Amicus Therapeutics Announces Plans to Present Phase 1 Data for AT2220 for Pompe Disease

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Amicus Therapeutics (Nasdaq: FOLD) today announced that it plans to present the results of Phase 1 studies of AT2220 (1-deoxynojirimycin HCl) for Pompe Disease at the American Society of Human Genetics (ASHG) Annual Meeting on October 23-27 in San Diego, CA. This plan was announced by John Crowley, President and Chief Executive Officer, at the Merrill Lynch Global Pharmaceutical, Biotech & Medtech 2007 Conference in London, United Kingdom.

About Amicus Therapeutics

Amicus Therapeutics is a biopharmaceutical company developing novel, oral therapeutics known as pharmacological chaperones for the treatment of a range of human genetic diseases. Pharmacological chaperone technology involves the use of small molecules that selectively bind to and stabilize proteins in cells, leading to improved protein folding and trafficking, and increased activity. Amicus is initially targeting lysosomal storage disorders, which are severe, chronic genetic diseases with unmet medical needs. Amicus has two product candidates in Phase II clinical trials, Amigal(TM) for the treatment of Fabry disease and Plicera(TM) for the treatment of Gaucher disease. The Company is also conducting Phase I clinical trials of AT2220 for the treatment of Pompe disease.

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