ICON Q4 and Full Year Results Period Ended December 31st, 2021

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This presentation includes selected non-GAAP financial measures. For a presentation of the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures, please refer to the press release statement headed Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations. Please refer to the Appendix of this presentation for reconciliations of Non-GAAP financial measures contained herein to the most directly comparable GAAP measures. While non-GAAP financial measures are not superior to or a substitute for the comparable GAAP measures, we believe certain non-GAAP information is more useful to investors for historical comparison purposes.

To assist investors and analysts with year-over-year comparability for the merged business, we have included Combined Company information. These measures include financial information that combines the stand-alone ICON plc and PRA Health Sciences, Inc. information for revenue and Adjusted EBITDA, and other metrics as if the merger had taken place on January 1, 2020, with conforming adjustments to the current year presentation. Specifically, these financials represent the simple addition of the historical adjusted financials of each company. These combined financials are not intended to represent pro forma financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP or Regulation S-X. Our full-year 2022 guidance measures (other than revenue) are provided on a non-GAAP basis without a reconciliation to the most directly comparable GAAP measure because the company is unable to predict with a reasonable degree of certainty certain items contained in the GAAP measures without unreasonable efforts. Such items include, but are not limited to, transaction-related / integration-related expenses, restructuring and related expenses, and other items not reflective of the company's ongoing operations.

Backlog Metrics







Note: Pre July 1 2021 revenue relates to Legacy ICON only

Client Concentration



Percentage of Revenue

Note: Pre July 1 2021 revenue relates to Legacy ICON only



Notes: (a) Pre July 1 2021 revenue and EBITDA margins relates to Legacy ICON only

(b) All values exclude amortization, stock compensation, restructuring, FX and transaction-related / integration-related costs



Notes: (a) Pre July 1 2021 EPS relates to Legacy ICON only

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Balance Sheet and Cash Flow

\$m (unless otherwise stated)	Q4 2021 31-Dec-21	Q3 2021 30-Sep-21	Q4 2020 31-Dec-20
Cash and Cash Equivalents	752.2	1,008.5	840.3
Short-Term Investments	1.7	1.7	1.7
Total Debt	(5,436.3)	(5,927.9)	(348.5)
Net (Debt) / Cash	(4,682.4)	(4,917.6)	493.6
Net Debt / TTM Adj EBITDA Ratio (inc. synergies)	3.4x	3.7x	NA
Cash from Operating Activities	289.8	299.0	151.5
Capital Expenditure	47.7	24.4	23.0
DSO (days)	31	26	57

Notes: (a) Q4 2020 values relate to Legacy ICON only (b) DSO presented on a comparable basis

FY 2022 Guidance

	FY 2021	FY 2022	% increase
Revenue	\$5,481m	\$7,770m - \$8,050m	+41.8% - +46.9% +44.3% at midpoint
Adjusted EPS	\$9.65	\$11.55 - \$11.95	+19.7% - +23.8% +21.8% at midpoint

Adjusted earnings per share excludes amortization, stock compensation, FX and transaction-related / integration-related costs

Key Financial Targets



Mid-term Growth Targets

- Revenue CAGR: high single digits
- Adj. EBITDA CAGR: low-teens
- Adj. EPS CAGR: mid-teens +

Leverage

- Target of <3x net debt / Adj. EBITDA by end of 2022

Cost & Revenue Synergies

- \$150mm run-rate cost synergies fully realized in ~4 years
 - c\$75mm run-rate synergies realized by end of 2022
- Estimated \$100mm run-rate revenue synergies fully realized in ~4 years

Tax Outlook

- 16.5% tax rate in 2022

Appendices

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures (Revenue & EBITDA)

		2020						2021					
\$m except share and per share data	Q1 2020	Q2 2020	Q3 2020	Q4 2020	FY 2020	Q1 2021	Q2 2021	Q3 2021	Q4 2021	FY 2021			
Adjusted revenue													
Revenue, as reported	715.1	620.2	701.7	760.2	2,797.3	858.2	871.2	1,866.4	1,885.1	5,480.8			
Acquisition related deferred revenue adjustment (a)								4.0	(4.0)	(0.0)			
Adjusted revenue	715.1	620.2	701.7	760.2	2,797.3	858.2	871.2	1,870.4	1,881.1	5,480.8			
Adjusted EBITDA													
Net income/(loss) attributable to the Group	91.7	47.8	91.6	101.2	332.3	97.1	73.9	(94.3)	76.5	153.2			
Net income/(loss) attributable to non-controlling interest	0.6	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-			
Share of equity method investments	-	-	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.7	2.2			
Provision for income taxes	12.6	6.4	13.7	15.2	47.9	16.1	14.1	(3.6)	14.6	41.3			
Net interest expense ^(b)	1.4	2.8	3.0	3.2	10.3	2.5	24.4	102.3	52.8	181.8			
Depreciation and amortization	16.3	15.9	16.8	17.1	66.1	17.4	17.3	140.6	139.7	315.0			
Stock-based compensation expense (c)	6.6	7.5	7.3	6.4	27.8	6.8	8.8	26.4	19.4	61.4			
Foreign currency losses (gains), net ^(d)	3.0	1.3	0.6	1.0	6.0	(1.1)	1.9	(7.2)	(8.0)	(14.3)			
Restructuring ^(e)	-	18.1	-	-	18.1	-	-	6.2	24.9	31.1			
Acquisition related deferred revenue adjustment ^(a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	(4.0)	(0.0)			
Transaction-related / integration-related costs ^(f)	(0.9)	0.0	0.4	(0.3)	(0.8)	12.5	20.0	149.8	16.0	198.3			
Adjusted EBITDA	131.4	99.8	133.5	144.1	508.8	151.7	160.9	324.9	332.5	970.0			
Adjusted EBITDA Margin %	18.4%	16.1%	19.0%	19.0%	18.2%	17.7%	18.5%	17.4%	17.7%	17.7%			

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures (Net Income & EPS)

			2020					2021		
\$m except share and per share data	Q1 2020	Q2 2020	Q3 2020	Q4 2020	FY 2020	Q1 2021	Q2 2021	Q3 2021	Q4 2021	FY 2021
Adjusted net income attributable to the Group and adjusted diluted net	·									
income per Ordinary Share attributable to the Group										
Net income attributable to the Group	91.7	47.8	91.6	101.2	332.3	97.1	73.9	(94.3)	76.5	153.2
Provision for income taxes	12.6	6.4	13.7	15.2	47.9	16.1	14.1	(3.6)	14.6	41.3
Amortisation	4.9	4.6	4.9	4.8	19.2	4.7	4.1	115.9	114.9	239.5
Stock-based compensation expense ^(c)	6.6	7.5	7.3	6.4	27.8	6.8	8.8	26.4	19.4	61.4
Foreign currency losses (gains), net ^(d)	3.0	1.3	0.6	1.0	6.0	(1.1)	1.9	(7.2)	(8.0)	(14.3)
Restructuring ^(e)	-	18.1	-	-	18.1	-	-	6.2	24.9	31.1
Acquisition related deferred revenue adjustment ^(a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	(4.0)	(0.0)
Transaction-related / integration-related costs ^(f)	(0.9)	0.0	0.4	(0.3)	(0.8)	12.5	20.0	149.8	16.0	198.3
Transaction-related financing costs ^(g)						0.4	22.1	55.8	8.5	86.7
Adjusted tax expense ^(h)	(15.0)	(10.7)	(16.1)	(16.7)	(58.5)	(20.9)	(22.0)	(43.1)	(44.8)	(130.8)
Adjusted net income attributable to the Group	103.0	75.0	102.4	111.7	392.1	115.7	122.9	209.8	218.0	666.4
Diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares outstanding	53,905,022	53,028,567	53,194,327	53,291,849	53,283,585	53,310,453	53,381,501	82,293,287	82,827,674	
Adjusted diluted net income per Ordinary Share attributable to the Group	1.91	1.42	1.92	2.10	7.36	2.17	2.30	2.55	2.63	9.65

Note: Earnings per share for FY 2021 reflects sum of earnings per share for the four quarters of 2021. FY 2021 EPS calculated using the diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares in 2021 would be higher at \$9.79

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures (Combined Company)

			2020				2021			
\$m except share and per share data	Q1 2020	Q2 2020	Q3 2020	Q4 2020	FY 2020	Q1 2021	Q2 2021	Q3 2021	Q4 2021	FY 2021
Combined Company adjusted revenue										
Revenue, as reported	715.1	620.2	701.7	760.2	2,797.3	858.2	871.2	1,866.4	1,885.1	5,480.8
Pre-merger PRA Health Sciences Revenue	783.7	729.9	796.3	873.5	3,183.4	933.8	1,047.4	-	-	1,981.2
Combined Company Revenue, before adjustments	1,498.8	1,350.1	1,498.0	1,633.7	5,980.7	1,792.0	1,918.6	1,866.4	1,885.1	7,462.0
Acquisition related deferred revenue adjustment ^(a)								4.0	(4.0)	(0.0)
Combined Company adjusted revenue	1,498.8	1,350.1	1,498.0	1,633.7	5,980.7	1,792.0	1,918.6	1,870.4	1,881.1	7,462.0
Combined adjusted EBITDA										
Net income/(loss) attributable to the Group, as reported	91.7	47.8	91.6	101.2	332.3	97.1	73.9	(94.3)	76.5	153.2
Pre-merger PRA Health Sciences Net income attributable to the Group	40.7	13.9	91.3	51.3	197.0	56.9	71.1	-	-	128.0
Combined Company Net income/(loss) attributable to the Group	132.4	61.6	182.9	152.5	529.4	154.1	144.9	(94.3)	76.5	281.2
Net income/(loss) attributable to non-controlling interest	0.6	-	-	-	0.6	-	-	-	-	-
Share of equity method investments	-	-	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.7	2.2
Provision for income taxes	29.5	13.5	26.8	40.1	109.8	35.8	1.1	(3.6)	14.6	48.0
Net interest expense ^(b)	14.9	14.7	13.7	10.7	53.9	7.7	29.0	102.3	52.8	191.7
Depreciation and amortization	48.6	48.3	50.1	50.7	197.8	50.0	50.5	140.6	139.7	380.7
Stock-based compensation expense ^(c)	22.1	23.4	26.6	25.2	97.2	25.6	27.5	26.4	19.4	98.9
Foreign currency losses (gains), net ^(d)	(4.8)	12.1	9.7	14.5	31.5	(13.4)	8.0	(7.2)	(8.0)	(20.6)
Restructuring ^(e)	-	18.1	-	-	18.1	-	-	6.2	24.9	31.1
Acquisition related deferred revenue adjustment ^(a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4.0	(4.0)	(0.0)
Transaction-related / integration-related costs ^(f)	0.5	0.4	(44.3)	1.2	(42.2)	25.9	43.4	149.8	16.0	235.1
Combined Company adjusted EBITDA	243.7	192.2	265.5	295.0	996.4	285.9	305.1	324.9	332.5	1,248.4
Combined Company adjusted EBITDA Margin %	16.3%	14.2%	17.7%	18.1%	16.7%	16.0%	15.9%	17.4%	17.7%	16.7%

Q4 and FY 2021 Adjusted Net Income Reconciliation

		Q4 2021		FY 2021				
\$m except share and per share data	GAAP	Adjustments	Non-GAAP	GAAP	Adjustments	Non-GAAP		
Revenue (a)	1,885.1	(4.0)	1,881.1	5,480.8	(0.0)	5,480.8		
Costs and expenses:								
Direct costs (excluding depreciation and amotization) ^(c)	1,357.3	(5.7)	1,351.6	3,972.6	(20.0)	3,952.6		
Selling, general and administrative expense ^{(c),(d)}	202.7	(5.7)	197.0	585.4	(27.1)	558.3		
Depreciation and amortization	139.7	(114.9)	24.8	315.0	(239.5)	75.5		
Transaction and integration-related expenses ^(f)	16.0	(16.0)	-	198.3	(198.3)	-		
Restructuring ^(e)	24.9	(24.9)	-	31.1	(31.1)	-		
Total costs and expenses	1,740.6	(167.2)	1,573.4	5,102.3	(516.0)	4,586.3		
Income from operations	144.5	163.2	307.8	378.5	516.0	894.5		
Net interest expense ^{(b),(g)}	(52.8)	8.5	(44.3)	(181.8)	86.7	(95.1)		
(Loss) income before provision for income taxes	91.8	171.7	263.5	196.7	602.7	799.4		
Benefits arising/(provision) for income taxes ^(h)	(14.6)	(30.2)	(44.8)	(41.3)	(89.5)	(130.8)		
(Loss) income before share of earnings from equity method investments	77.2	141.5	218.7	155.3	513.2	668.6		
Share of equity method investments	(0.7)	-	(0.7)	(2.2)	-	(2.2)		
Net (loss) income attributable to the Group	76.5	141.5	218.0	153.2	513.2	666.4		
Diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares outstanding $^{\left(i\right) }$	82,827,674		82,827,674	68,068,311				
Net income per Ordinary Share attributable to the Group	0.92		2.63	2.25		9.65		

Note: Earnings per share for FY 2021 reflects sum of earnings per share for the four quarters of 2021. FY 2021 EPS calculated using the diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares in 2021 would be higher at \$9.79

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures Notes

- a) In Q3 2021, an acquisition related deferred revenue adjustment was reflected representing non-cash adjustments resulting from the revaluation of deferred revenue and the subsequent charge to revenue in connection with business combinations. In Q4 2021, the charge to revenue was reversed as the company has taken the option to early adopt amendments to the relevant accounting standard.
- b) Net Interest expense includes losses on modification or extinguishment of debt.
- c) Stock-based compensation expense represents the amount of recurring non-cash expense related to the Company's equity compensation programs (inclusive of employer related taxes).
- d) Foreign currency losses (gains), net relates to gains or losses that arise in connection with the revaluation of non-US dollar denominated assets and liabilities. We exclude these gains and losses from adjusted EBITDA and adjusted net income because fluctuations from period- to- period do not necessarily correspond to changes in our operating results.
- e) Restructuring charges incurred relate to charges incurred in connection with the termination of leases at locations that are no longer being used and amounts incurred in connection with the elimination of redundant positions within the organization.
- f) Transaction-related / integration-related costs include expenses associated with our acquisitions, share-based compensation expense related to the acceleration of share-based compensation awards and replacement share-based awards, contingent consideration valuation adjustments, and any other costs incurred directly related to the integration of these acquisitions.
- g) Transaction-related financing costs includes costs incurred in connection with changes to our long-term debt and amortization of financing fees. We exclude these costs from Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income because they result from financing decisions rather than from decisions made related to our ongoing operations.
- h) Represents the tax effect of adjusted pre-tax income at our estimated effective tax rate.
- i) Earnings per share for FY 2021 reflects sum of earnings per share for the four quarters of 2021. FY 2021 EPS calculated using the diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares in 2021 would be higher at \$9.79.



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