

# Tetraphase Pharmaceuticals to Present Data at 28th European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases

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– Phase 3 IGNITE4 Results in Complicated Intra-Abdominal Infection Recognized as a ‘Best Rated Abstract’ –

– Other Key Eravacycline and TP-6076 Data to Also be Highlighted –

WATERTOWN, Mass., April 12, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- [Tetraphase Pharmaceuticals, Inc.](http://www.tetraphase.com) (NASDAQ:TTPH), a biopharmaceutical company focused on developing and commercializing novel antibiotics to treat life-threatening multidrug-resistant (MDR) infections, today announced six data presentations at the 28<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (ECCMID), taking place April 21-24 in Madrid, Spain at the IFEMA – Feria de Madrid. Presentations will include information about the Company’s lead drug candidate, eravacycline, which is in development for the treatment of complicated intra-abdominal infections (cIAI), as well as data for TP-6076, the lead candidate under its second-generation program to target MDR Gram-negative bacteria.

“We are pleased to present data from the IGNITE4 study, which garnered a ‘Best Rated Abstract’ designation at this year’s ECCMID Congress,” said Guy Macdonald, President and Chief Executive Officer of Tetraphase Pharmaceuticals. “In addition, we will share findings from a large-scale surveillance study conducted by the International Health Management Associates in Europe, in which eravacycline demonstrated potent *in vitro* activity against more than 1,550 multidrug-resistant isolates of clinically significant Gram-negative and Gram-positive organisms collected globally. We believe these data further support the clinical profile of eravacycline in treating serious and life-threatening infections and look forward to the Prescription Drug User Fee Act (PDUFA) goal date of August 28, 2018 for eravacycline.”

Mr. Macdonald adds, “Further, we are encouraged by data demonstrating the *in vitro* activity of TP-6076. In a study of more than 100 isolates from hospitals in Greece, TP-6076 exhibited greater antimicrobial activity against carbapenem-resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii* than comparator antibiotics, thereby supporting our commitment to developing this pipeline asset for MDR Gram-negative infections.”

Larry Tsai, M.D., Chief Medical Officer of Tetraphase, stated “I’m pleased to be presenting IGNITE4 data which demonstrate high clinical cure rates in patients with cIAI comparable to meropenem. These data are instrumental in our belief that eravacycline offers a clear advantage to carbapenems in cases where Gram-negative resistance is a concern. We look forward to sharing these important data with the medical community at ECCMID this year.”

The details for the data presentations at ECCMID are as follows:

## ***Eravacycline oral presentation – A ‘Best Rated Abstract’***

**Presentation title:** Results of IGNITE4: a phase-3 study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of eravacycline versus meropenem in complicated intra-abdominal infections

**Date and time:** Sunday, April 22 from 11:30a.m. – 12:00p.m. CEST

**Location:** Hall Q

**Presentation number:** #O0421

**Speaker:** Larry Tsai, M.D.

**Session information:** Snapshot on pre-registration clinical trials

## ***Eravacycline poster presentations***

**Poster Title:** *In vitro* activity of eravacycline and comparators against resistant Gram-negative isolates collected in 2016 from patients in Europe

**Date and time:** Saturday, April 21 from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. CEST

**Location:** Paper Poster Arena

**Poster number:** #P0099

**Session information:** Activity of new or re-purposed non-beta lactam drugs against Gram-negatives

**Poster title:** Eravacycline *in vitro* activity against European clinical isolates obtained in 2016 from urinary and gastrointestinal sources, including drug resistant pathogens

**Date and time:** Saturday, April 21 from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. CEST

**Location:** Paper Poster Arena

**Poster number:** #P0100

**Session information:** Activity of new or re-purposed non-beta lactam drugs against Gram-negatives

**Poster Title:** Global surveillance of *in vitro* activity of eravacycline and comparators against *Enterobacteriaceae*, *Stenotrophomonas maltophilia*, *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Enterococcus spp.* collected during 2016

**Date and time:** Saturday, April 21 from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. CEST

**Location:** Paper Poster Arena

**Poster number:** #P0101

**Session information:** Activity of new or re-purposed non-beta lactam drugs against Gram-negatives

**Poster title:** Eravacycline is active against bacterial isolates carrying emergent resistance types

**Date and time:** Sunday, April 22 from 1:30 – 2:30 p.m. CEST

**Location:** Paper Poster Arena

**Poster number:** #P1156

**Session information:** Diverse mechanisms of resistance - Gram negatives

## ***TP-6076 poster presentation***

**Poster title:** Activity of TP-6076 against carbapenem-resistant *Acinetobacter baumannii* isolates collected from inpatients in Greek hospitals

**Date and time:** Saturday, April 21 from 3:30-4:30 p.m. CEST

**Location:** Paper Poster Arena

**Poster number:** #P0106

**Session information:** Activity of new or re-purposed non-beta lactam drugs against Gram-negatives

**Additional Activities:**

- Tetrphase will be hosting an Exhibit Booth (#5A) at ECCMID 2018 from 12:00 to 6:00 p.m. CEST on Saturday, April 21; 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CEST on Sunday, April 22 and Monday, April 23; and 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. CEST on Tuesday, April 24.
- Tetrphase has provided an independent educational grant in support of a Continuing Medical Education Symposium entitled "Emerging options for complicated Gram-negative infections: considerations for intra-abdominal and urinary tract infections." It will take place on Monday, April 23, from 4:00 to 6:00 pm CEST at the ECCMID 2018 venue, IFEMA – Feria de Madrid, Hall R.

Full abstracts can be found on the ECCMID website at [www.eccmid.org](http://www.eccmid.org).

**About Tetrphase Pharmaceuticals, Inc.**

Tetrphase is a biopharmaceutical company using its proprietary chemistry technology to create novel antibiotics for serious and life-threatening bacterial infections, including those caused by many of the MDR bacteria highlighted as urgent public health threats by the Centers for Disease and Control. The Company has created more than 3,000 novel tetracycline analogs using its proprietary technology platform. Tetrphase's pipeline includes three antibiotic clinical candidates: eravacycline, which has completed phase 3 clinical trials and is under review for potential approval in complicated intra-abdominal infections by the Food and Drug Administration and the European Medicines Agency, and TP-271 and TP-6076, which are in phase 1 clinical trials. Eravacycline is an investigational product only and has not been approved for commercialization. Please visit [www.tphase.com](http://www.tphase.com) for more Company information.

**Forward-Looking Statements**

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