

## Veracyte Chairman and CEO to Speak at MedCity CONVERGE

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Jul. 2, 2018-- <u>Veracyte, Inc.</u> (Nasdaq: VCYT) today announced that Bonnie Anderson, chairman and chief executive officer, will speak at the 2018 <u>MedCity CONVERGE</u> conference in a session entitled, "Early Diagnosis Through Predictive Biomarkers, Noninvasive Testing," which will focus on opportunities to detect cancer at its earliest stages. The session will be held in Philadelphia on July 11 at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

Ms. Anderson will join fellow executives in a discussion of emerging technologies and genomic discoveries – and what will be needed to translate these developments into actionable tests that ultimately transform how cancer is diagnosed and treated. She will share her perspectives on critical opportunities in lung cancer, where Veracyte has a commercialized genomic test that helps improve lung cancer diagnosis and is pursuing development of a simple nasal swab test to detect the disease at its earliest stages, when it is more treatable.

"The vast majority of our healthcare resources currently focus on treating cancer once it is diagnosed, which is often too late," said Ms. Anderson. "However, advances in genomic science, sequencing technology and machine learning are providing tremendous new opportunities to detect cancer earlier, when it can be treated and potentially even prevented. This is particularly true in lung cancer, which still kills more Americans than the next three leading cancers combined."

MedCity CONVERGE is a two-day conference that gathers executives representing technology disruptors, payers, providers, life science companies, venture capitalists and more to discuss how Artificial Intelligence, Big Data and Precision Medicine are changing the game in cancer. The 2018 event will take place in Philadelphia on July 11 and 12. More information can be found at <a href="https://events.medcitynews.com/converge/">https://events.medcitynews.com/converge/</a>.

## **About Veracyte**

Veracyte, Inc. (Nasdaq: VCYT) is a leading genomic diagnostics company that is providing trustworthy and actionable answers that fundamentally improve patient care when current diagnostic tests are uncertain. The company's products uniquely combine genomic technology, clinical science and machine learning to provide answers that give physicians and patients a clear path forward without risky, costly surgery that is often unnecessary. Since its founding in 2008, Veracyte has commercialized three genomic tests, which are transforming the diagnosis of thyroid cancer, lung cancer and idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis and collectively target a \$2 billion market opportunity. Veracyte is based in South San Francisco, California. For more information, please visit www.veracyte.com and follow the company on Twitter (@veracyte).

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