

**ICON** plc

Q1 2025 Results Period Ended March 31, 2025



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### Key considerations in quarter one



**Challenging clinical market dynamics** with elevated cancellations, overall cautious customer behavior



**Executing on cost management** initiatives based on the environment



ICON is **capturing opportunity with evidence of progress** across customer groups

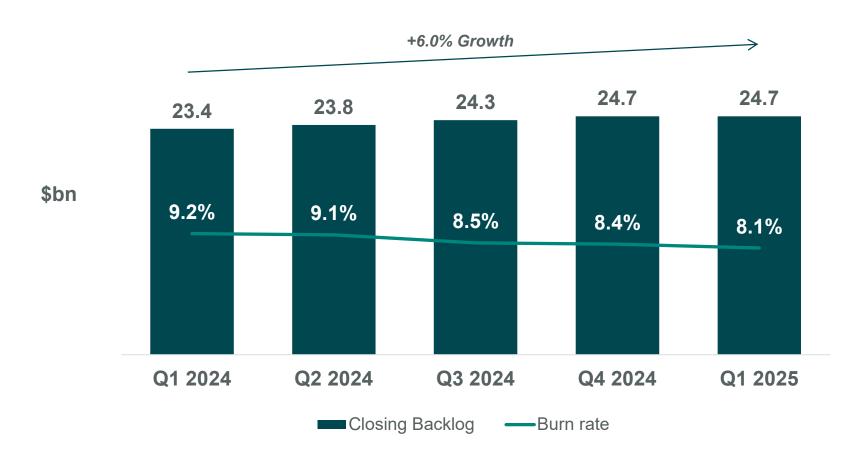
Large pharma win rate, biotech opportunity flow, growth in labs and early phase



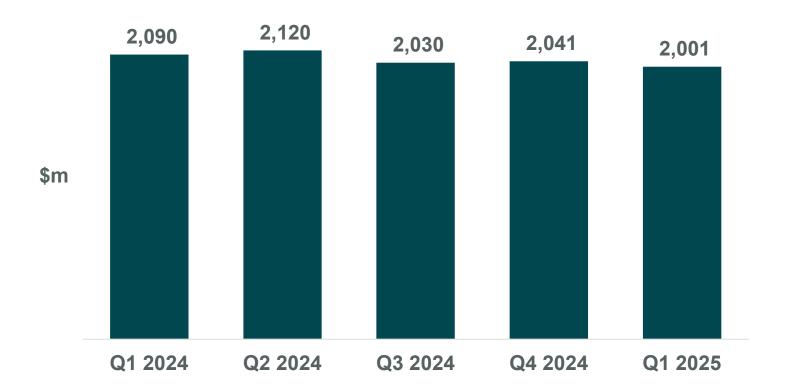
Strong balance sheet supports assertive capital deployment

Return of capital to shareholders with flexibility to execute strategic M&A

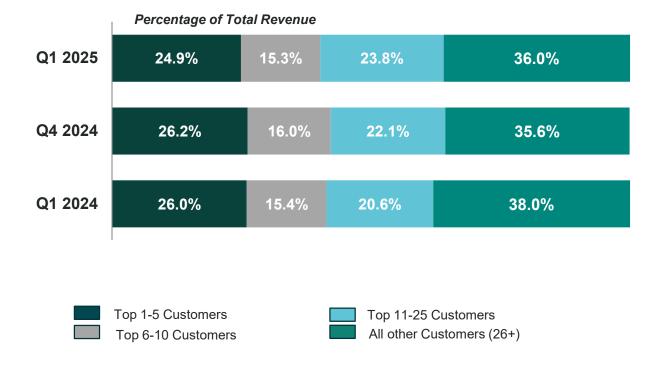
# **Backlog Metrics**



#### Revenue

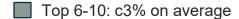


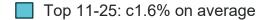
#### **Customer Concentration & Diversification**









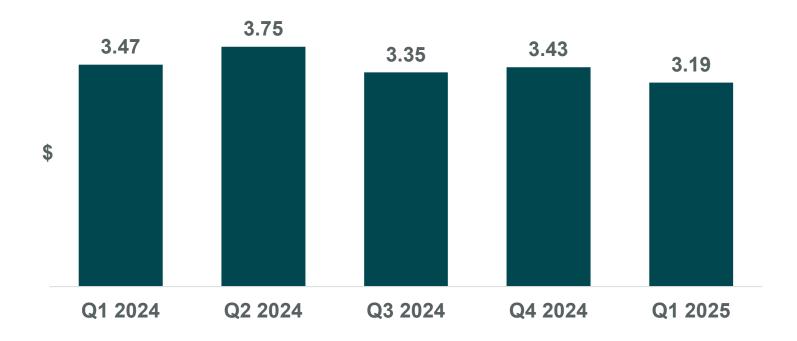


## **Adjusted EBITDA Margin**



Notes: All values exclude amortization, stock compensation, restructuring, FX and transaction-related / integration-related costs
Adjusted EBITDA Margin is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to "Forward Looking Statement" at the beginning of this presentation for a discussion of our non-GAAP financial measures

# **Adjusted Earnings per Share**



Notes: All values exclude amortization, stock compensation, restructuring, FX and transaction-related / integration-related costs and their related taxation effect

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# **Balance Sheet**

\$m (unless otherwise stated)	31-Mar-25	31-Dec-24	31-Mar-24
Cash and Cash Equivalents + Available for Sale Investments	526.7	538.8	398.0
Total Debt	(3,420.2)	(3,426.2)	(3,499.5)
Net (Debt) / Cash	(2,893.5)	(2,887.4)	(3,101.5)
Net Debt / TTM Adj EBITDA Ratio	1.7x	1.7x	1.8x
DSO (days)	49	47	49

## 2025 Updated Financial Guidance & Outlook

	Full-year 2024 Actual Results	Full-year 2025 Guidance	% change
Revenue	\$8,282m	\$7,750m - \$8,150m	-6.4% to -1.6%
Adjusted EPS*	\$14.00	\$12.75 - \$14.25	-8.9% to +1.8%

#### **Key Assumptions for 2025 Guidance**

- Excludes future share repurchases
- Excludes M&A
- Total capital expenditure spend of c\$200m

<sup>\*</sup>Adjusted EPS exclude amortization, stock compensation, restructuring, FX and transaction-related / integration-related costs



# **Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures (Adjusted EBITDA)**

\$000 except share and per share data	Q1 2024	Q1 2025
Adjusted EBITDA		
Netincome	187,438	154,151
Income tax expense	28,324	19,603
Net interest expense	69,735	45,807
Depreciation and amortization	149,181	95,958
Stock-based compensation expense (a)	13,181	12,294
Foreign currency losses/ (gains), net (b)	(10,814)	18,095
Restructuring <sup>(c)</sup>	-	39,346
Transaction and integration related costs <sup>(d)</sup>	6,991	5,404
Adjusted EBITDA	444,036	390,658
Adjusted EBITDA Margin %	21.2%	19.5%

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

\$000 except share and per share data	Q1 2024	Q1 2025
Adjusted net income and adjusted diluted net income per Ordinary Share		
Net Income	187,438	154,151
Income tax expense	28,324	19,603
Amortization	116,498	58,946
Stock-based compensation expense (a)	13,181	12,294
Foreign currency losses/ (gains), net (b)	(10,814)	18,095
Restructuring (c)	-	39,346
Transaction and integration related costs <sup>(d)</sup>	6,991	5,404
Transaction-related financing costs <sup>(e)</sup>	3,907	1,465
Adjusted tax expense <sup>(f)</sup>	(57,012)	(51,035)
Adjusted net income	288,513	258,269
Diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares outstanding	83,249,303	80,924,355
Adjusted diluted net income per Ordinary Share	3.47	3.19

# **Adjusted Net Income Reconciliation**

		Q1 2024			Q1 2025		
\$000 except share and per share data	GAAP A	Adjustments	Non-GAAP	GAAP	Adjustments	Non-GAAP	
Revenue	2,090,386	-	2,090,386	2,001,332	-	2,001,332	
Costs and expenses:							
Direct costs (excluding depreciation and amortization) (a)	1,471,367	(6,746)	1,464,621	1,442,679	(5,381)	1,437,298	
Selling, general and administrative (a),(b)	177,350	4,379	181,729	198,384	(25,008)	173,376	
Depreciation and amortization	149,181	(116,498)	32,683	95,958	(58,946)	37,012	
Transaction and integration related <sup>(d)</sup>	6,991	(6,991)	-	5,404	(5,404)	-	
Restructuring <sup>(c)</sup>	-	-	-	39,346	(39,346)	-	
Total costs and expenses	1,804,889	(125,856)	1,679,033	1,781,771	(134,085)	1,647,686	
Income from operations	285,497	125,856	411,353	219,561	134,085	353,646	
Net interest expense <sup>(e)</sup>	(69,735)	3,907	(65,828)	(45,807)	1,465	(44,342)	
Income before income tax expense	215,762	129,763	345,525	173,754	135,550	309,304	
Income tax expense (f)	(28,324)	(28,688)	(57,012)	(19,603)	(31,432)	(51,035)	
Net Income	187,438	101,075	288,513	154,151	104,118	258,269	
Diluted weighted average number of Ordinary Shares outstanding	83,249,303		83,249,303	80,924,355		80,924,355	
Diluted net income per Ordinary Share	2.25		3.47	1.90		3.19	

#### **Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Measures Notes**

- (a) Stock-based compensation expense represents the amount of recurring expense related to the company's equity compensation programs (inclusive of employer related taxes).
- (b) Foreign currency losses/(gains), net relates to gains or losses that arise in connection with the revaluation, or settlement, 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.
- (c) Restructuring relates to charges incurred in connection with the company's realignments of its workforce, with the elimination of redundant positions. Transaction and integration related costs include expenses associated with our acquisitions and any other costs incurred directly related to the integration of these acquisitions.
- (d) Transaction and integration related costs include expenses associated with our acquisitions and any other costs incurred directly related to the integration of these acquisitions.
- (e) 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.
- (f) Represents the tax effect of adjusted pre-tax income at our estimated effective tax rate.

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