



ICON Laboratories Announces Dublin Laboratory Expansion

Dublin, Ireland, September 26th: ICON Laboratories, a division of ICON plc (NASDAQ: ICLR), a global provider of outsourced development services to the pharmaceutical, biotechnology and medical device industries, today announced the opening of its expanded laboratory and operational facilities in Dublin, Ireland.

The newly redesigned facility, located in South County Business Park, Leopardstown, increases the size of the laboratory by 30% and nearly doubles the size of the operational facilities supporting project management and global logistics services.

“ICON Laboratories has expertise across all major therapeutic areas and is recognised worldwide for our extensive menu of biomarkers and our ability to offer custom flow cytometry assays to support the development of new oncology, infectious disease and immunology therapies. Our expanded laboratory will enable us to continue to meet the high demand for these important services as well as offer improved workflow for the other safety and esoteric tests performed in our Dublin facility,” commented Clare O’Sullivan, General Manager.

“The expanded facilities in Dublin are an important part of ICON Laboratories’ capacity planning efforts to ensure that we can successfully respond to the significant growth we are experiencing in both our customer base and the overall volume of clinical trials, most of which are global in scope,” added Robert Scott-Edwards, President of ICON Laboratories.

About ICON Laboratories

ICON Laboratories, a division of ICON plc, is headquartered in Farmingdale New York and provides global central laboratory services dedicated exclusively to clinical trials. Its comprehensive service portfolio ranges from safety testing and biomarkers to custom flow cytometry. Since becoming part of ICON Plc in 2000, ICON Laboratories has managed around 1000 clinical studies supporting investigators in over 50 countries. ICON Laboratories is CAP accredited and works according to globally consistent processes that conform to the ISO 17025 quality certification

About ICON plc

ICON plc is a global provider of outsourced development services to the pharmaceutical, biotechnology and medical device industries. We specialize in the strategic development, management and analysis of programs that support clinical development - from compound selection to Phase I-IV clinical studies. ICON teams have successfully conducted over 1900 development projects and over 2300 consultancy engagements across all major therapeutic areas. ICON currently has over 3700 employees, operating from 45 locations in 30 countries. Further information is available at www.iconclinical.com

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