

ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

Exopharm Shareholder Update

- HREC approval received for PLEXOVAL II safety study, first-in-human, off-the-shelf Plexaris™
- Canary Capital engaged
- Updated shareholder presentation and reminder for webinar 10:30am
 Wednesday 2 September at https://exo.ph/Sept2020Webinar (open to all)

21 August 2020, Melbourne, Australia: Exopharm Limited (ASX:EX1) is a clinical stage Australian company using exosomes (extracellular vesicles (EVs)) from cells to generate a new class of cell-free medicines. Exopharm is a leader in the manufacture and experimental clinical use of EV medicines.

PLEXOVAL II clinical study update

As announced on 19 August 2020, Exopharm has applied for approval from the Human Research Ethics Committee (HREC) to conduct an allogeneic (off-the-shelf) Plexaris safety trial in Melbourne. HREC approval has now been received. The study, "PXR002: A Prospective, Randomised, Double Blind, placebo controlled, single dose, single site Phase I study to assess the safety and biological activity of a human non-autologous platelet derived Extracellular Vesicle therapy vs placebo on wound healing rate following skin punch biopsy in healthy volunteer adults," is being managed by Emeritus Research (Emeritus). The final step before study start is Research Governance Office delegate approval by Emeritus. Further information will be provided once the trial is open for enrolment.

Canary Capital engaged

The Company is also pleased to advise that it has executed a mandate with Canary Capital Pty Ltd (Canary Capital), a boutique Sydney headquartered investment management and corporate advisory firm, to provide corporate advisory and investor marketing services to the company.

Mr Paul Hart from Canary Capital says "Canary Capital prides itself on creating value for its clients with long term strategic investments and will be profiling the company on its website." (https://canarycapital.com.au)

Under the terms of the mandate:

- The mandate will commence on September 1st, 2020 and continue for 12 months;
- Exopharm will pay Canary Capital a monthly fee of \$6,000 (exclusive of GST);
- The Company will issue Canary Capital 1,500,000 unlisted options with a \$0.60 exercise price and 1,500,000 options with an exercise price of \$0.90 with a five year expiry.

<u>Updated shareholder presentation and reminder for science webinar</u>

Attached is an update to the shareholder presentation. Shareholders and other interested people are reminded to join a Webinar update at 10:30am Wednesday 2 September at https://exo.ph/Sept2020Webinar. Dr Karen Holden, Head of Translation and Dr Patrick James, Head of Product Development, will provide a look into some of the scientific developments at Exopharm in the last three months. There will be a Q&A session with Ian Dixon (CEO) and Chris Baldwin (CCO) at the end of the Webinar.

By the Board - this announcement has been authorised for release by the Board.

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ABOUT EXOPHARM

Exopharm Limited (ASX:EX1) is a clinical-stage Australian regenerative medicine company developing therapeutic exosome products as regenerative medicines and precision medicines.

Exosomes are small particles naturally produced by cells, which deliver therapeutic 'cargoes' to other cells to reduce inflammation and promote regeneration. Exosomes are plentiful in our youth but decline with age. Recent research points to exosomes as a way to extend the number of healthy, functional years (extending health span).

Exosomes secreted by stem cells could be used instead of stem-cell therapy with equal or greater benefit – and without the problems of stem-cell therapies. They could be used to deliver targeted 'novel' drugs and have potential as diagnostics.

While trillions of exosomes are produced by stem cells, the real challenge is to 'purify' them as drug products. Exopharm owns a purification technology called Ligand-based Exosome Affinity Purification (LEAP). LEAP technology and associated know-how places Exopharm at the forefront of this emerging field worldwide. Exopharm is at clinical stage with pending and current trials for wound healing, dry aged-related macular degeneration and osteoporosis.

Exopharm was founded in 2013 by Dr Ian Dixon, co-founder of the ASX-listed stem-cell therapy developer Cynata Therapeutics. He was also a director of Cell Therapies, which produced adult stem cells for ASX-listed stem cell company Mesoblast. Exopharm listed on the ASX in December 2018.

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The Future of Exosome Medicines

August 2020 Investor Presentation

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Exopharm Ltd



Overview

- Exopharm is an Australian clinical stage biotechnology company with unique manufacturing IP for turning exosomes (or EVs) into medicines
- 26 staff based in Melbourne, Victoria
- Publicly-traded on the ASX (ASX:EX1) (listed Dec 2018)
- 95.47 million shares outstanding, market cap of ~ \$30 million

What Makes Us Unique

- 1. LEAP™ process for purifying EVs provides world-beating capability
- 2. One of three companies worldwide with a platform for engineering EVs

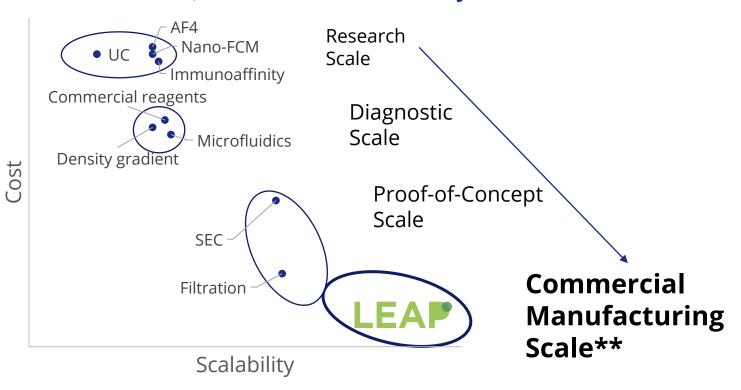
Where We are Going

- Monetising LEAP with partnership deals to fund development programs
- Using non-dilutive funding to advance Exopharm's Naïve EV clinical assets
- Creating EEV assets with pharmaceutical partners to derive near-term revenue

LEAP is the *Only*Commercial-scale EV Purification Technology



State of the Art, EV Purification as of June 2020*



Unlike all other alternatives, LEAP technology

- (i) is readily scaled up to over 1,000L scale,
- (ii) uses industry-standard equipment and processes
- (iii) uses low-cost, reusable consumables (from validated sterilization process)
- (iv) is a proprietary process that creates proprietary products

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Technologies and Standardization in Research

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on Extracellular Vesicles

^{**} LEAP assessment from Exopharm, based on industrial use to date; LEAP Patents processing through National phases at present

Exopharm IP Assets are Comprehensive and Provide Essential EV Capabilities





LOAD

Addition of nucleic acids to EV Payloads

EVPSAddition of proteins to EV Surfaces

- Developed internally **exclusive** ownership and use
- Comprehensive application to EVs
- Family of resins and potential resins await development
- Global, exclusive in-licensing agreement (2020)
- Comprehensive application to EVs
- Custom medicines loaded into EEVs
- Global, exclusive in-licensing agreement (2020)
- Comprehensive application to EVs
- Custom addressing of EEVs to selected cells



* Please refer to ASX Announcement 12th June Added IP for more information

Naïve EV Program: NEVs are the **Future of Regeneration**



2000 AD

Mesenchymal stem cells (MSCs) regenerate tissue, so grow them and transplant them into patients



"Off-the-shelf" stem cells

2020's

MSC EVs are what make MSCs work, and could deliver a truly off-the-shelf treatment



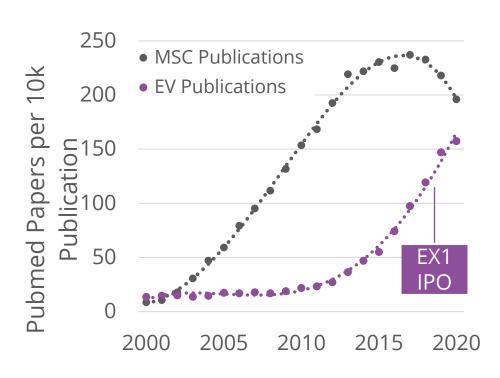
Potential EV Medicine

Same active ingredient, different commercial outcome

- Exopharm solved core manufacturing problem with LEAP
- Let adult stem cell clinical companies identify uses and resolve regulatory pathways
- Follow quickly with safer, more economical offering

Exopharm is the World Leader in NEVs





Naïve EVs (NEVs)

- Stem cell benefits, without the risks and costs
- Targeted to mobility and sensory indications (sight, osteoarthritis hearing, neural degeneration)

Exosome redux

news feature

Adult stem cell companies are pivoting their businesses to commercialize exosomes as therapeutics.

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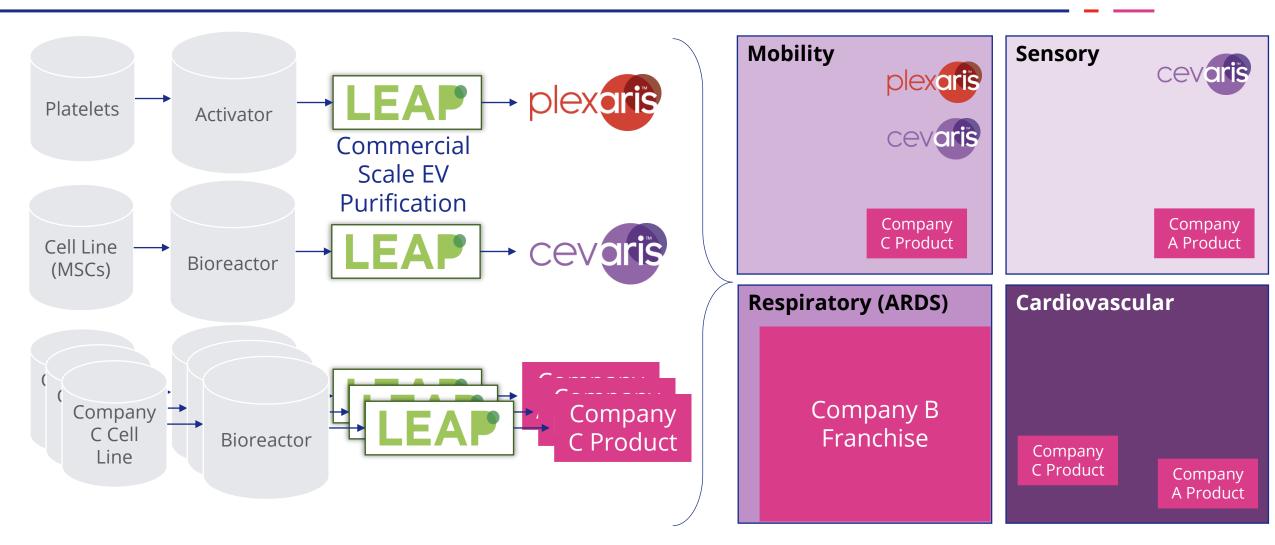
December 2019

- **14** Exosome companies reviewed globally
 - 5 Companies planning Clinical Trials with exosome medicines
- 1 excpharm

FIRST and ONLY reported human dosing (Jan 2020)

Naïve EV Factory





Disease Areas

Naïve EVs: Strategy and Progress



Strategy: When adult stem cell companies score wins, follow with more economical, safer offering

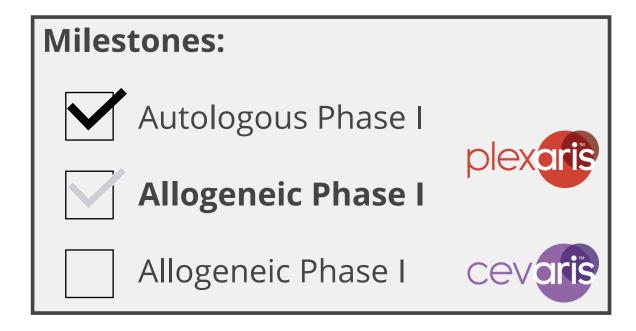
Progress:

Plexaris™ (EVs from platelets)

- Demonstrated manufacturing process for delivering safe EV treatments
- Demonstrating allogeneic safety

Cevaris™ (EVs from MSCs)

- Demonstrated efficacy in non-clinical work on sensory and mobility indications
- Preparing for Phase I study in humans



= Achieved in CY 2020

= Targeted for CY 2020

Potential markets >>\$10 billion/yr

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Companies Reviewed	Planning Clinical Trials:	Clinical Trials Running:
Aegle Therapeutics Alxerion Biotech Anjarium Biosciences Aruna Biomedical Capricor Therapeutics Codiak Biosciences Evox Therapeutics ExoCoBio Exopharm Ltd NeurExo Sciences PureTech Health ReNeuron Tavec Pharma Versatope Therapeutics	Aegle Therapeutics Codiak Biosciences Capricor Therapeutics Evox Therapeutics Exopharm Ltd	excpharm first dosing Jan 2020

Engineered EV Program: EEVs are the **Future of Precision Medicine**



Natural characteristics of Naïve EVs

EVs cross barriers (including bloodbrain)

EVs naturally reprogram cells

EVs control immune responses



Engineered EVs (EEVs)

Custom medicines 'Drug' cargoes of many types e.g. small molecules, RNAi, siRNA, mRNA

Custom addressing targeting EEVs to selected cell types e.g. brain cells, cancer cells

Potential markets for 'untreatable' diseases

>>\$100 billion/year



Cancers

Viruses

Rare diseases Neurol. Illnesses

EEV Opportunities

- Solve the major problem of drug delivery for pharma partners
- Multiple EEV products and variations
- Multiple applications
- Multiple deals

Pharma Companies Investing Heavily in EEV Deals with Exopharm's Peers



Only three companies globally have announced proprietary platforms for EEV Development:

EV Company	IP Status	Pharma Partner	Date	Area	Upfront	Milestones
CVOX		V Lilly	Jun 2020	CNS	> \$50 mln	\$1.7 billion
		Takeda	Mar 2020	Rare diseases	\$63 mln	\$1.3 billion
CODIAK		Jazz Pharma	Jan 2019	Cancer	\$77 mln	\$1.8 billion
		Jazz Pharma SAREPTA THERAPEUTICS	Jun 2020	CNS	> \$100 mln	Not disclosed
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Exosome Based Therapeutic Development

November Academic (11) 11-12, 2020



Revital Aricha Head, R&D Brainstorm Cell **Therapeutics**



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Repurposed Stem Cell Companies (4)

EV Companies (6)

	EEV Tropism	EEV Protein Loading	EEV RNA Loading	Scalable Manufacture	2020 Funding
Codiak (US)	/	/	/		>\$100 mln in deals
Evox (UK)	/	✓	/		>\$100 mln in deals
Mantra (US)	/				~\$30 mln Series A
ILIAS (Korea)		/	/		
Aegle (US)				?	~\$7 mln
Exopharm	✓	/	V	/	

Exopharm Ltd is the only one:

- With IP in all EV technologies
- To have dosed a human subject
- That is publicly traded

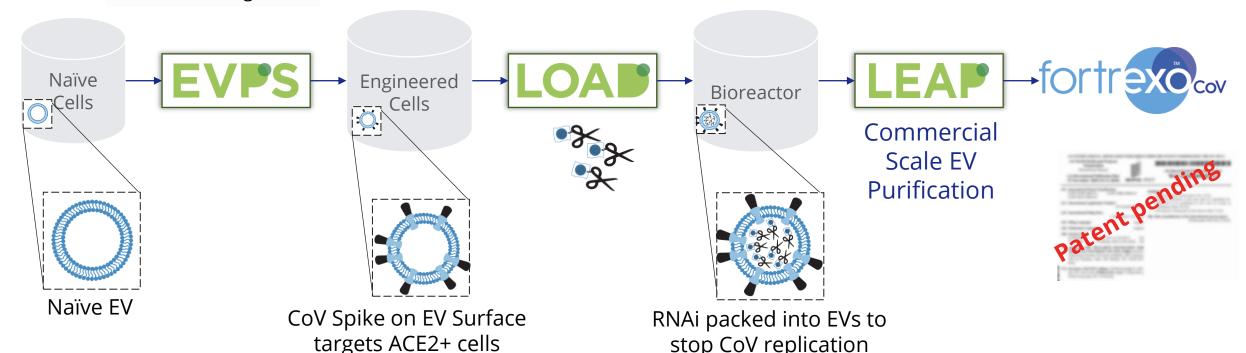
EEV Design Example: CoV Specific Anti-viral "Fortrexo CoV"



The SARS-CoV-2 virus has spike proteins on the outside and a nucleic acid payload on the inside. The spike protein targets cells with ACE2 receptor on the outside and delivers the particle into the ACE2+ cell. The payload enables viral particle replication inside an infected cell

EV with spike protein attached using EVPS

Exopharm has designed an EEV to reduce viral replication in ACE2+ cells by delivering RNAi that inhibit viral particle replication in an infected cell

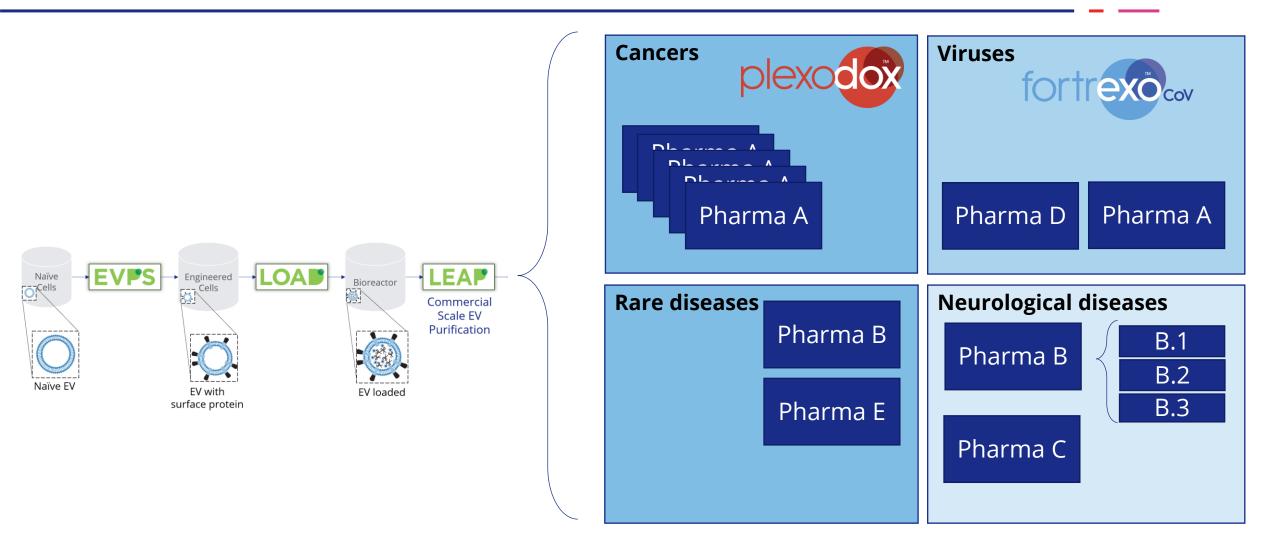


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stop CoV replication

Precision Medicine Factory





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Engineered EVs: Strategy and Progress



Strategy: Provide partners with evidence of Exopharm's EEV platform and enter into development programs

Progress:

Plexodox™ (EEVs from platelets)

- Demonstrated ability to enhance generic cancer drug through EV loading
- Demonstrating proof of concept with CNS application

Fortrexo™ (EVs from MSCs)

- Designed program for addressing COVID-19
- Design program for CNS application

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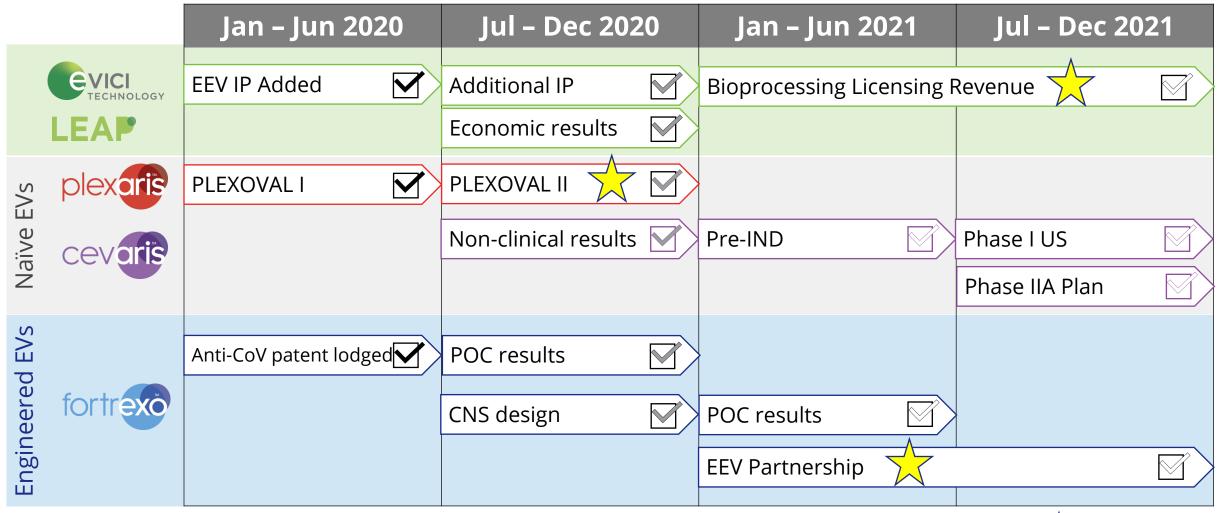


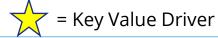


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Exopharm has Clear Paths to Revenue: Milestones Toward Revenue

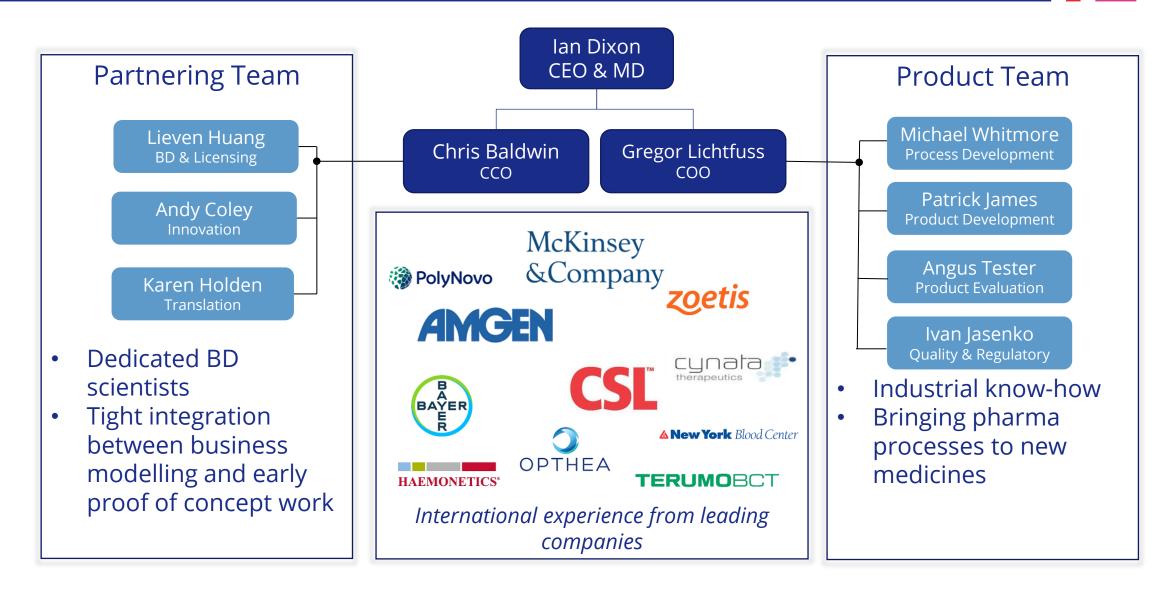






Our Team is Built to Succeed





Exopharm: What We are Going to Do



EV medicines will transform healthcare

Exopharm's leads world in the clinical development of Naïve EVs Engineered EV program offers high-value, near term pathway to revenue

Exopharm's team has the experience and capability to capture its opportunities

Exopharm Ltd. Refreshing Medicine, Today

Thank you

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