



Eupraxia Pharmaceuticals' CEO Dr. James Helliwell to Participate in Webinar Event, "Eosinophilic Esophagitis: The Emerging Digestive Disorder Frequently Misdiagnosed", on November 15, 2024

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- Registration for the webinar now open to the public by visiting EPRXNOV1524.TribePublic.com

VICTORIA, BC, Nov. 13, 2024 /CNW/ - Eupraxia Pharmaceuticals Inc. ("Eupraxia" or the "Company") (TSX: EPRX) (NASDAQ: EPRX), a clinical-stage biotechnology company leveraging its proprietary DiffuSphere™ technology designed to optimize drug delivery for applications with significant unmet need, today announced that Eupraxia's CEO, Dr. James A. Helliwell, will present at a Tribe Public Webinar Presentation and Q&A Event titled, "Eosinophilic Esophagitis: The Emerging Digestive Disorder Frequently Misdiagnosed".

A black promotional graphic for a Tribe Public webinar. At the top left is the Tribe Public logo. The main text reads "TRIBE PUBLIC CEO Q&A Webinar Event" in white and pink. Below this, it says "Friday, November 15 | 8:30am PT / 11:30am ET" and "REGISTER TODAY at EPRXNOV1524.TribePublic.com". The title of the event is "Eosinophilic Esophagitis: The Emerging Digestive Disorder Frequently Misdiagnosed". A photo of James A. Helliwell, CEO of Eupraxia Pharmaceuticals, is shown on the left. To his right, text reads "Meet James A. Helliwell M.D., CEO of Eupraxia Pharmaceuticals (NASDAQ: EPRX)". At the bottom right is the Eupraxia Pharmaceuticals logo.

The event is scheduled to begin at 8:30 am PT / 11:30 am ET on Friday, November 15, 2024.

To register to join the complimentary event, please visit Tribe Public at: EPRXNOV1524.TribePublic.com

Once registered, participants may begin forwarding their questions for Dr. Helliwell to Tribe Public at research@tribepublic.com, or share their questions via the ZOOM chat feature during the event. Tribe Public's Managing Member, John F. Heerdink, Jr., will host the event and relay all questions to management.

About Eosinophilic Esophagitis

Eosinophilic Esophagitis ("EoE") is an inflammatory-mediated disease in which white blood cells migrate into and become trapped in the esophagus, creating pain and difficulty with swallowing food. According to market research from Clearview Healthcare Partners, EoE affects more than 450,000 people in the United States and has been identified by the American Gastroenterological

Association as rapidly increasing in both incidence and prevalence. Impacts from both symptoms and interventions frequently lead to mental health issues, compounding the disease burden of EoE for both the healthcare system and the individual.

About Eupraxia Pharmaceuticals Inc.

Eupraxia is a clinical-stage biotechnology company focused on the development of locally delivered, extended-release products that have the potential to address therapeutic areas with high unmet medical need. DiffuSphere™, a proprietary, polymer-based micro-sphere technology, is designed to facilitate targeted drug delivery of both existing and novel drugs. The technology is designed to support extended duration of effect and delivery of drugs in a hyper-localized fashion, targeting only the tissues that physicians are wanting to treat. We believe the potential for fewer adverse events may be achieved through the precision targeting and the stable and flat delivery of the active ingredient when using the DiffuSphere™ technology, versus the peaks and troughs seen with more traditional drug delivery methods. The precision of Eupraxia's DiffuSphere™ technology platform has the potential to augment and transform existing FDA-approved drugs to improve their safety, tolerability, efficacy and duration of effect. The potential uses in therapeutic areas may go beyond pain and inflammatory gastrointestinal disease, where Eupraxia currently is developing advanced treatments, to also be applicable in oncology, infectious disease and other critical disease areas.

Eupraxia's EP-104GI is currently in a Phase 1b/2a trial, the RESOLVE trial, for the treatment of EoE. EP-104GI is administered as an injection into the esophageal wall, providing local delivery of drug. This is a unique treatment approach for EoE. Eupraxia also recently completed a Phase 2b clinical trial (SPRINGBOARD) of EP-104IAR for the treatment of pain due to knee osteoarthritis. The trial met its primary endpoint and three of the four secondary endpoints. In addition, Eupraxia is developing a pipeline of later and earlier-stage long-acting formulations. Potential pipeline indications include candidates for other inflammatory joint indications and oncology, each designed to improve on the activity and tolerability of currently approved drugs. For further details about Eupraxia, please visit the Company's website at: www.eupraxiapharma.com.

About Tribe Public LLC


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