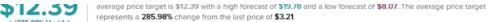
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COMPASS Pathways (CMPS)

Next up is COMPASS Pathways, a leader in psychedelic drug development. COMPASS is working on creating new treatments from psilocybin, the active ingredient in the so-called 'magic mushrooms.' COMPASS is working with psilocybin to create new therapies for treatment-resistant depression, a major issue in current mental health programs. Psilocybin's effects are similar to those produced by LSD or mescaline, and include a distorted perception, especially in the perception of time.

Psilocybin has been the subject of medical research since the 1960s, a track that picked up in the early 2000s. Three years ago, the US FDA granted Breakthrough Therapy Designation to COMPASS' psilocybin-assisted therapy for major depressive disorder and treatment-resistant depression, a move that put new life into the company's clinical research.

COMPASS has been releasing details on that research over the past several weeks. On November 9, the company announced positive top-line results from a 233-patient Phase IIb study of COMP360, its leading drug candidate. COMP360 is a psilocybin therapy for treatment-resistant depression, used as a single does with psychological support. Patients in the study showed a 'rapid and sustained' response to treatment with a single dose. Clinically relevant reduction in depressive symptoms lasted as long as three weeks after dosing, with longer effect for higher doses up to 25mg.

Further data released earlier this month showed that the primary and secondary endpoints of the study confirm the topline results. Patients reported benefits beyond reduction of depression symptoms, and COMP360 was well tolerated. Results of this Phase IIb study, with an emphasis on determining proper dosage, will be used to plan a larger Phase III pivotal trial in 2022.

One important factor, however, differentiates COMPASS's treatment from other novel pharmaceuticals: psilocybin cannot be patented, as it is produced in large quantities in nature, by multiple species of mushrooms. Difficulties in protecting intellectual property will put an important headwind when COMPASS moves to commercialize the drug.

Even so, H.C. Wainwright's Trucchio is bullish here. The analyst notes a couple of factors that bode well for the program: "First, we believe the potential pivotal Phase 3 program could include the potential for flexible dosing, [and] could include the option for a second exploratory (active drug) session; we believe this could address variability of response among patients with TRD, who by definition are more difficult to treat. Secondly, clarity on the clinical development pathway should arrive in 1H22 following end-of-Phase 2 meetings with regulators including EMA (Europe) and FDA (U.S.), which so far have been open-minded in their approach to the clinical development of psilocybin, which we note has Breakthrough Therapy status in the U.S..."

To this end, Trucchio rates CMPS a Buy along with a \$120 price target. Investors could be pocketing gains of ~327%, should Trucchio's forecast hit the mark over the next 12 months. (To watch Trucchio's track record, click here)

Overall, we're looking at a stock that has a unanimous Strong Buy consensus rating, despite its highly speculative nature; all 8 of the analysts who have reviewed this one recently agree that it's a Buy. The average price target of \$84.75 implies an upside of 201% by the end of next year. (See CMPS stock forecast on TipRanks)

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