

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

CORTEXA COMMENCES MANUFACTURING GMP MDMA (LA NEO®) IN AUSTRALIA

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Melbourne, Australia – Vitura Health Limited (ASX: VIT) (**Vitura** and **Company**) is pleased to announce that, in another Australian first, its joint venture, Cortexa Pty. Ltd. (**Cortexa**), is proud to have commenced batch manufacturing of GMP LaNeo® MDMA 40mg capsules to support both clinical trials and clinical use under the TGA's Authorised Prescriber pathway.

In doing so, Cortexa achieves another significant milestone, domestic Australian manufacturing, further strengthening its position as a leader in the Australian psychedelic landscape by executing on its plan to develop a reliable local supply. This advantage will free local clinicians and researchers from the costly and time-consuming burden of importation and provides seamless access to medication.

Optima Ovest Appointed as Contract Manufacturer

After a comprehensive due diligence process, Cortexa is pleased to announce it has entered an exclusive arrangement with Perth-based contract manufacturer Optima Ovest (**Optima**). Optima was established in 1995 and has extensive experience in the manufacture of GMP, clinical-grade pharmaceutical products, with capacity to scale operations in line with demand.

Combined with Cortexa's access to intellectual property and manufacturing experience from the Company's Canadian joint venture partner, PharmAla Biotech, the agreement with Optima allows not only the establishment of onshore manufacture, but ensures a secure, domestic source of medication independent of the international supply chain.

Cortexa Growing the Australian Market

Since its inception in May 2023, Cortexa has quickly established itself as the leader in the emerging therapeutic area of psychedelic-assisted therapy in Australia through navigating the regulatory framework, being the first to complete importation, achieving supply of products to clinical trials and the authorised prescriber scheme and now the commencement of onshore manufacturing.

In addition, Cortexa will shortly commence a medical education program designed to increase awareness of Psychedelic Assisted Therapy amongst the broader adult psychiatry community and continue its engagement with peak bodies and key customers to further expand the market in Australia.

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About Vitura Health Limited (ASX:VIT)

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Vitura Health Limited is diversified digital health business listed on the ASX (ASX:VIT) and, via its wholly owned subsidiaries, operates the following businesses:

- www.burleighheadscannabis.com
Burleigh Heads Cannabis operates the market leading prescriber, patient, pharmacy and supplier online ecosystem, CanView, which sells and distributes 350+ therapeutic product and device SKUs within Australia from approximately 40 international and domestic brands.
- www.canview.com.au
CanView is being developed to be a complete end-to-end healthcare ecosystem designed to provide doctors, pharmacists and patients with a simple and cost-effective way to facilitate the treatment of patients with increased efficiency and compliance. The CanView system is based on a medicines wholesaling platform which seamlessly brings together a number of disparate SAAS (software-as-a-service) providers including inventory control, invoicing, customer management, reporting and analytics, all linked together through customised integration from third party providers. Underpinning the suite of SAAS elements are a number of bespoke, internally-generated operating procedures and intellectual property assets, supported by the CanView customer support and infield customer engagement teams. Through the integration of the different elements which together make up CanView, the platform provides the best user experience in the industry.

Through the Company's relationships with third party integrators, CanView provides Australian doctors with the ability to integrate their patient management systems directly with the platform and to use their patient information to generate electronic prescriptions within the CanView platform, without the need to input the patient's details. Prescriptions are then sent directly to the CanView patient app where patients can manage their treatment and submit the prescription and subsequent repeats to one of the 4,100+ Australian pharmacies with accounts on CanView for dispensing.

While the Company's current operations focus on the sale and distribution of medicinal cannabis products, Vitura is fully licensed and equipped, via its two state-of-the-art distribution centres in Melbourne and the Gold Coast, to distribute all products under Schedules 2, 3, 4, 8 and 9. The establishment during the year of the Company's joint venture to distribute psychedelic products, including MDMA and Psilocybin, is a timely example of the many opportunities that the Company believes can be seamlessly integrated into its existing digital health platform business.

- www.doctorsondemand.com.au
The Company owns Doctors on Demand Pty Ltd, a nationwide 24/7 x 365 telehealth platform business that provide innovative primary health solutions to hundreds of thousands of B2C and B2B patients annually. Services include general medical consults, urgent care, medical certificates, pathology referrals, specialist referrals, men's health, women's health, medicated weight loss and smoking cessation.
- www.cortexa.com.au
The Company owns 50% of Cortexa Pty Ltd, an incorporated joint venture with Canadian-based PharmAla Biotech (CSE:MDMA). Cortexa aims to be the leading supplier of psychedelics, GMP MDMA and GMP psilocybin, for research and therapeutic use in Australia.



- www.cdaclinics.com.au
The Company owns CDA Clinics that undertakes nationwide telehealth consultations with patients seeking access to medicinal cannabis.
- www.cannadoc.com.au
The Company owns 75.5% of Cannadoc Health Pty Ltd, a medicinal cannabis clinic business that undertakes nationwide telehealth consultations with patients seeking access to medicinal cannabis.

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