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Why invest in Enteromedics?

- Growth of obesity is outpacing the surgical interventions
 - "The prevalence of obesity was 36% among U.S. adults during 2011 – 2014"
 - ~\$3 Billion Surgical Market
 - ~200,000 Procedures Annually
 - Only ~1% of Obese Seek Treatment
- Proven management team
- FDA approved and CE marked product

NCHS Data Brief (November, 2015)

American Society for Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery. Estimate of Bariatric Surgery Numbers, 2011-2015. asmbs.org/resources/estimate-of-bariatric-surgery-numbers.

Bariatric Surgery Devices Market Worth \$2.8 Billion By 2022: Grand View Research, Inc. www.prnewswire.com/newsreleases/bariatric-surgery-devices-market-worth-28-billion-by-2022-grand-view-research-inc-550496201.html





Company OverviewManagement Team

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Company Overview

EnteroMedics Inc. is a medical device company, headquartered in St. Paul, MN, focused on the development of devices that use neuroblocking technology to treat obesity, metabolic diseases and other gastrointestinal disorders.

ETRM's proprietary neuroblocking technology, vBloc® Therapy, is designed to intermittently block the vagus nerve, which blocks signals of hunger between the stomach and brain.

- FDA approved long-term solution to obesity
- Minimally invasive/outpatient surgical procedure
- No permanent anatomical alterations
- Maintain diet choices

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 Safe weight-loss surgical-device option that avoids many potential complications for alternative procedures







Executive Leadership

New executive leadership brings seasoned experience in creating shareholder value.



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Dan W. Gladney – Chairman, President, and Chief Executive Officer

- CEO and Chairman of the Board at Lanx, Inc., which was acquired by EBI Holdings, LLC
- Senior Advisor and Healthcare Operating Partner at Norwest Equity Partners, a private equity and venture capital firm
- Co-Founder and former CEO of HLT Inc., a medical device company, acquired by The Bracco Group
- President and CEO at Compex Technologies Inc., a healthcare equipment company that was acquired by DJO Global Inc.
- CEO and President of Acist Medical Systems, Inc., acquired by Bracco S.p.A.

Management Team



SCOTT P. YOUNGSTROM - CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

- Financial executive focused on creating shareholder value with 25 years of strategic financial and operational experience in a variety of medical device companies
- Galil Medical, Anulex, Enpath Medical, Compex Technologies

PAUL F. HICKEY – VICE PRESIDENT, MARKETING

- Proficient medical device executive with 20+ years of marketing, clinical reimbursement and R&D expertise
- Zimmer, Lanx

PETER M. DELANGE - VICE PRESIDENT, OPERATIONS

- Medical device executive and entrepreneur with 20+ years of medtech product development and operations leadership
- Devicix, Acist Medical Systems

NICK A. ANSARI – VICE PRESIDENT, SALES

- Proven background in creating distribution, launching new technologies, and developing long-term relationships with customers
- Medtronic, Johnson & Johnson, Stryker, Globus, Lanx

SCOTT A. SHIKORA MD FACS - CHIEF MEDICAL ADVISOR

 Medical Advisor. Past president of ASMBS. Extensive experience in bariatric and metabolic surgery as well as neuromodulation and clinical development expertise

EnteroMedics

Professor of Surgery, Harvard Medical School





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Board of Directors



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- Former President of Medtronic's Pacemaker Business
- Member of Audit and Compensation Committees and observation Rights on the Nominating & Governance Committees



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- Former Executive Vice President of Optum, Inc.
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- Former Executive at Medtronic including President of Neurological, Physio Control, Tachyarrhythmia Management and Interventional Vascular Divisions
- Member of the Nominating & Governance Committee





Understanding vBloc®

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Competitive Procedures



BALLOON (~\$8,000 procedure cost)

 Temporary and must be removed



BY-PASS

(~\$24,000 procedure cost)

- Significant anatomy changes
- Very restrictive diet for lifetime
- Potential for serious complications



BAND (~\$15,000 procedure cost)

- Inconsistently effective
- Anatomy restricting



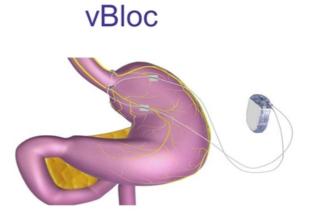
SLEEVE

- (~\$19,000 procedure cost)
- Irreversible anatomy changes
- Very restrictive diet for lifetime
- Potential for serious complications



vBloc® Advantages

- Non-anatomy altering procedure
- Minimally invasive outpatient procedure
- Lower complication rate
- Patient eats normal food
- Durable life-long therapy
- Improved quality of life



vBloc Advantages



(1) Center for Disease Control (CDC)

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- FDA Approved
- Patient Eligibility
 - BMI of 35 39.9 with health-related conditions
 - BMI of 40 45
- ~700 Implanted Devices Worldwide
- Clinical Data Highlights vBloc Therapy as a Leader in Clinical Safety

How vBloc Therapy Works

Neurometabolic Therapy

 2 leads connected to the vagus nerve to block hunger signals between brain + stomach

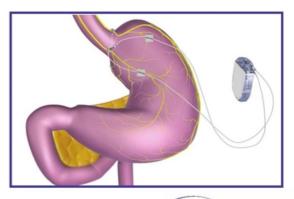
Customizable for every Patient

- Therapy delivered up to 18 hours per day
- Can adjust level of blocking intensity
- Can be turned on and off or removed (e.g. pregnancy)

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Recharged wirelessly by Patient





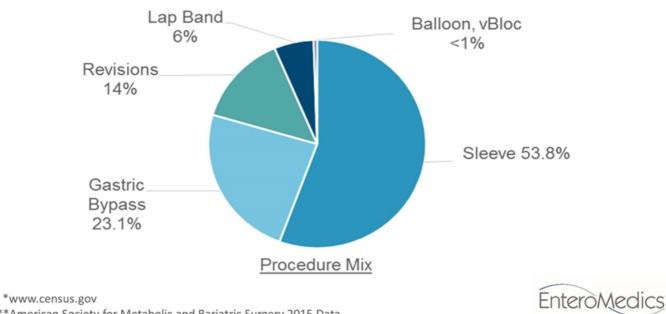


Market

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U.S. Obesity Market – Large Underserved Market

- 2015 U.S. Population 18-80 years old ~ 220 million*
 - U.S. Population with BMI 35-45 ~ 18% or 40 million (potential vBloc Patients) .
- Procedures Done In 2015 ~ 196,000**
 - Less invasive device market growth projection > 30% yr/yr**



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Payer Obesity Concerns

- According to the World Health Organization, there are over 70 progressive obesity-related diseases and disorders including Type II Diabetes.
- ~44% of the global diabetes burden is attributable to overweight and obesity.

Employer Obesity Concerns

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- An employee with BMI = 40 will miss about 77% more days of work for illness, short-term disability & workers' compensation reasons compared to BMI = 25.
- Obese employees with BMI >35 have more annual costs per year (~\$8,000) in covered medical claims, sick days, short-term disability, and workers' compensation claims combined.

Public Markets

- Apollo Endosurgery, Inc. obesity treatment products include the Orbera Intragastric Balloon System and Lap-Band System. Apollo is in the process of a reverse merger with Lpath, Inc. (NASDAQ:LPATH)
- Obalon Therapeutics, Inc. (NASDAQ:OBLN) offers the Obalon balloon system

	VBloc neurometabolic therapy	OBALON	
Market Cap. (Public) Enterprise Value (Private)	\$7M Market Cap.	\$150M Market Cap.	\$251M Projected Enterprise Value ⁽¹⁾
9 Month Revenue (2016)	\$0.6M (U.S.)	\$2.6M (products sold to a Middle East Distributor) \$0 in U.S.	\$49.4M (products sold in over 80 countries)

(1) Based on Torreya Capital's discounted cash flow analysis filed as part of Form S-4 (filed on November 23, 2016) with the SEC regarding Apollo's Endosurgery's reverse merger with Lpath, Inc. (NASDAQ:LPATH).





Commercialization

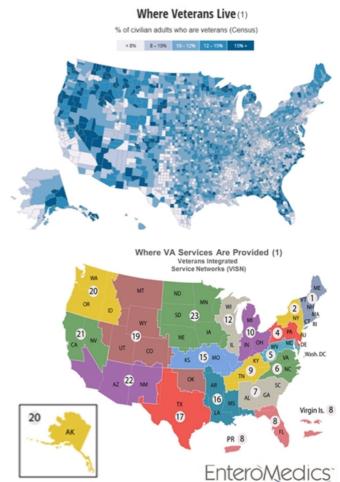
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2017 Commercialization Strategies

- Establish vBloc as a standard of care for Veterans within the U.S. VA System with a focused Direct-to-Patient marketing effort.
- 2. Obtain favorable commercial payer and/or Medicare Administrator Contractor Coverage
- 3. Expand our number of vBloc Institutes, surgeon partners, and covered lives within IDNs across the U.S.
- 4. Collect and publish vBloc commercial outcomes data to further demonstrate safety, efficacy, and cost-effectiveness.
- 5. Explore select international markets.
- 6. Continue to expand and protect our intellectual property position.

Establish vBloc Therapy as Standard of Care for Veterans

- vBloc Therapy is a covered benefit for over 21 million U.S. veterans
- Marketing lead generation programs directed toward veterans
 - e-mail campaign, social media
- Qualified leads sent to facility/surgeon
 - Trained VA surgeon
 - Registered vBloc "Choice Program" surgeon



(1) U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

 Our reimbursement strategy is multi-faceted and will drive long-term coverage.

✓ Clinical Data – Continue to publish efficacy, and safety data

 Cost Savings – Publish pharmacoeconomic savings and complication reduction costs

 Physician Demand – vBloc surgeons are actively engaging commercial payers and MACs

- Patient Demand Support patients during prior authorization and appeal process
- Society Support Continue to leverage strength of society's support

Expand Our vBloc Commercial Sites

Institute Obligations

- Data collection/publication
- Employee coverage (where applicable)
- Payer and employer engagement
- vBloc marketing programs

Current customers include:









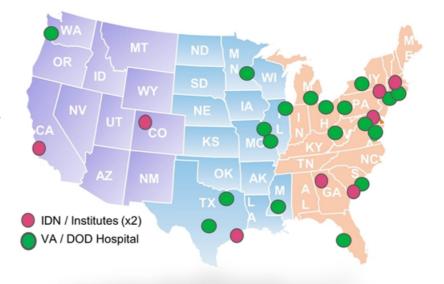
EnteroMedics' Obligations

- vBloc training and credentialing
- Co-marketing support
 - Direct-to-patient marketing
 - Referral network programs
- Payer and employer engagement



Sales Team Expansion

 Clinically focused sales organization supporting vBloc physicians, weightmanagement specialists and nurses



Position	2016	Focus
Sales	4	Lead Sales support effort for vBloc Institutes and VA's
Field Clinical Specialist	3	Clinical support for surgeries and vBloc aftercare
Canadian Distributor		Lead Sales support effort for Canada
U.S. VA Distributor	-	Support VA sales process



Clinical Data

Strong Clinical Data

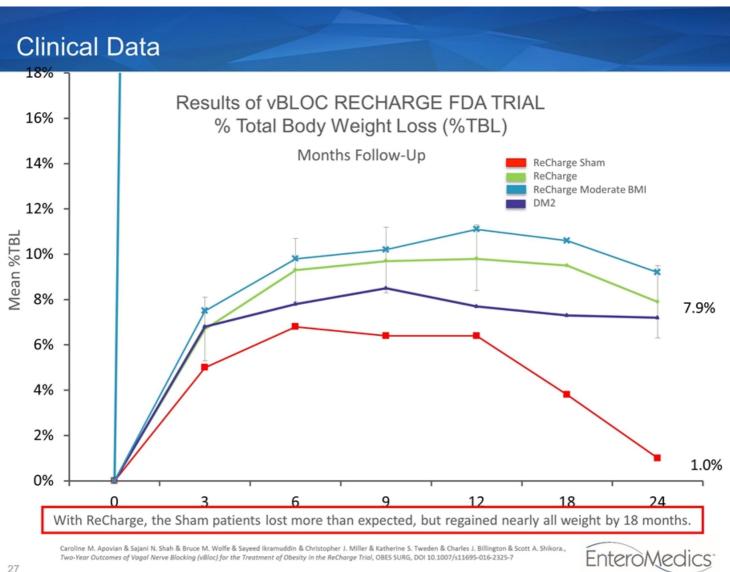
	Patients (yrs. implanted)	Design	Key Outcomes
vBloc RECHARGE (Level I study) ^{7,8,9}	239 (2011)	Prospective, randomized, double-blind, 2:1 allocation, sham control, rechargeable device: 12,18 & 24 month analysis	 24.4% EWL ITT group Unprecedented super-superiority endpoint not met (sham effect), but superiority shown over sham (p=.002) Safety endpoint met (3.7% related SAEs) <u>Durable WL in vBloc and not sham at 18 mo</u> <u>21%EWL and 50% remittance of pre-diabetes and metabolic syndrome at 2 yrs</u>
vBloc DM2 (Type II Diabetes) ^{3,4,5}	28 (2007-2009)	Prospective, observational study with a rechargeable device, BMI 30-40 kg/m ² and Type II Diabetes: 1, 2 & 3 year analysis	 1,2 & 3 year results: 25%, 22% & 24% EWL 1 & 0.6 (2 & 3 yrs) percentage point reduction in HbA1c In hypertensive subjects, 8 & 7(2 & 3 yrs) mmHg reduction in mean arterial pressure 2 device-related SAEs through 3 yrs
vBloc EMPOWER ⁶ (Level I study)	294 (2007-2008)	Prospective, randomized, double-blind, 2:1 allocation, sham control, external power source, 1 year study	 Greater weight loss with ↑ hours of therapy (30% EWL with ≥12 hrs/day) Unanticipated therapeutic effect in control arm from safety checks Safety endpoint met
vBloc – RF2 (Safety and Efficacy) ²	27 (2007)	Prospective, observational 6 month study, 2nd generation RF device, BMI 31.5-55 kg/m ²	 23% EWL 1 device-related SAE Greater weight loss than 1st generation device due to 2 minute ON times (intermittent algorithm)
vBloc – RF1 (Proof of Concept) ¹	31 (2006)	Prospective, observational 6 month study, BMI 31.5- 55 kg/m ²	 14% EWL No device-related SAEs Calorie intake ↓ 30% with ↑ fullness and ↓ hunger Pancreatic polypeptide reduced (indirect measure of vagal blocking)

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SIGNIFICANT Reduction In Co-morbidity Risk

1 Year Follow-up					
Risk Factor	Outcomes with 10% Total Body Weight Loss	Health Improvement Observed			
HbA1c (%) (Diabetes Trial)	-1.0	Clinically significant improvement in diabetic health			
Waist Circumference (reduction in inches)	-7"	Reduction of abdominal fat, the fat associated with CV disease			
Triglycerides (mg/dL)	-41	– Drop in "bad" cholesterol			
Total Cholesterol (mg/dL)	-15				
LDL (mg/dL)	-9				
HDL (mg/dL)	3				
Heart Rate (bpm)	-6	Overall improvement in cardiovascular health			
Diastolic BP (mmHg)	-6				
Systolic BP (mmHg)	-9				

50% remittance of pre-diabetes and metabolic syndrome at 2 yrs

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Winthrop University vBloc Patient Success Story

12 months of vBloc Therapy

Lost 75 lbs* (~27% TBL)

Off Insulin 100%

Stopped Taking Several Other Medications

Estimated \$15,000 Annual Savings Reported by Patient

"This new technology aligns with our mission to provide high quality, safe and comprehensive healthcare, while also helping to address the significant healthcare costs associated with obesity." John Collins, President and CEO, Winthrop University Hospital

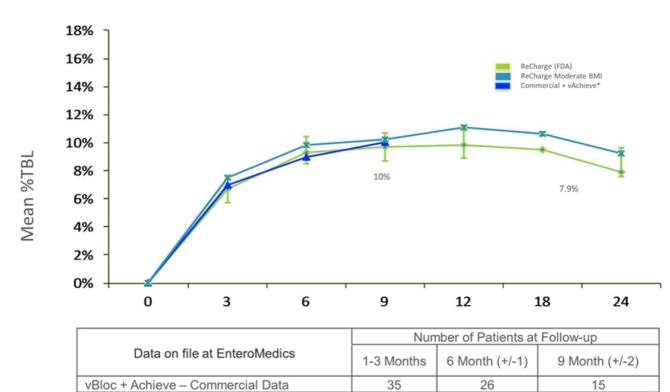


*Results may not be representative of all patients

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Clinical Data

Commercial vBLOC Results Compared to ReCharge (%TBL at 9 Months)





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