (REACHES) Market Intelligence Initiatives





Break and Demonstrations





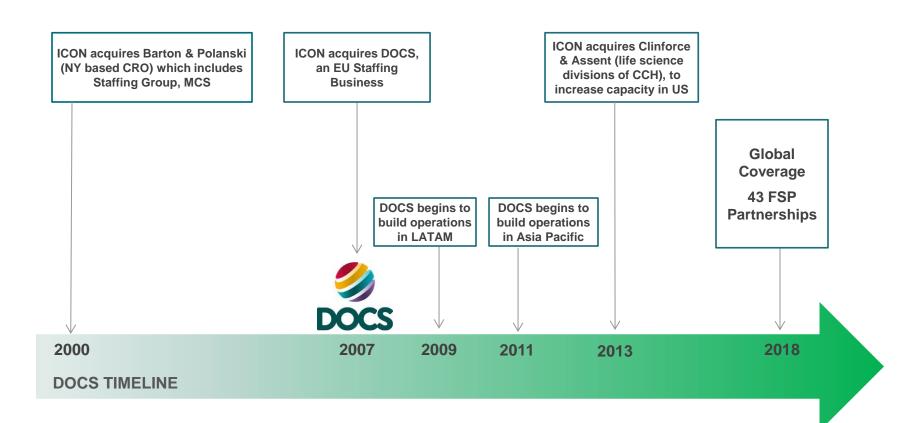
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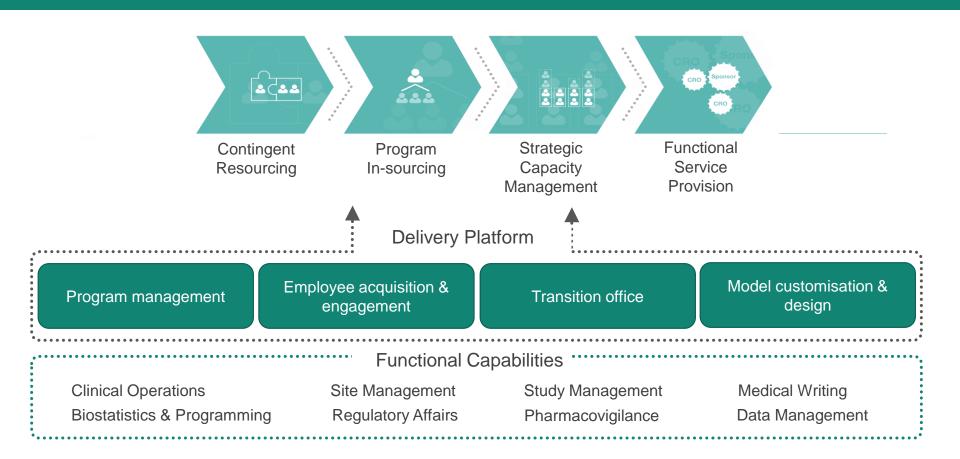
Agenda

- ICON's FSP service line an overview
 - DOCS history and timeline
 - Services and Experience
- The FSP market
 - Market and Customer Buying Trends
 - ICON's internal view and strategy
- Enterprise level discussions
 - Delivery of integrated solutions Full service and FSP
 - Benefits and advantages to customers
 - Our differentiators
- Summary

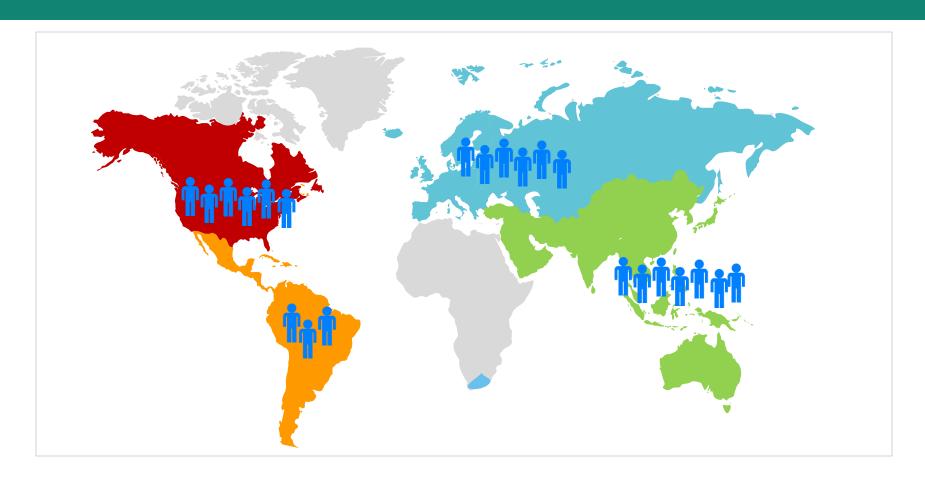
The DOCS Story



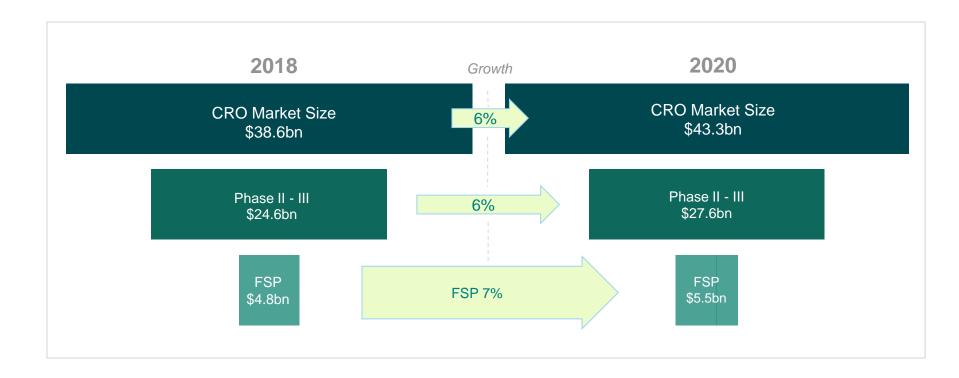
DOCS: FSP and Strategic Resourcing in ICON



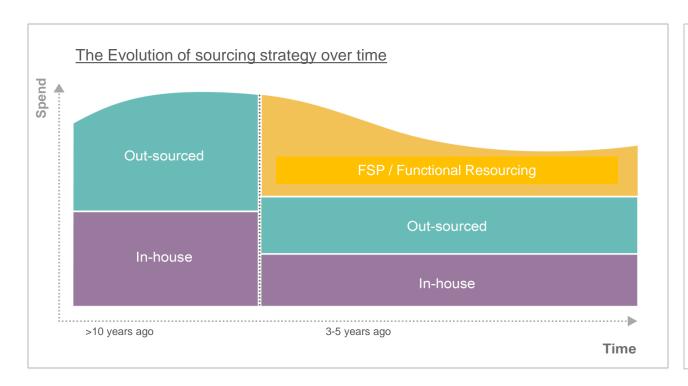
Coverage & Staff Distribution



The Market



FSP Emerging as a Meaningful Sourcing Strategy



- Traditional binary "make / buy" models have become outdated
- Staffing spend has consolidated under FSP models
- Customers use Functional models to flex to changing demands, and often as an extension of their in house activity
- Allows reduction of fixed cost of permanent headcount

Market View and Trends

Pharma consolidating staffing providers and "creating" FSPs

 FSP 2.0 models emerging to include some elements of Full Service Models

Deeper understanding of models driving maturity in selection process

FSP models are varied, and often unique

The ICON FSP Strategy

Sell Integrated Enterprise Solutions

- Continue our strategy of selling Integrated Enterprise Solutions to Top 20 Pharma
- Target customers who buy at scale

FSP 2.0

- Continue to evolve FSP models for established customers
- Design customised, innovative FSP models for new FSP buyers

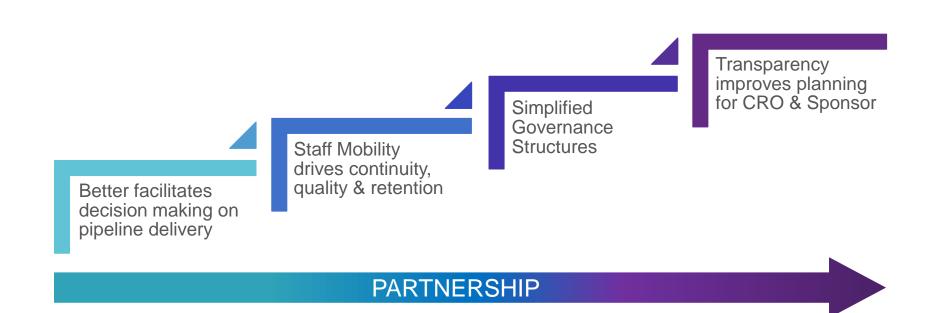
Enhance capability

- Grow Asian footprint and capability
- Focus on growth functional areas,
 e.g. Medical Writing

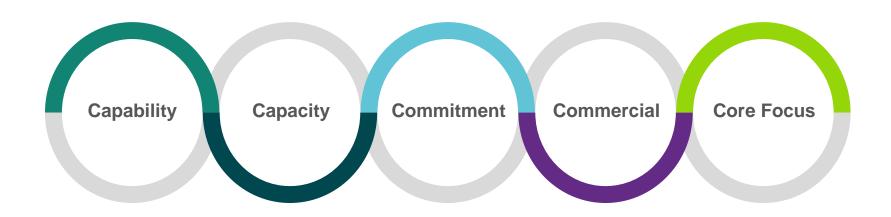
Integrated Enterprise Solutions

- In 2018, Customers buy a variety of services, in different ways, from multiple suppliers – FSP / Full Service
- An Integrated Enterprise Solution positions ICON as the sole or primary provider of all of these services:
 - FSP & Full Service are complementary, not opposing models
 - Recognises the efficiency of one provider operating multiple sourcing models
 - Allows us to better leverage our GBS structure and Functional Expertise
 - Solidifies our position with the customer »» resistance to sourcing cycles

Benefits of Integrated Enterprise Solutions



Key Differentiators of our Integrated Enterprise Solution



Experience of delivering integrated models

Expert, flexible resources, globally available

We guarantee key resourcing and quality deliverables

Incentivise Awards in enterprise models

DOCS is a unique and dedicated FSP business unit

Integrated FSP Model Summary

- DOCS has enjoyed solid growth over recent years
- The market and customer buying trends continue to offer opportunities
- Our strategy focuses on selling Integrated Enterprise Solutions and a continued evolution of FSP models with existing customers

 We differentiate on the strength of our experience, core competence and brand





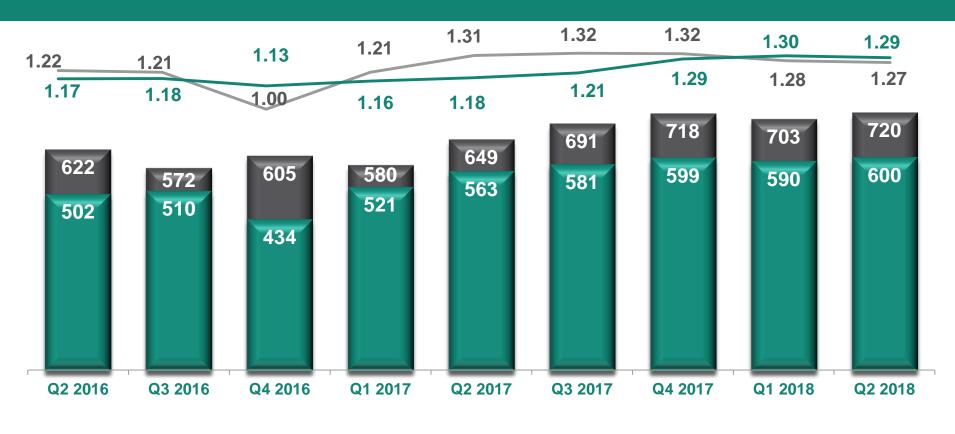
Financial Update

Brendan Brennan
Chief Financial Officer

ICON's Financial Objectives



Net & Gross Business Wins, Net & TTM Book to Bill Ratios



—NBB —NBB TTM ■ Gross Wins ■ Net Wins

Backlog Growth



% Conversion of Opening Backlog

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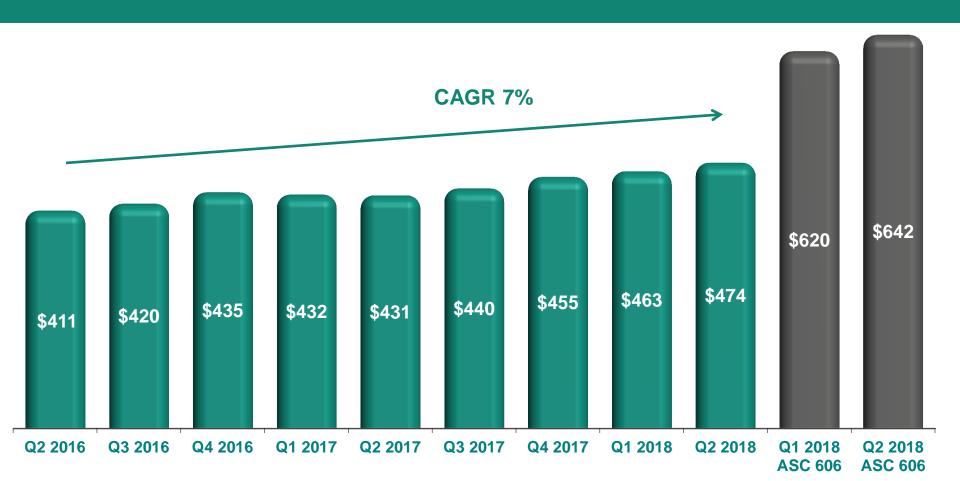
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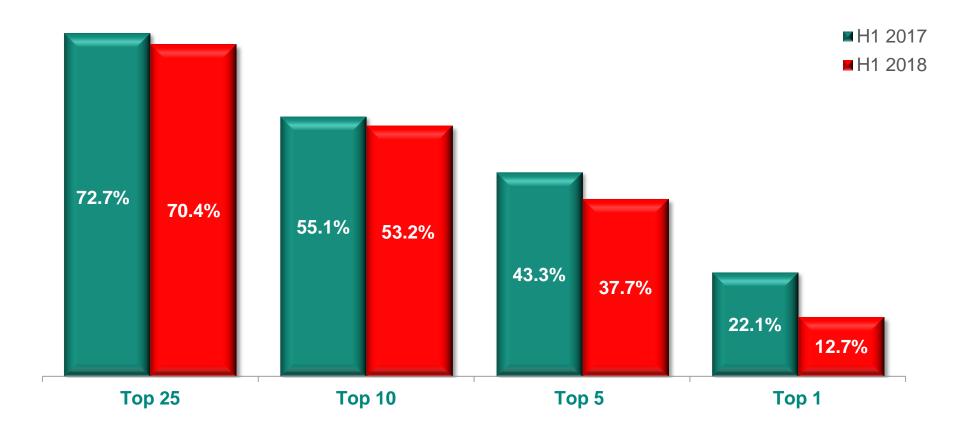
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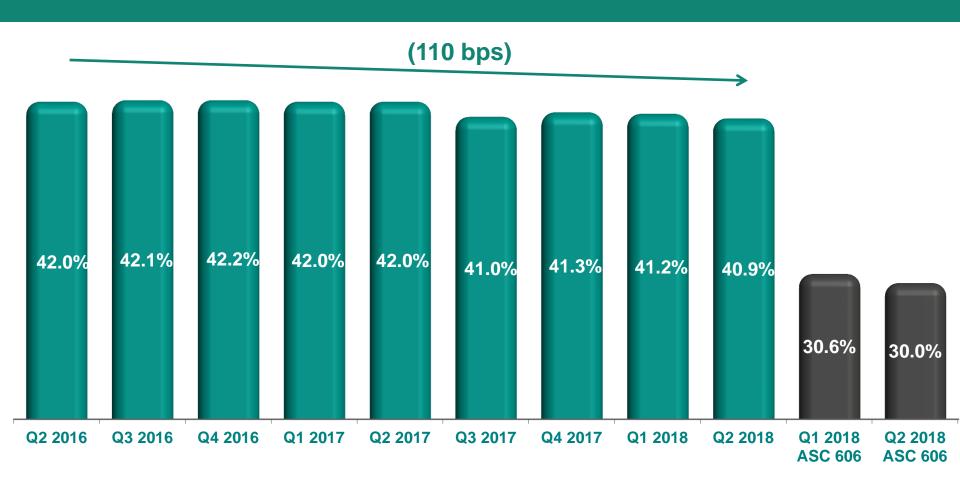
Net Revenue Growth



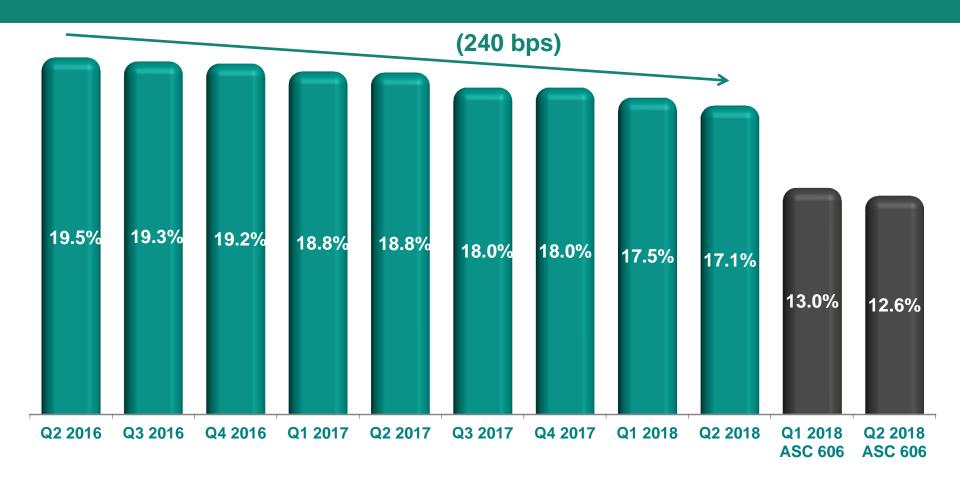
Client Concentration: % Revenue (excluding impact of ASC 606)



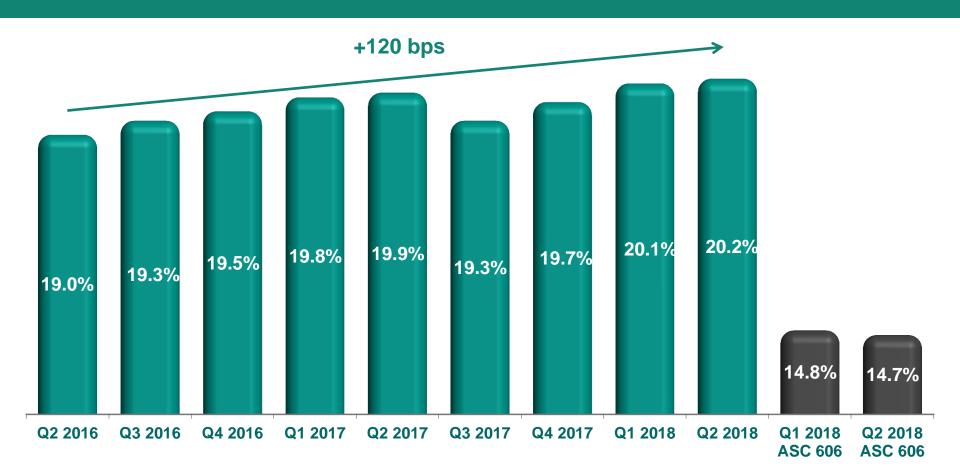
Quarterly Gross Margin



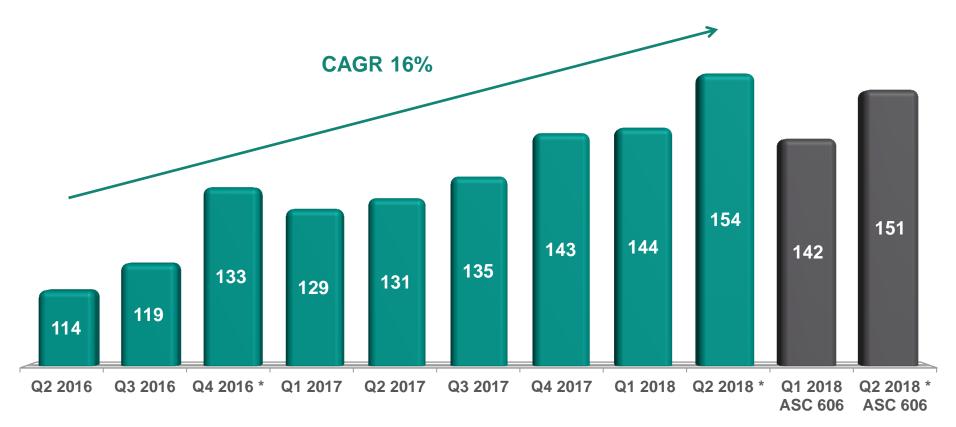
SG&A: % of Revenue



Operating Margin Expansion



Earnings Per Share Growth



^{*} Q2 2018 includes 3c tax upside, Q4 16 includes 7c tax upside

Future Growth: Organic & Targeted M&A

Organic

- Continued focus on Innovation & operational excellence
- Expand & renew strategic partnerships
- Further expansion mid-tier, biotech & specialty pharma
- Expand Lab services, devices and late phase services
- Accelerate growth in APAC

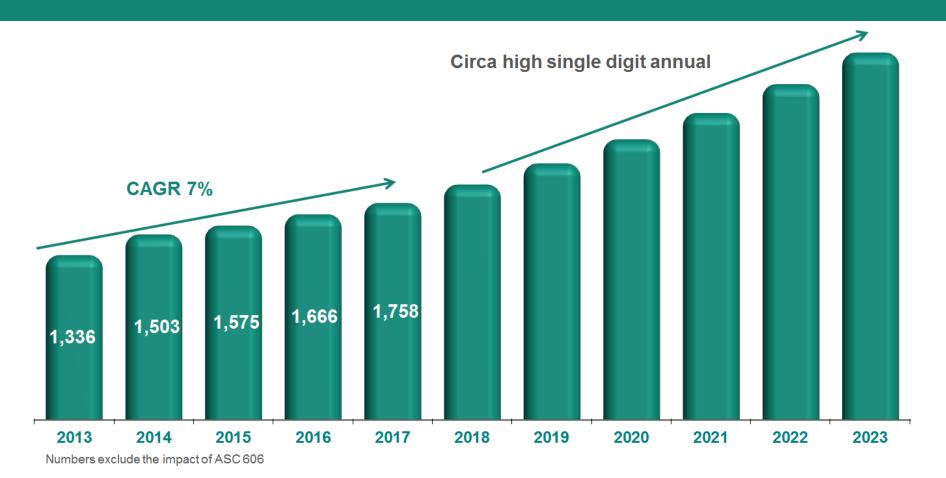
M&A: Potential areas

- Expanding our site network
- Therapeutic / Market Segments
- Targeted Geographic Expansion
- Medical Devices
- Specialty labs
- Data analytics

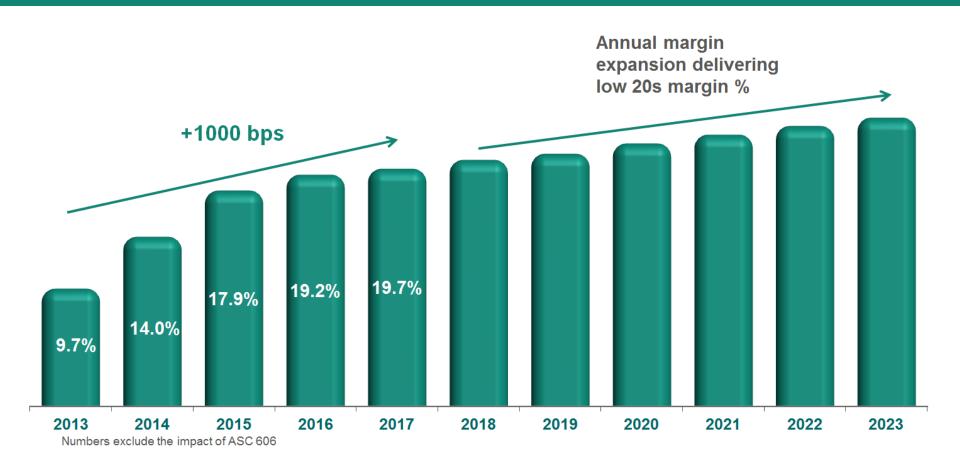
Future Growth: What Objectives Do We Want to Achieve in ICON?

- 1) To be able to continue to book new business at a rate of at least 1.25x to revenue.
- 2) Conversion will remain broadly in the region of 9.5%
- 3) Gross margins will remain at similar levels to those seen in 2018.
- 4) SG&A will continue to be a focus area allowing for leverage and innovation.
- 5) Operating margins will continue to climb in the low 20% as a result of the above
- 6) Tax rate will remain at current levels of 12%
- 7) ICON's buyback policy will generally hold the share count in the region of 55 million shares.

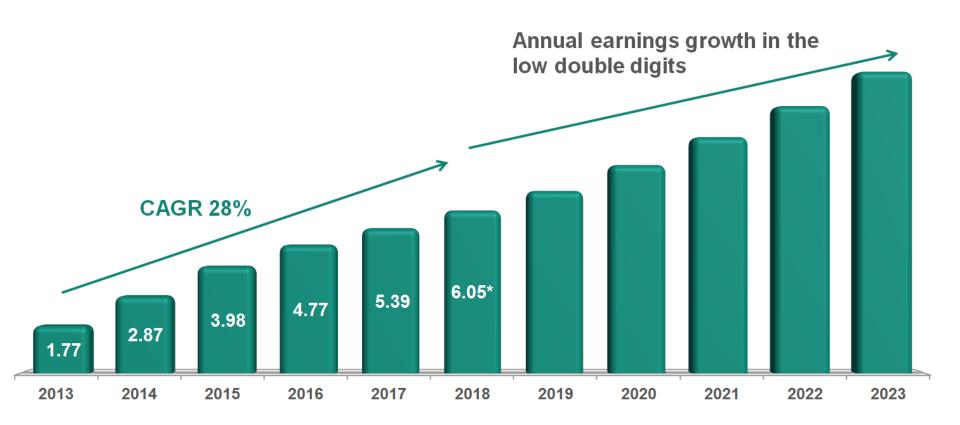
Net Revenue Growth Targets



Operating Margin Expansion Targets



EPS Expansion Targets



Key Financial Takeaways

- Strong historical financial performance delivery best in class margins and cash conversion
 - ➤ Significant share price appreciation: 263% over the last 5 years.
- Clear financial goals set for future delivery
 - Sustainable revenue and EPS growth
 - Continued leverage of our SG&A
- Clear policy of M&A lead capital deployment
 - Solid balance sheet with significant ability to deploy, being a key differential to our peer group.
- Clean financial reporting, with unadjusted numbers
 - Investment grade ratings from Moody's (Baa3 stable) and S&P (BBB- Stable)

FY 2018 Guidance Under ASC 606

	Guidance	% YOY Increase
Revenue	\$2,560m - \$2,640m	7% - 10%
EPS	\$5.98 - \$6.12	11% - 14%





Q&A

ICON Leadership Team





Wrap Up

Steve Cutler, CEO

Key Takeaways

- Partnerships
- Relentless focus on execution

Sustainable growth



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