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To our Sponsors – Update from
FOCUS Clinical Drug Development GmbH

□ **Volunteer web-site**

The new volunteer community web-site FOCUS4you (www.FOCUS4you.de) has gone live today. This is the first German volunteer community platform established to facilitate exchange of information amongst our volunteers (healthy subjects and patients) – and with FOCUS.

By using this novel social marketing tool FOCUS will enlarge its volunteer recruitment capabilities and stimulate the interest of young and elderly healthy volunteers and patients to add their contribution to Drug Development and innovation under the motto: “focus4you - Forschung und Du”.

□ **Enhancement of our Phase II-IV activities**

FOCUS CDD has just entered into a collaboration with Dr. med Reinhild Eberhardt of Dr. Eberhardt Clinical Research (Munich). This collaboration will support the expansion of FOCUS Clinical Research Services in patients by enhancing our late Phase activities and experience. It will enable FOCUS to:

- support our clients from early exploratory development up to confirmatory Phase II-III as well as Phase IV studies,
- benefit from a long established network of experienced GCP-trained PI's
- enhance study planning and conduct of larger multi-center studies
- enhance Phase II/III activities of FOCUS Moscow in Russia

□ **Study Highlights:**

Furthermore, we are pleased to provide you with some examples of study highlights which we have recently performed or initiated:

- Multiple iv dosing of an opioid in 24 healthy volunteers, finalised within 4 weeks
- Combined fMRT/EEG study in the FOCUS hospital-based ward (n=24)
- Multi-center long-term Safety Study over 6 months regarding effect on the male reproductive system
- Inclusion of 20 Japanese subjects within 2 weeks for a 4-way cross-over Pharmacokinetic Study
- Several complicated exploratory clinical development studies initiated or finished in the last few months (thrombosis, schizophrenia, ulcerative colitis, infection)
- Pivotal multi-center (40 centers) Phase III study in white skin cancer
- Complex Proof-of-concept multi-center multi-national Phase II study in chronic heart failure with diabetes type 2
- Complex Proof-of-concept multi-center Phase III study (30 centers) in ankle sprain
- Adolescents (partly) multi-center multi-national Phase III study (30 centers) in vaginal mycosis

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