

Syntara appoints global myelofibrosis experts to support amsulostat development

Syntara Limited (ASX:SNT), a clinical-stage drug development company, is pleased to announce key appointments to assist the company in the clinical and commercial development of amsulostat.

Strategic Advisors to Syntara Board, Haematology

The appointed advisors will provide strategic advice on the development and commercialisation of amsulostat to Syntara's Board and Leadership team.

- **Dr Adam Craig**
Former CEO of CTI BioPharma Corp, responsible for taking the JAK inhibitor Vonjo (pacritinib) through clinical development, FDA approval and subsequent commercialisation. In 2022 CTI was acquired by SOBI in a deal worth US\$1.7 billion.
- **Dr Kevin Lynch**
Former Chief Medical Officer, Antengene and VP Clinical Development and Medical Affairs in Asia, Celgene; involved in early and late-stage development of haematology oncology drugs.

Myelofibrosis Clinical Advisory Board

The appointed members will provide expert clinical insight and advice on the development of amsulostat, including design and management of the planned Phase 2b study.

- **Professor Claire Harrison**
Professor of Myeloproliferative Neoplasms and Deputy Chief Medical Officer at Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust.
- **Dr Gaby Hobbs**
Associate Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School and Clinical Director, Leukemia, Massachusetts General Hospital.
- **Professor John Mascarenhas**
Professor of Medicine at the Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai, Director of the Center of Excellence for Blood Cancers and Myeloid Disorders, and a member of The Tisch Cancer Institute.

Syntara CEO Gary Phillips said, *"The top line results from the Phase 2a study released today reinforce that amsulostat has a unique profile that has the potential to change standard of care for myelofibrosis patients, with excellent tolerability and long-term benefits. I'm delighted that this group of experts with extensive global experience in myelofibrosis have agreed to support the company in the next phase of development of amsulostat."*

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About Syntara

Syntara Limited (ABN: 75 082 811 630) is a clinical stage drug development company targeting extracellular matrix dysfunction with its world-leading expertise in amine oxidase chemistry and other technologies to develop novel medicines for blood cancers and conditions linked to inflammation and fibrosis.

Lead candidate amsulostat (also known as SNT-5505 and previously as PXS-5505) is for the bone marrow cancer myelofibrosis which causes a build-up of scar tissue that leads to loss of red and white blood cells and platelets. Amsulostat has recently been granted Fast Track Designation, having already achieved FDA Orphan Drug Designation and clearance under an Investigational New Drug Application for development in myelofibrosis. After encouraging Phase 2a trial results when used as a monotherapy in myelofibrosis, amsulostat is now being studied with a JAK inhibitor in a suboptimal response setting. A Phase 1c/2 study with amsulostat in patients with a blood cancer called myelodysplastic syndrome has been initiated, with a second trial planned to commence recruitment in Q4, 2025.

Syntara is also advancing topical pan-LOX inhibitors with SNT-9465 in a Phase 1a/b study of hypertrophic scars and continuing the ongoing collaboration with Professor Fiona Wood and the University of Western Australia studying SNT-6302 in keloid scars. SNT-4728 is being studied in collaboration with Parkinson's UK as a best-in-class SSAO/MAO-B inhibitor to treat sleep disorders and slow progression of neurodegenerative diseases like Parkinson's by reducing neuroinflammation.

Other Syntara drug candidates target fibrotic and inflammatory diseases such as kidney fibrosis, MASH, pulmonary fibrosis and cardiac fibrosis.

Syntara developed two respiratory products available in world markets (Bronchitol® for cystic fibrosis and Aridol® - a lung function test), which it sold in October 2023.

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