

**ASX ANNOUNCEMENT**

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**UK Market update, wheezo® Registered and Approved for Sale in the UK Market**

**Respiri Limited (ASX:RSH) (“Respiri” or the “Company”)**, an eHealth SaaS Company supporting respiratory health management, today announces that, ahead of required timelines, wheezo® is now registered and approved for sale in the UK market following its registration with the UK Competent Authority, the Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA).

As per MHRA requirements, the Company appointed European Device Solutions (UK) Ltd as the UK Responsible Person (UK-RP) and has demonstrated that wheezo® will perform safely and achieve the stated performance claims for its intended use. As a result, the Company can now apply the new UK Conformity Assessed (UKCA) mark on wheezo®.

UKCA marking is a new UK product marking that is used for goods being placed on the market in Great Britain (England, Scotland and Wales). It is a prerequisite for the approval of products following Brexit and indicates conformity with applicable regulatory requirements. UKCA replaces CE marking, which can still be used in the UK until 31 December 2021 for products that are currently being sold in the UK but CE cannot be used for any products that have not been sold in the UK market after January 1, 2021. Accordingly, this process fulfils a commercial requirement for wheezo®, which is due to be launched in the UK in Q4 CY 2021.

“Respiri has been in ongoing planning discussions and negotiations with potential commercial and distribution partners in the UK as it readies for the planned launch in Q4 CY2021. The UKCA marking for wheezo® is another accomplishment for Respiri; the final regulatory requirement that now permits Respiri to commence commercialising wheezo® in the UK in Q4 CY2021, as planned” said Marjan Mikel, CEO of Respiri.

It is important to note that asthma exacerbation is the 3<sup>rd</sup> major cause of hospitalisations in the UK and the most common reason for re-hospitalisation, resulting from poorly controlled and managed asthma. “Given the high incidence of hospitalisation resulting from poorly controlled, asthma we are pleased that wheezo® has been chosen as a technology of choice by a number of prominent UK Universities to study its impact on improving patient asthma management and we will keep the market informed of these developments”, reinforced Mr Mikel.

Asthma represents a significant disease burden in the UK with 5.4 million people currently receiving treatment for their condition, and the NHS spending around £1 Billion GBP per annum, treating and caring for people with asthma<sup>1</sup>. Asthma UK believe that digital health technology has a significant role to play in helping people better manage their condition<sup>2</sup> and in 2016 published the Connected Asthma Report, highlighting how asthma is ideally placed to be transformed by technology<sup>3</sup>”.

For further information about wheezo®, follow the online link <https://wheezo.com>

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<sup>1</sup> Asthma UK <https://www.asthma.org.uk/about/media/facts-and-statistics/>

<sup>2</sup> Asthma UK <https://www.asthma.org.uk/for-professionals/asthma-digital-health/>

<sup>3</sup> Asthma UK <https://www.asthma.org.uk/support-us/campaigns/our-policy-work/asthma-needs-research/connected-asthma/>

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## **About Respiri Limited**

Respiri is an e-Health SaaS company supporting respiratory health management. Its world-first technology detects wheeze, a typical symptom of asthma, COPD and respiratory disease to provide an objective measure of airway limitation. wheezo®, Respiri's innovative technology, comprises an eHealth app combined with a simple, easy to use, handheld device. wheezo® is the first smart device to assist with asthma management by monitoring wheeze and documenting symptoms, signs, triggers, weather conditions and medication use. The platform also facilitates the sharing of data with caregivers, physicians, and other health care professionals.

Respiri's mission is to improve asthma management by extending care beyond the clinic.

For additional information about Respiri and its products, please visit [www.respiri.co](http://www.respiri.co)

## **About wheezo®**

Developed in Australia, with the support of respiratory specialists and other healthcare professionals, the innovative wheezo® device analyses breath sounds for wheeze, and the eHealth App assists patients with managing their asthma by tracking symptoms, triggers, medication use and geo-specific weather conditions. The platform has been designed to extend asthma management beyond the clinic and make it easy to share information with doctors and make appropriate adjustments to asthma action plans. Better active management may lead to better outcomes and improved quality of life for the asthma patient.

## **Forward Looking Statements**

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