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Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 11, 2011

AMICUS THERAPEUTICS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)	001-33497 (Commission File Number)	71-0869350 (IRS Employer Identification No.)
6 Cedar Brook Drive, Cranbury, NJ (Address of Principal Executive Offices)		08512 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(609) 662-2000**

(Former name or former address if changed since last report.)

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 - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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Item 8.01. Other Events.

On January 11, 2011, John F. Crowley, President and Chief Executive Officer of Amicus Therapeutics, Inc. (the "Company"), participated in the 29th Annual J.P. Morgan Healthcare Conference (the "Conference"). A copy of the presentation given by Mr. Crowley at the Conference is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.1. On the same date, the Company filed a press release, a copy of which is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.2.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits: The Exhibit Index annexed hereto is incorporated herein by reference.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Amicus Therapeutics, Inc.

Date: January 11, 2011

By: /s/ Geoffrey P. Gilmore
Geoffrey P. Gilmore
Senior Vice President and General Counsel

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Presentation Materials
99.2	Press Release dated January 11, 2011



JP Morgan Healthcare Conference
Jan 11, 2011

John F. Crowley, Chairman and CEO

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Safe Harbor

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This presentation contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 relating to business, operations and financial conditions of Amicus including but not limited to preclinical and clinical development of Amicus' candidate drug products, the timing and reporting of results from preclinical studies and clinical trials evaluating Amicus' candidate drug products, the projected cash position for the Company, and business development and other transactional activities. Words such as, but not limited to, "look forward to," "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "intend," "plan," "would," "should" and "could," and similar expressions or words, identify forward-looking statements. Although Amicus believes the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are based upon reasonable assumptions, there can be no assurance that its expectations will be realized. Actual results could differ materially from those projected in Amicus' forward-looking statements due to numerous known and unknown risks and uncertainties, including the "Risk Factors" described in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2009. All forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement, and Amicus undertakes no obligation to revise or update this news release to reflect events or circumstances after the date hereof.



Industry Momentum in Rare Diseases

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"In addition to our existing discovery effort, alternative opportunities need to be explored to make treatments available for rare diseases.... this new unit has the potential to deliver multiple therapies responding to high medical needs of underserved populations of patients."

- Marc Dunoyer, Global Head, GSK Rare Diseases

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Rare Disease is the Place to be
Amicus Lands \$230M Deal for Fabry Chaperone Amigal

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL
WSJ.com

HEALTH INDUSTRY | SEPTEMBER 1, 2010, 10:38 A.M. ET

Pfizer Agrees to Acquire Drug Developer FoldRx

Bloomberg Businessweek
A Division of The New York Times Company

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS July 2, 2010, 9:15AM ET

Eli Lilly acquires biotech drug developer Alnara

The New York Times

Novartis takes rare road to cures

By Tom Wright
Published: Friday, July 8, 2006

InPharm

Pfizer forms rare diseases unit

By Dominic Tyler
Created: 15/06/2010 - 08:45

Acceleron, Shire sign pact

Boston Business Journal - by Michelle Lang

Date: Thursday, September 9, 2010, 10:05am EDT - Last Modified: Thursday, September 9, 2010, 10:25am EDT

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Protalix: \$115M Gaucher's Deal with Pfizer is Just the Beginning

By Tosta Morrison



Amicus: Building Shareholder Value in 2011

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**Novel
Pharmacological Chaperone
Platform Technologies**

Advanced Product Pipeline

**Strong Partnership with
GSK Rare Diseases**

**Pathway to More Prevalent
Disorders through
Rare Diseases**

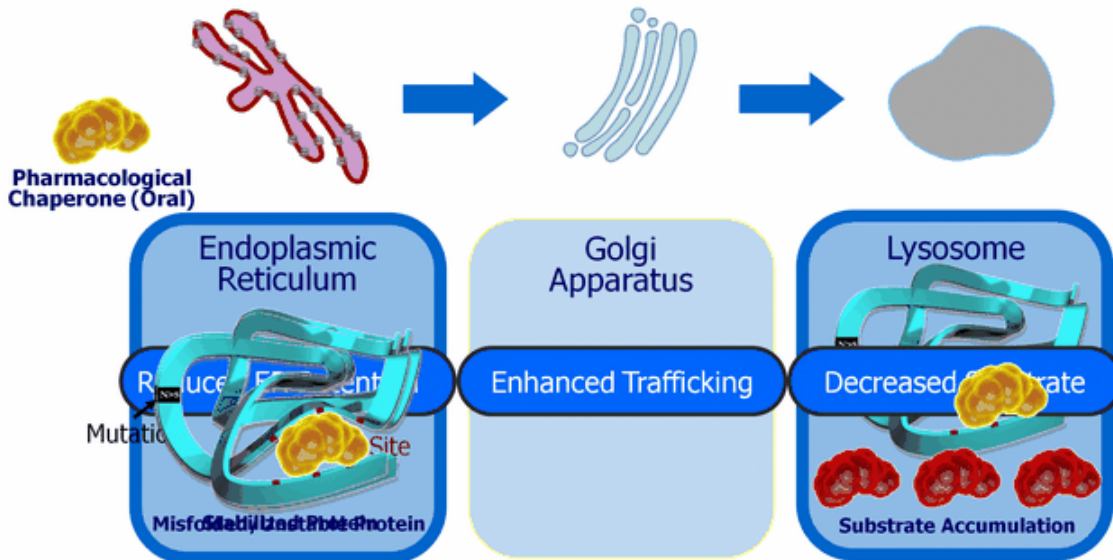


Replacing ERTs in Lysosomal Storage Disorders

Pharmacological Chaperone Monotherapy

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Next Generation Therapy: Replacing ERT
Protein Folding & Pharmacogenetics



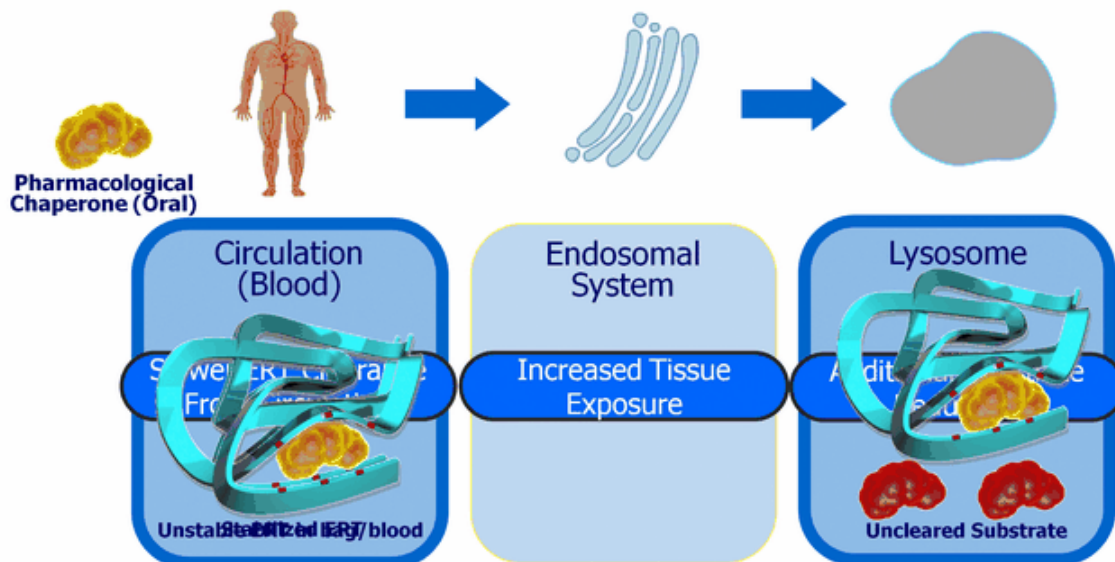
~ 50% of Fabry patients

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Improving ERTs in Lysosomal Storage Disorders Pharmacological Chaperone Co-Administration

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Next Generation Therapy: Enhancing ERT



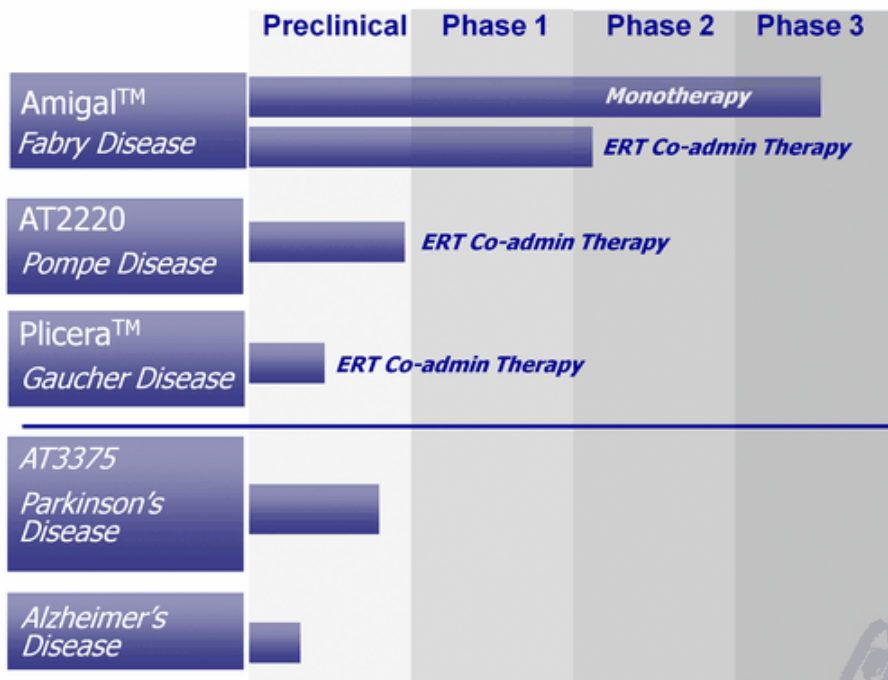
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Advanced Product Pipeline

Building Significant Rare Disease Franchise

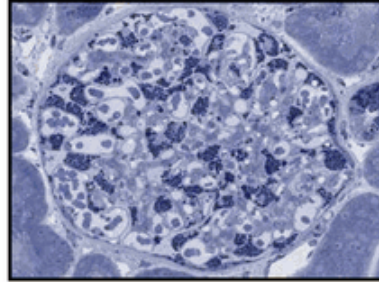
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Amigal for Fabry Disease

Disease Overview

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- Lysosomal Storage Disease
- 5,000 – 10,000 patients worldwide
- Fabrazyme® and Replagal® ERTs
current standard of care
- Current market: \$800MM (est.)
- Males and Females
- GL-3 substrate accumulation
- Kidney, Heart and Brain
- Fatal

Amigal for Fabry Disease

Clinical History of Amigal

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- First in man: 2005
 - 80+ patient-years of data
 - 17 patients remain in Phase 2 extension study
 - 5 patients more than 4 years
 - 12 patients more than 3 years
 - Phase 3 study ongoing
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- Encouraging safety profile to date
 - No drug-related serious adverse events
 - No adverse event trends

Amigal for Fabry Disease

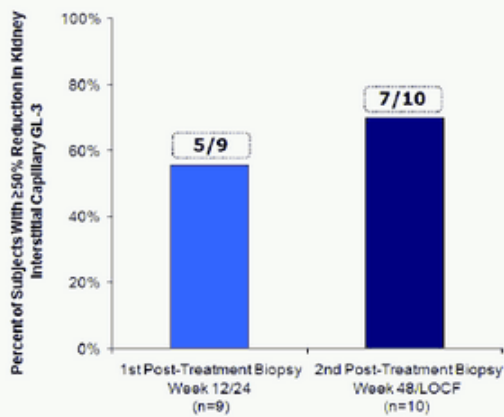
Phase 2 Data Encouraging – Surrogate Endpoints

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GL-3 Substrate Reduced

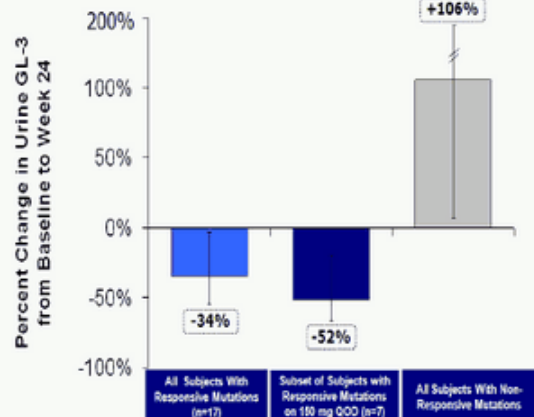
Primary Surrogate

Kidney Interstitial Capillary GL-3



Secondary Surrogate

Urine GL-3



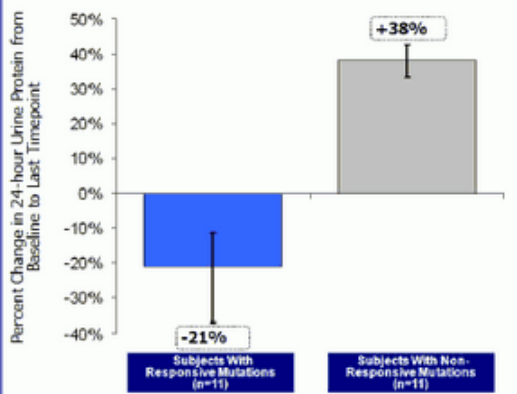
Amigal for Fabry Disease

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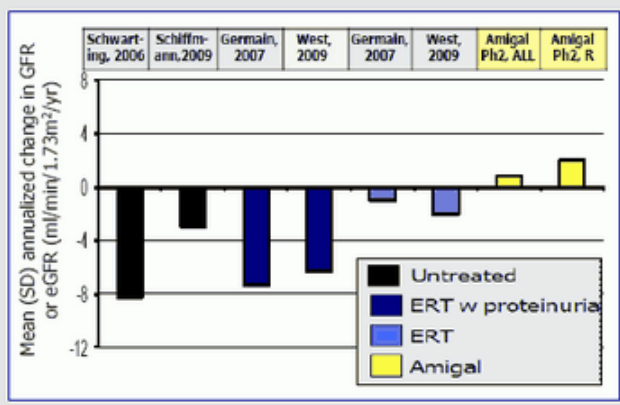
Preliminary Slide 10

Renal Function

Proteinuria



eGFR



Amigal for Fabry Disease

Phase 3 Study 011

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Study Overview

- 60 patients, 6 month trial
- Primary Endpoint:
 - Amigal vs Placebo
 - $\geq 50\%$ reduction in kidney interstitial capillary GL-3
- Enriched patient population
- Males and females

Status Update

- 36 sites initiated globally
- Majority of patients enrolled as of January
- Enrollment completion expected in 1H11
- Top-line results expected in 2H11





*Chaperone-ERT
Co-administration Therapy*

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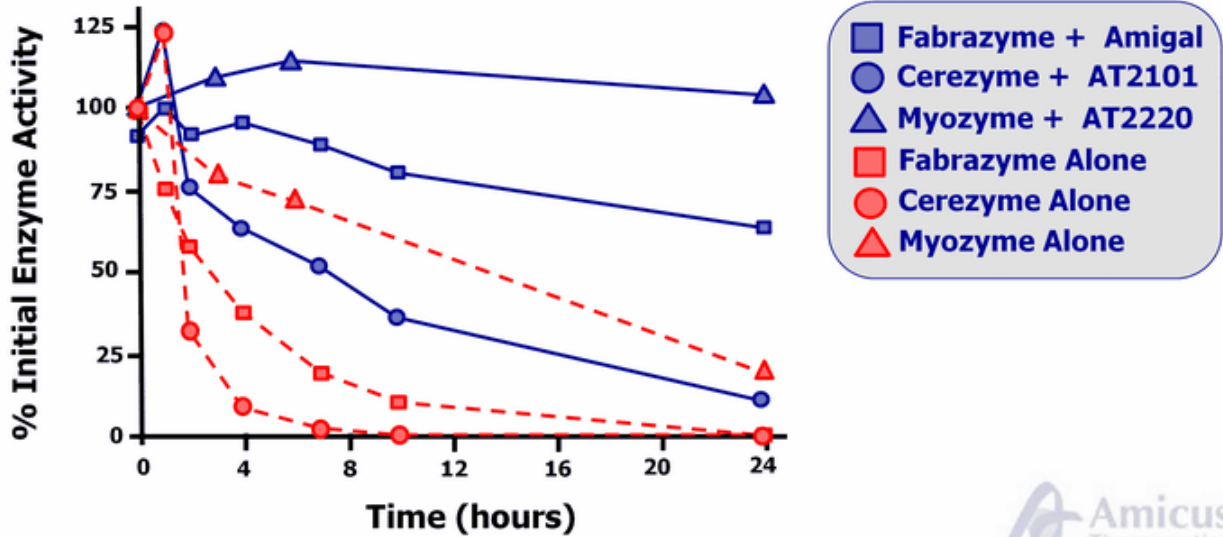
Improving ERTs for Lysosomal Storage Disorders

The Problem

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Enzyme Replacement Therapies Denature Rapidly in Blood

Loss of Activity of ERTs at pH=7.4



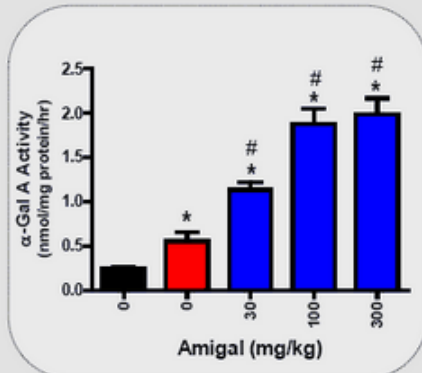
Improving ERT for Fabry Disease

Amigal + Fabrazyme Co-Administration

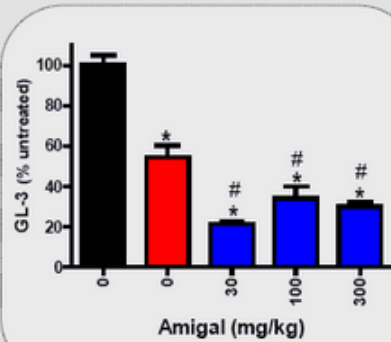
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In pre-clinical studies, Amigal significantly increases Fabrazyme tissue uptake and markedly reduces GL-3 levels in kidney

Fabrazyme Kidney Tissue Uptake



GL-3 Levels in Kidney



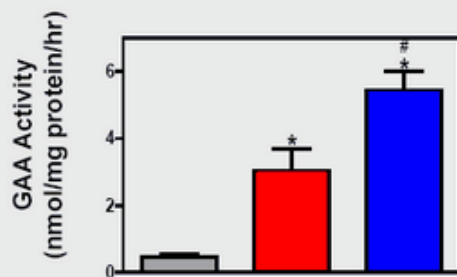
Improving ERT for Pompe Disease

AT2220 + Myozyme Co-Administration

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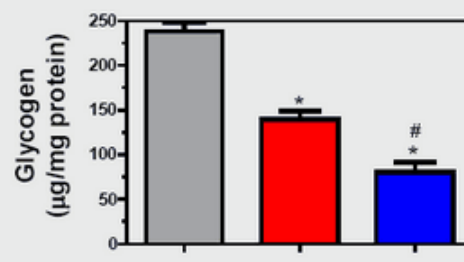
Amicus plans to perform a Phase 2 trial of AT2220 co-administered with ERT based on encouraging preclinical data

Myozyme Diaphragm Uptake



Myozyme	-	+	+
AT2220	-	-	+

Glycogen Levels in Diaphragm



Myozyme	-	+	+
AT2220	-	-	+



*Partnership with GSK Rare Diseases
and Financial Outlook*

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Strong Partnership with GSK Rare Diseases Deal Announced in October 2010

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"Amicus' scientific and clinical expertise in human genetic diseases is among the best in the industry, and we are pleased to be collaborators and investors in this exceptional company."

- Marc Dunoyer, Global Head, GSK Rare Diseases



"GSK has extremely impressive global clinical, regulatory and commercial expertise and a strong commitment to the development of treatments for rare diseases. "

- John Crowley, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Amicus Therapeutics



Strong Partnership with GSK Rare Diseases

Exclusive Worldwide Rights for Amigal

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Rationale

- Validation of potential for technology and Fabry program
- GSK clinical, regulatory, commercial and manufacturing expertise
- Financial strength and flexibility for Amicus

Deal Terms

- \$30MM upfront license
- \$31MM equity investment
- \$170MM development + sales milestones
- Cost sharing on global development
 - 50/50 in 2011
 - 75 GSK/25 Amicus in 2012+
 - Tiered double digit royalties



Strong Partnership with GSK Rare Diseases

Amicus Financial Strength

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The GSK partnership allows Amicus to fully invest in Amigal and advance its pipeline while maintaining cash reserves

- Expected cash balance YE2010: ~ \$100MM
- 2011 Projected Net Spend: \$45-55MM
- Current cash along with anticipated GSK collaboration payments expected to be sufficient through anticipated Amigal U.S. commercial launch



Further Opportunities in 2011

Building Shareholder Value Through Business Development

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Amicus is actively exploring a range of business development opportunities with multiple potential partners

- R&D collaborations with pharmacological chaperone platform technology
- Partnerships and other opportunities to advance our neurodegenerative and chaperone-ERT co-administration programs
- Licensing transactions
- Strategic alliances





Neurodegenerative Genetic Diseases

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Pathway to More Prevalent Disorders

Parkinson's and Gaucher: An Established Link

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Mutations in the gene (*GBA*) now considered most common genetic risk factor for Parkinson's Disease



- Gaucher carriers have an estimated 5-fold increased risk for Parkinson's¹ Disease, and Gaucher patients have a 20-fold risk²
- Multiple independent studies in different populations
- Accumulation of alpha-synuclein is a leading target for new disease modifying therapies

¹Sidransky, New Engl J Med, 2009 Oct 22; 361(17): 1651-61
²Bultron, Journal of Inherited Metabolic Disease, 2010, 33(2):167-173



Pathway to More Prevalent Disorders

Collaboration with The Michael J. Fox Foundation

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"I am pleased to continue working with Amicus on their exciting pharmacological chaperone approach to modify the progression of Parkinson's Disease. Amicus' earlier compound partially reversed the motor deficits in our alpha-synuclein overexpression mouse model, and we are eager to test the improved compounds."

- Marie-Françoise Chesselet, M.D., Ph.D., Charles H. Markham Professor of Neurology and Chair, Department of Neurobiology, David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA



"Currently available treatments for Parkinson's provide symptomatic relief only. Our therapy is designed to address a deficiency that is inherited in a subset of the Parkinson's population, and to actually modify the course of the disease."

- David J. Lockhart, Ph.D., Chief Scientific Officer, Amicus Therapeutics



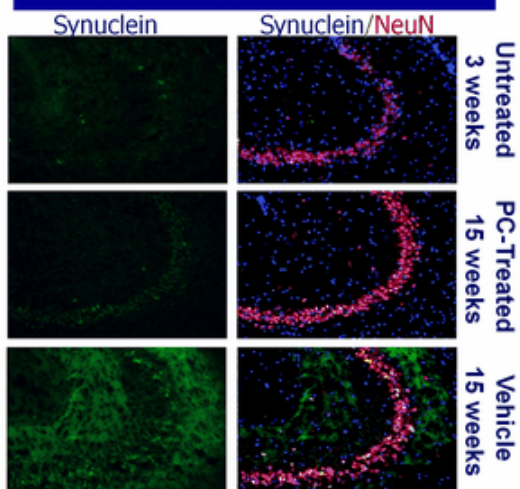
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Significant Advancement in Parkinson's

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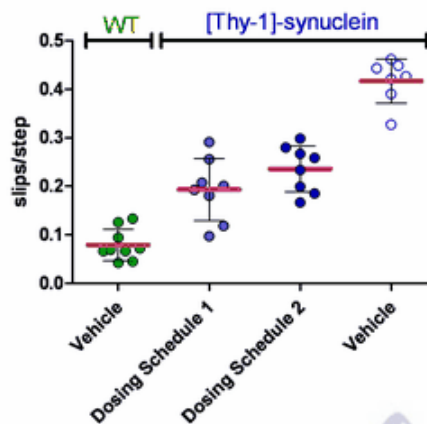
Established proof-of-concept in Parkinson's animal models; increasing Gaucher enzyme (GCase) leads to marked synuclein reduction

Prevention of synuclein accumulation in the brain



Improvement in behavior and motor function

Challenging Beam



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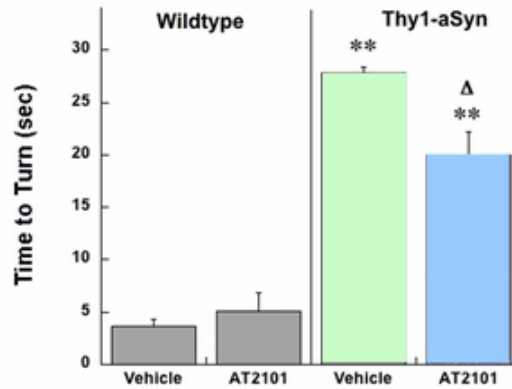
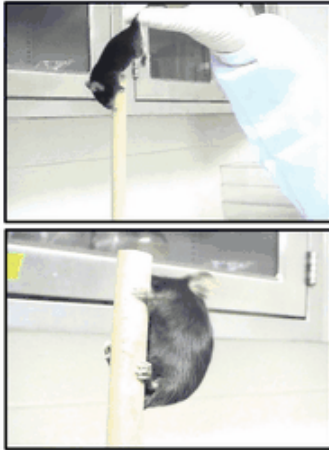
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Significant Improvement in Parkinson's Animals

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The Pole Test:

A measurement of synuclein-dependent motor behavior



"...Amicus' compound partially reversed the motor deficits in our alpha-synuclein overexpression mouse model..."

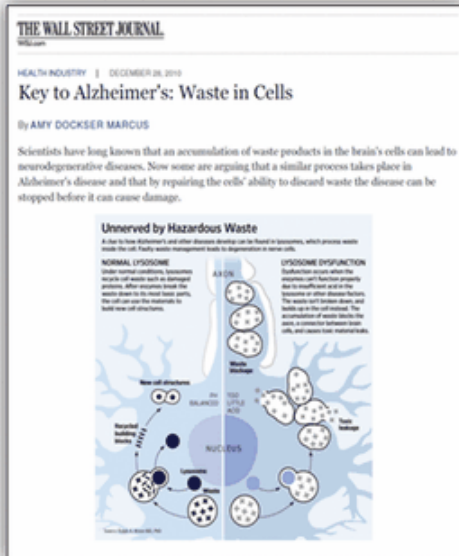
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Pathway to More Prevalent Disorders

Alzheimer's: Link to Lysosomal Storage Disorders

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"The sheer bulk of waste proteins that are accumulating within the neurons in Alzheimer's disease brains is enormous..."

- Ralph A. Nixon, professor of psychiatry and cell biology, Langone Medical Center and the Nathan Kline Institute



Pathway to More Prevalent Disorders

Amicus and Alzheimer's: A Pharmacological Chaperone Approach

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Amicus is researching novel approaches to treating two distinct targets and patient populations within Alzheimer's Disease

Genetic (Familial) Alzheimer's

- Presenilin-1 target
- Missense mutations
- 50,000-150,000 patients in U.S.
- Early pre-clinical POC established

Sporadic Alzheimer's

- Lysosomal enzyme target
- ~4.5MM patients in U.S.

Amicus: Building Shareholder Value in 2011

Amicus 2011 Expected Milestones

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Ten milestones we expect to deliver in 2011

1H 2011

2H 2011

- 1st patient enrolled in Amigal/ERT co-admin study
- 1st patient enrolled in Amigal Ph 3 study 012
- Complete enrollment of Amigal Ph 3 study 011
- Amigal Ph 2 extension study data update
- Start AT2220/ERT co-admin study in Pompe
- Amigal/ERT co-admin study data in Fabry
- Complete Parkinson's preclinical, toxicology and manufacturing IND-enabling activities
- Amigal Ph 3 study 011 top-line results
- Alzheimer's further preclinical proof of concept in:
 - Presenilin-1 (Familial)
 - Lysosomal enzyme target (Sporadic)
- AT2220/ERT co-admin study data in Pompe



Amicus: Building Shareholder Value in 2011

January 2011 Value Proposition

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- Amicus is a leader in rare diseases
- ~ \$125MM Market Cap
- ~ \$100MM cash today
- Product and platform company
- Ten expected milestones in 2011
- Evaluating additional business development opportunities





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John F. Crowley, Chairman and CEO

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Amicus Therapeutics Provides 2011 Business Outlook and Expected Key Milestones

Significant progress expected to further establish Company as a leader in rare diseases

Cranbury, NJ, January 11, 2011 — Amicus Therapeutics (NASDAQ: FOLD) today will provide the Company's business outlook and expected key milestones for 2011 at the 29th Annual J.P. Morgan Healthcare Conference.

At the conference, Amicus is providing an update on its three key areas of focus: Amigal (migalastat hydrochloride) for the treatment of Fabry Disease, the evaluation of pharmacological chaperones co-administered with ERT, and the investigation of pharmacological chaperones for the treatment of diseases of neurodegeneration. The Company intends to identify key milestones expected in 2011 across these three areas, including results from the following studies:

- Phase 3 study of Amigal for Fabry Disease in 2H11
- Phase 2 study of Amigal co-administered with enzyme replacement therapy (ERT) for Fabry Disease in 2H11
- Phase 2 study of AT2220 co-administered with ERT for Pompe Disease in 2H11
- Late-stage preclinical proof of concept studies of AT3375 for Parkinson's Disease, including completion of additional IND-enabling activities, in 2H11.

"2011 promises to be a transformational year for Amicus. This is an exciting time in the rare disease field and we are uniquely positioned to develop new therapies for patients and to build value for our shareholders," said John F. Crowley, Chairman and CEO of Amicus. "This year we intend to achieve multiple milestones, led by our anticipated Phase 3 results for Amigal in Fabry Disease, which we expect to achieve in collaboration with our new partner, GSK Rare Diseases. In addition, we intend to move forward with Phase 2 studies evaluating chaperones co-administered with enzyme replacement therapy (ERT) in both Fabry and Pompe diseases. Finally, we expect important progress in our preclinical programs investigating the use of pharmacological chaperones in genetically defined sub-populations of Parkinson's disease and Alzheimer's disease. "

Financial Guidance

The Company expects to begin 2011 with a cash balance of approximately \$100 million and to spend between \$45 and \$55 million on 2011 operating expenses (net of cost sharing and milestones related to GSK collaboration). The current cash position, including anticipated payments from GSK in connection with the collaboration, is expected to be sufficient to fund the Company's operations and capital expenditure requirements through the anticipated commercial launch of Amigal in the United States.

In 2011, the Company intends to evaluate additional business development opportunities to further build shareholder value. The Company indicates that it is actively exploring a range of opportunities with multiple potential partners.

Amigal (migalastat hydrochloride) for the treatment of Fabry Disease

On October 29, 2010, Amicus announced a definitive agreement with GlaxoSmithKline PLC (GSK) to develop and commercialize Amigal (migalastat HCl), currently in Phase 3 for the treatment of Fabry disease. Under the terms of the agreement, GSK received an exclusive worldwide license to develop, manufacture and commercialize migalastat HCl. Additionally, as part of the agreement, GSK and Amicus also intend to advance clinical studies exploring the co-administration of migalastat HCl with ERT for the treatment of Fabry disease.

The Phase 3 study (Study 011) of migalastat HCl remains the Company's number one priority. Study 011 is ongoing and patients are being enrolled at 36 investigational sites worldwide. A majority of the planned 60 patients have been enrolled in the study. The Company expects to complete enrollment in the first half of 2011 and to report preliminary results from this study in the second half of 2011.

Amicus and GSK intend to commence an additional Phase 3 study (Study 012) in the first quarter of 2011. Study 012 will be an 18-month, randomized, open-label study comparing migalastat HCl to enzyme replacement therapy (ERT) in approximately 60 subjects. The primary outcome of efficacy will be renal function as measured by glomerular filtration rate (GFR).

Chaperone-ERT Combination Therapy

Amicus previously reported promising preclinical data demonstrating that the co-administration of a pharmacological chaperone with ERT has the potential to address key limitations of ERT. The addition of a pharmacological chaperone has been shown to prevent the loss of activity of ERT in the circulation, increase tissue uptake, and increase substrate reduction. Preclinical proof of concept has been established for Fabry disease and Pompe disease.

Amicus and GSK intend to initiate a Phase 2 study with migalastat HCl co-administered with ERT for Fabry disease. This open-label Phase 2 study to investigate drug-drug interactions between migalastat HCl and ERT for Fabry disease is planned to commence in the first quarter of 2011 and results are expected in the second half of 2011.

Additionally, the Company expects to initiate a Phase 2 study with its pharmacological chaperone AT2220 co-administered with ERT for Pompe disease in the first half of 2011 and expects results from this study to be available in the second half of 2011. The Company intends to seek U.S. FDA approval to lift the current partial-hold on the AT2220 program as part of its development plan.

Diseases of Neurodegeneration

Amicus previously reported encouraging results from preclinical studies evaluating the use of a pharmacological chaperone for the treatment of Parkinson's Disease. Today Amicus will announce that in 2011 it expects to complete late stage preclinical proof of concept studies, including IND-enabling activities, for its pharmacological chaperone molecule AT3375, which is in development for the treatment of Parkinson's Disease. The Amicus Parkinson's Disease program is funded in part by a grant from The Michael J. Fox Foundation (MJFF).

Additionally, Amicus is reporting today that it continues to advance its preclinical program evaluating a pharmacological chaperone approach for the treatment of Alzheimer's disease. The Company expects to continue preclinical proof of concept studies during 2011. The Amicus Alzheimer's Disease program is funded in part by a grant from the Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation (ADDF).

About Amicus Therapeutics

Amicus Therapeutics is developing orally-administered, small molecule drugs called pharmacological chaperones, a novel, first-in-class approach to treating a broad range of rare diseases including lysosomal storage disorders and diseases of neurodegeneration. Amicus' lead program is in Phase 3 for the treatment of Fabry disease.

Forward-Looking Statements

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