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MindMed Releases Investor Presentation Highlighting How the Company is Unlocking the Power of Psychedelics for Patients and Shareholders

Details Why MindMed's Ideally Qualified Nominees Are the Right Choice to Oversee the Company's Strategic Execution as it Approaches First Clinical Data Readouts Later this Year

Urges Shareholders to Protect Their Investments and Vote on the WHITE Universal Proxy Card for ALL SIX of the Board's Nominees

NEW YORK – May 25, 2023 – Mind Medicine (MindMed) Inc. (NASDAQ: MNMD), (NEO: MMED), (the "Company" or "MindMed") today announced that it has released an investor presentation in connection with its 2023 Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The presentation details how under the guidance of MindMed's world-class Board of Directors the Company is executing against a well-defined plan to createvalue – with two Phase 2 clinical readouts for lead product candidate MM-120 (LSD D-tartrate) expected in late 2023. MindMed urges all shareholders to vote "FOR" the Company's six highly qualified director nominees using the WHITE universal proxy card at the upcoming Annual Meeting, scheduled for June 15, 2023.

The presentation is available at www.ProtectMindMed.com or on the investor relations section of the Company's website.

Robert Barrow, Chief Executive Officer and Director of MindMed, stated: "MindMed is at a pivotal inflection point. As we approach our first clinical trial readouts, we are well-positioned to address multiple areas of unmet need for patients and to generate value for our shareholders. All six of our director nominees are proven – with significant experience serving on public company boards and in executive roles in the healthcare industry. If our nominees are elected, our Board will also be 100% refreshed since mid-2021. Most importantly, this group has the right expertise in the areas critical to MindMed's success: drug development and commercialization; financial management and capital allocation; and corporate governance and compliance.

FCM's proposals for the Company lack credibility, are based on faulty assumptions and spreadsheet math, and would expose shareholders to significant risk. Electing any of FCM's candidates could derail our progress at the worst possible time. FCM's candidates simply do not possess the right experience or backgrounds – especially in comparison to MindMed's nominees.

In our view, the choice for shareholders is clear. We encourage you to protect your investment in MindMed by voting for all six of the Company's nominees on the WHITE card today."

VISIT WWW.PROTECTMINDMED.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION

Due to new U.S. federal rules requiring us to list FCM's nominees in addition to the Board's nominees, your <u>WHITE</u> proxy card this year has more names on it than the six directors to be elected. The inclusion of FCM's nominees on our <u>WHITE</u> proxy card does NOT mean the Board endorses them.

Vote TODAY on the <u>WHITE</u> proxy card FOR all six of the Board's nominees, WITHHOLD on FCM's nominees and FOR the other proposals recommended by your Board.

You can help reject FCM's efforts to take control of the Board by discarding any blue proxy cards and materials you may receive from FCM.

Shareholders will receive proxy materials directly via the preferred method, hard copy or email, specific to each shareholder's account. If you have any questions, or need assistance voting your shares, please contact the firm assisting us in the solicitation of proxies:

Morrow Sodali LLC 509 Madison Avenue, Suite 1206 New York, NY 10022 Banks and Brokers Call: (203) 658-9400 Shareholders Call Toll Free: (800) 662-5200 Email: <u>MNMD@investor.morrowsodali.com</u> Shareholders that do not receive proxy materials should contact your broker and request the <u>WHITE</u> voting control number or contact Morrow Sodali.

About MindMed

MindMed is a clinical stage biopharmaceutical company developing novel product candidates to treat brain health disorders. Our mission is to be the global leader in the development and delivery of treatments that unlock new opportunities to improve patient outcomes. We are developing a pipeline of innovative product candidates, with and without acute perceptual effects, targeting neurotransmitter pathways that play key roles in brain health disorders.

MindMed trades on NASDAQ under the symbol MNMD and on the Canadian NEO Exchange under the symbol MMED.

Cautionary Notes and Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements in this press release related to the Company constitute "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable securities laws and are prospective in nature. Forward-looking information is not based on historical facts, but rather on current expectations and projections about future events and are therefore subject to risks and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from the future results expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements. These statements generally can be identified by the use of forward-looking words such as "will", "may", "should", "could", "intend", "estimate", "plan", "anticipate", "expect", "believe", "potential" or "continue", or the negative thereof or similar variations. Undue reliance should not be placed on forward-looking information, which are inherently uncertain, are based on estimates and assumptions, and are subject to known and unknown risks and uncertainties (both general and specific) that contribute to the possibility that the future events or circumstances contemplated by the forward-looking statements will not occur. There can be no assurance that the plans, intentions or expectations upon which forward-looking statements are based will in fact be realized. Forward-looking information in this press release includes, but is not limited to, statements regarding the potential benefits and development of the Company's product candidates, trials, studies and programs; the strengths and benefits of the Company's strategic plan; the Company's business plans and objectives; the ability of MindMed to achieve success consistent with management's expectations; and the expected impact and results of the Company's director nominees.

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There are numerous risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results and the Company's plans and objectives to differ materially from those expressed in the forward-looking information, including history of negative cash flows; limited operating history; incurrence of future losses; availability of additional capital; changes in market conditions; lack of product revenue; compliance with laws and regulations; changes in government policy; difficulty associated with research and development; risks associated with clinical trials or studies; heightened regulatory scrutiny; early stage product development; clinical trial risks; regulatory approval processes; novelty of the psychedelic inspired medicines industry; as well as those risk factors discussed or referred to herein and the risks described in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022 and the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the fiscal quarter ended March 31, 2023 under headings such as "Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements," and "Risk Factors" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and other filings and furnishings made by the Company with the securities regulatory authorities in all provinces and territories of Canada which are available under the Company's profile on SEDAR at <u>www.sedar.com</u> and with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on EDGAR at <u>www.sec.gov</u>. Except as required by law, the Company undertakes no duty or obligation to update any forward-looking statements contained in this press release as a result of new information, future events, changes in expectations or otherwise.

Additional Information and Where to Find It

MindMed has filed with the SEC and Canadian securities regulatory authorities on May 1, 2023 a definitive proxy statement on Schedule 14A (the "proxy statement"), containing a form of **WHITE** universal proxy card, with respect to its solicitation

of proxies for the annual general meeting of shareholders of MindMed on June 15, 2023 (the "Annual Meeting"). Details concerning the nominees of MindMed's Board for election at MindMed's Annual Meeting are included in the proxy statement. This press release is not a substitute for the proxy statement or other document that MindMed has filed or may file with the SEC and Canadian securities regulatory authorities in connection with any solicitation by MindMed.

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May 2023

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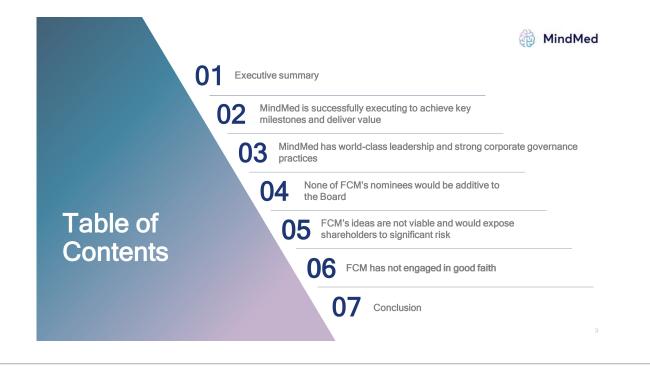
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MindMed at a Glance: A Global Leader in Brain Health (the) MindMed MindMed uses industry-leading drug development expertise to unlock the full therapeutic potential of psychedelics and other novel therapeutic targets Advancing Proprietary Drug Candidates Across Psychiatric Indications MM-402 Generalized Anxiety Disorder (GAD) & Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Enhanced pharmacology Potential to overcome safety liabilities Standard delivery / dosing model · Well-characterized pharmacology Accelerated development potential HN_CH3 MM-120 MM-402 2 48 '\$36M Invested in R&D in Full-time **Clinical readouts** expected this year employees 2022

Executive Summary



MINDMED'S STRATEGY Executing a well-defined plan to create value by developing novel product candidates to treat brain health disorders At a <u>pivotal inflection point</u> - with two Phase 2 clinical readouts for MM-120 expected in 2023 Well-capitalized, with cash on hand of \$129 million as of the end of Q1 2023 - sufficient to fund operations beyond key development milestones in 2023 and into the first half of 2025		MINDMED'S BOARD A diverse set of nominees who have <u>relevant</u> <u>backgrounds and expertise</u> in the areas critical to	creation, does	FCM track record of s not manage any in	nstitutional capital
		MindMed's success: drug development and commercialization; financial management and capital allocation; and corporate governance and compliance Highly respected professionals with <u>significant public</u> company board and executive level experience in the healthcare/biopharma industry New nominee David Gryska - former CFO of two S&P 500 pharma companies - will further strengthen the Board with deep financial and public company director experience	 and is led by a college student who tried to turn MindMed into a meme stock for FCM's own gain FCM's ideas lack credibility, are based on faulth assumptions and would expose shareholders to significant risk by creating disruption at a critica time FCM's myriad false statements and troubling actions call into question its nominees' fitness for the Board 		
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pending U.S. patent applications R&D pipeline		Board refreshment since September 2021	 No credible strategic plan for the Company 	 No significant public healthcare company board or 	 No meaningful experience overseeing clinica
\$129M cash on hand as of end of Q1 2023				executive officer experience or gender diversity	trials in psychiatry or psychedelics or commercializatior of pharmaceutica products

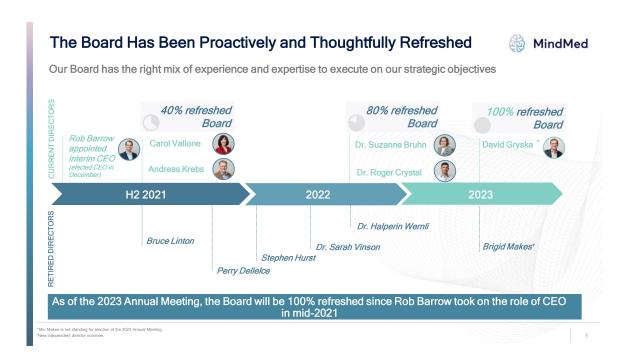
antioipato	the following key milestones in 2023:		
	Topline results from Phase 2b study of MM-120 for the treatment of Generalized Anxiety Disorder		
	Topline results from Phase 2a proof-of-concept trial of repeated low-dose MM-120 in ADHD		
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Prec	linical results demonstrating the potential of MM-402 in autism spectrum of and initiation of our first sponsored clinical trial of MM-402	lisoraer	
FCM	's costly and distracting proxy contest comes at the worst possible time for shareh	olders	

We Have Refocused Our Strategic Priorities

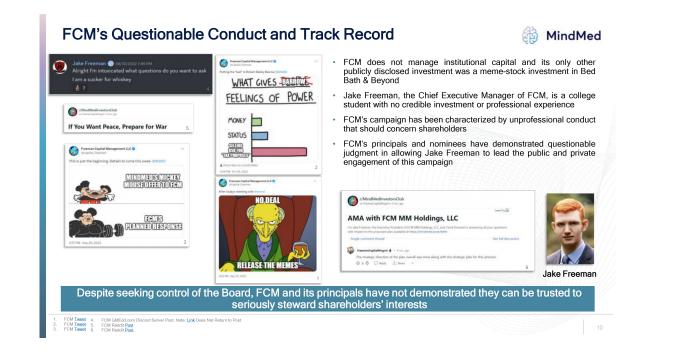


Since Rob Barrow became CEO in mid-2021, MindMed has:





FCM does not understand the current business, which has changed and grown significantly since Scot Freeman was removed from the Company in 2020	experience and expertise	 FCM's ideas are not viable and rest on a reckless suggestion to bypass a Phase 2 study for MM-120 	 FCM has suspect motives and clear conflicts of interest and has not engaged in good faith with the Company - including rejecting multiple settlement attempts
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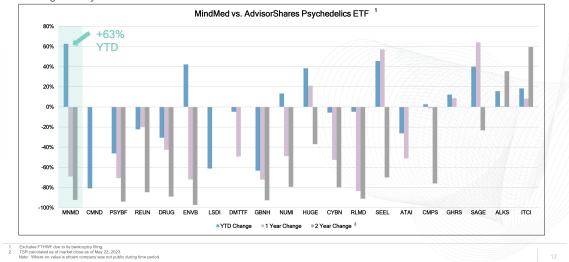


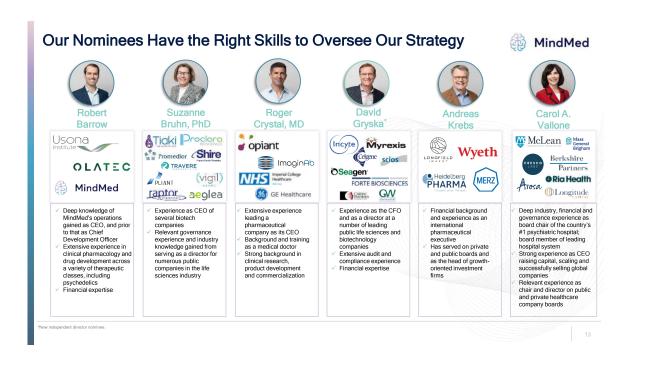
FCM's candidates do not p period	possess the necessary skills of	r expertise to lead MindMed th	nrough this pivotal
Scott Freeman	Farzin Farzaneh	Vivek Jain	Alexander Wodka
President of Scott Freeman	Co-Founder, CSO of ViroCell	Co-Founder & CEO of LOKO,	Retired; Former Executive at
Consultant LLC	Biologics Ltd., a private CDMO	a video-only dating app	Crowe LLP, an accounting firm
 No public company board or senior executive experience beyond a short stint at MindMed Background in oncology; no relevant experience in psychiatry or MindMed's drug class 	 No public company board or senior management experience No relevant experience overseeing clinical trials in psychiatry or MindMed's drug class 	 No experience in areas relevant to MindMed's business (CEO of a dating app company) No healthcare board or senior management experience 	 No relevant healthcare experience (worked at this same accounting firm as Jake Freeman's father) No public company board or senior management experience
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Headwinds Transitioning to Positive Momentum



TSR has been challenged in-line with sector peers - but recent performance reflects MindMed's momentum heading into key milestones





MindMed's Nominees Have Proven Track Records of Delivering MindMed **Shareholder Value**

MindMed's Nominees

While serving as a senior executive or director of a public company

- Sale of Wyeth to Pfizer (NYSE: PFE) for \$68B
- Sale of Seagen to Pfizer (NYSE: PFE) for \$43B
- Sale of GW Pharma to Jazz Pharma (Nasdaq: JAZZ) for \$7.2B
- Sale of Scios to Johnson & Johnson (NYSE: JNJ) for \$2.4B
- · Sale of Raptor Pharma to Horizon Pharma (Nasdaq: HZNP) for \$800M
- Sale of Aerie Pharma to Alcon (SIX/NYSE: ALC) for \$753M
- Sale of Opiant to Indivior (LON: INDV) for \$145M

Proven track record of delivering over \$120 billion in value to shareholders

FCM's Nominees



Independent Experts Validate MindMed's Strategy



Greenleaf Health - a leading third-party FDA regulatory consulting firm - has supported MindMed's MM-120 development approach

 Greenleaf calls Phase 2b dose-ranging clinical trial an "essential component" to the MM-120 development program - and highlights the risk that skipping to Phase 3 would present:

"The ongoing MM-120 Phase 2b trial is designed to address fundamental questions about dose-response, target population, preliminary evidence of efficacy on accepted FDA endpoints for anxiety, and safety that will provide clarity and confidence in designing a Phase 3 program. To initiate Phase 3 trials before these foundational issues have been adequately addressed would substantially increase the chances of a failed trial and/or uninterpretable results."

 Further, Greenleaf highlights previous data is not sufficient justification for moving to Phase 3:

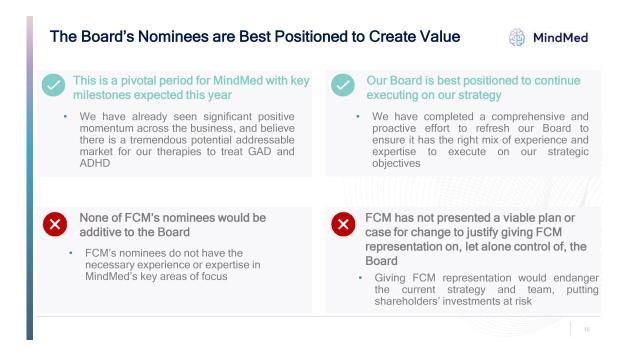
"...the studies from the published literature are **not sufficient to support a proposal for** streamlining the MM-120 program directly into Phase 3. Such a plan, if presented to the FDA by MindMed would likely trigger a clinical hold." Greenleaf Health

John Jenkins, MD Principal, Drug and Biological Products Former FDA Director Office of New Drugs (CDER)

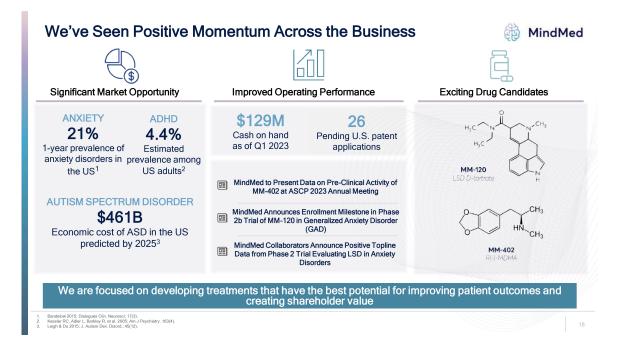
Sandra Kweder, MD Principal, Drug and Biological Products Former FDA Deputy Director Office of New Drugs (CDER)

Brian Corrigan, JD Executive Vice President, Regulatory Policy

Independent analysis by former senior FDA officials makes clear that FCM's suggestion not only lacks a credible basis but would likely halt progress on MM-120's development



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Our Strong Research & Development Pipeline



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Key Drug Candidate: MM-120 Program

MindMed

Proprietary drug candidate with evidence of clinical benefits across a broad range of brain health disorders

We are positioned for two key data readouts this year and have recently reached an enrollment milestone in our Phase 2b trial for GAD with over 50% of patients dosed across 20 active clinical sites

1. Phase 2b in GAD / Topline Readout in Late 2023 200-patient Phase 2b dose-optimization trial to assess safety, determine effect size and inform dose selection for pivotal Phase 3 studies

2. Phase 2a in ADHD | Topline Readout in Late 2023 52-patient Phase 2a proof-of-concept trial to assess safety and efficacy of repeated low-dose MM-120 administration MindMed Announces Enrollment Milestone in Phase 2b Trial of MM-120 in Generalized Anxiety Disorder (GAD)

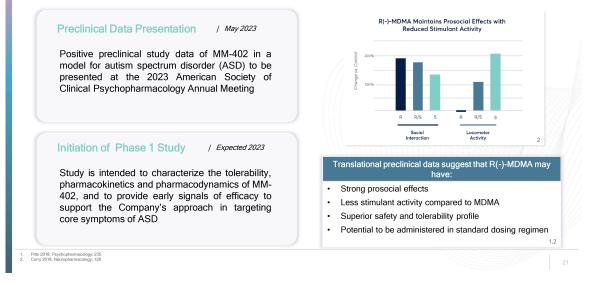
Over 50% of patients dosed across 20 active clinical sites –
 On track for topline results in late 2023 –

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Key Drug Candidate: MM-402 Program

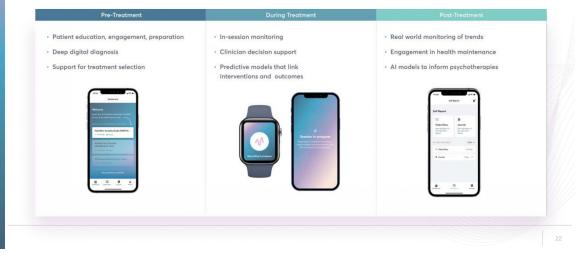


Proprietary drug candidate being developed as first ever treatment for core symptoms of ASD



Digital Medicine Designed to Enhance the Value of Our Therapeutic MindMed Offerings

Our drug development strategy is closely complemented by a platform of digital medicine programs that we are developing to facilitate adoption, use and access to our product candidates

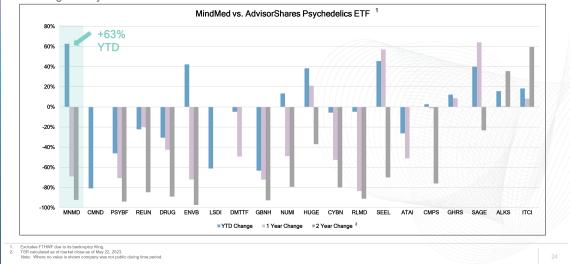


• We are focused on protecting our innovation and market	MindMed's pa	atent portfolio
 potential through IP-oriented R&D strategies Our current management team and R&D leaders - all of whom have been hired since Scott Freeman left the Company - are the inventors of all of our key patents on our lead product candidates 	26 pending U.S. patent applications	12 pending Pater Cooperation Treaty applications
FCM's claims about IP issues are unfounded	Applications	include:
 MindMed currently owns and retains all clinical data and manufacturing rights for its lead product candidates – including MM-120 	 ✓ composit ✓ dosing ✓ dosage for ✓ methods 	
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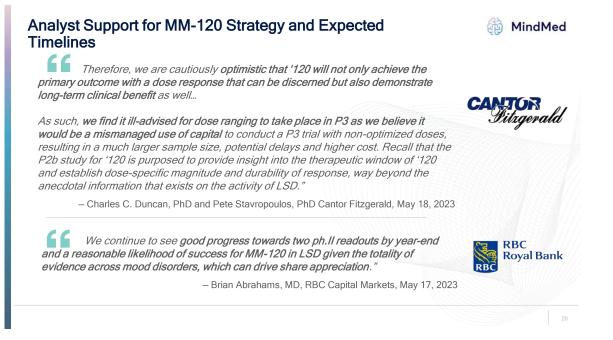
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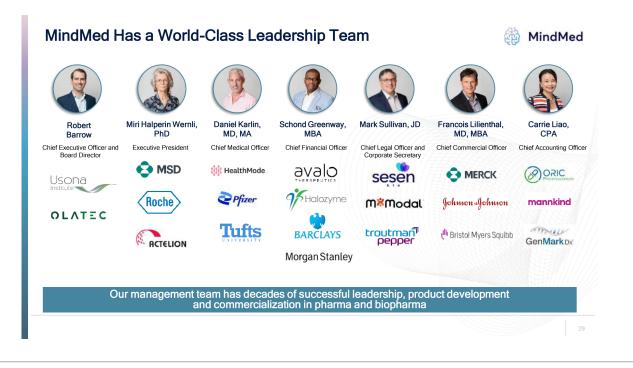






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strong Corporate Governance Policies		🍪 MindM			
Best P	ractices	I	Refreshed Bo	ard	The Right Perspectives
New Independent board chair in 2021	Approximation of the second se				5 of 6 Independent Directors
<u> </u>		Robert Barrow Chief Executive Officer	Suzanne Bruhn, PhD Member of Comp Committee and Nom and Corp Gov	Roger Crystal, MD Member of Comp Committee and Nom and Corp Gov	
Annually elected directors	Robust Code of Conduct and Ethics		Committee	Committee	33% Directors are Women ¹
Regular, proactive communications with shareholders	Prohibit directors and employees from hedging or pledging Company shares	David Gryska* Incoming Chair of Audit Committee	Andreas Krebs Vice Board Chair, Chair of Nom and Corp Gov Committee, Member of Audit Committee	Carol A. Vallone Board Chair, Chair of Comp Committee, Member of Audit Committee	100%
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Our Compensation Program is Aligned with Shareholders' Interests MindMed

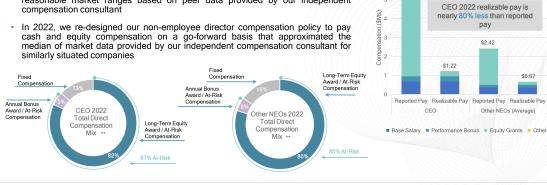
2022 Realizable Pay* Reflects Impact of Actual Stock Performance

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MindMed's approach to executive compensation links pay to performance

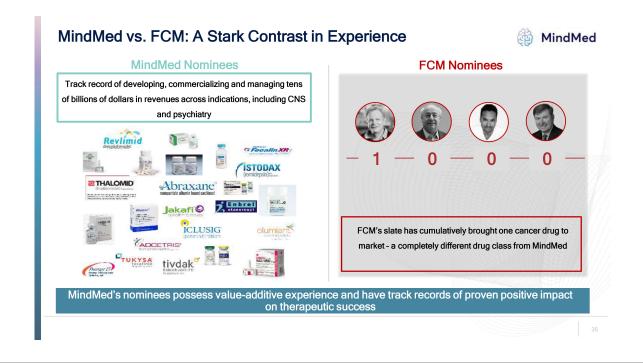
- 87% and 85% of Mr. Barrow's and our other NEOs' respective 2022 total direct compensation was "at-risk," with payout and value directly tied to Company performance, in the form of annual incentive and equity awards granted
- Our executive compensation levels for the past two years generally fall within reasonable market ranges based on peer data provided by our independent compensation consultant



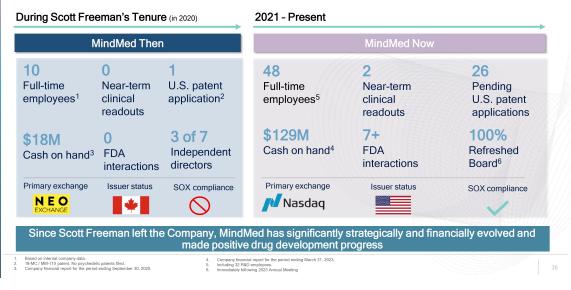
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Scott Freeman President of Scott Freeman Consultant LLC	Farzin Farzaneh Co-Founder, CSO of ViroCell Biologics Ltd., a private CDMO	& CEO of LOKO, Retired; Former Executive at
 No public company board or senior executive experience beyond a short stint at MindMed Background in oncology; no relevant experience in psychiatry or MindMed's drug class 	 x No public company board or senior management experience x No experience overseeing clinical trials in psychiatry or MindMed's drug class x No healthcare senior manage experience 	adMed'sexperience (worked at the same accounting firm as Jake Freeman's father)board orxNo public company board
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MindMed has Undergone a Comprehensive Transformation in the Past Two Years



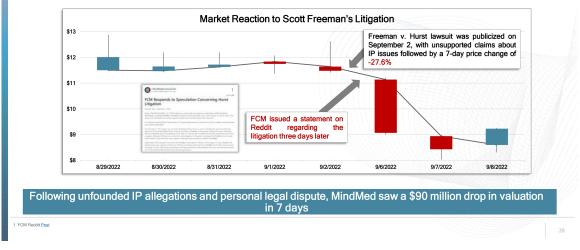
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OCT \$6.7 million NIH grant to fund 18-MC preclinical work	FEB Savant submits 18-MC IND	JUL Savant enters into Foundational Agreement and Contribution Agreement (transferring 18-MC to MindMed')	JUN Rob Barrow appointed interim CEO SUMMER FDA feedback received
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	reeman did nothing to address FDA concerns opted under his leadership led to the reallocat upon acquisition by MindMed		cal trial design flaws

Scott Freeman's Actions Do Not Reflect Shareholders' Best Interests



In the summer of 2022, Scott Freeman filed a lawsuit against MindMed co-founder Stephen Hurst containing allegations about MindMed's intellectual property, following which the Company's stock price dramatically declined



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FCM's Proposed Path Forward is a Fantasy



The ideas FCM has raised demonstrate an ignorance of the FDA drug approval process applicable to major market psychiatric disorders and of the capital allocation and financing needs of a company at MindMed's growth stage

We believe implementing its ideas would destroy value for shareholders



	FCM's unrealistic idea calls for moving directly to Phase 3 trial of MM-120
	tiate the long overdue Phase III clinical trial for MM-120 (LSD) in 2023 based on the two Phase II clinical trials in Generalized xiety Disorder (GAD) already completed by MindMed's collaborator, Dr. Matthias Liechti."
	Demonstrates a deep misunderstanding of clinical trials and working with controlled substances
• •	here is no credible basis for the claim that the Phase 2 study could be skipped
i	Vithout our Phase 2b dose optimization study, we would not be able to make critical clinical determinations including (1) making formed decisions about the sample size or statistical power for our Phase 3 studies (2) determining an appropriate dose (3) lemonstrating a clinical response in a pure GAD population or (4) demonstrating clinical response on a clinical outcome measure hat is accepted by FDA in GAD studies ¹
(CM's stubborn focus on this unrealistic proposal shows that its principals and director nominees lack any meaningful experience or expertise with either the complex regulatory regime governing our clinical programs or the basics of the drug development process or a new molecular entity in a new drug class for psychiatric disorders
	CM also appears unaware that Phase 3 studies cannot be done without extensive preclinical studies and manufacturing efforts, which take years

Independent Experts Validate MindMed's Strategy



Greenleaf Health - a leading third-party FDA regulatory consulting firm - has supported MindMed's MM-120 development approach

 Greenleaf calls Phase 2b dose-ranging clinical trial an "essential component" to the MM-120 development program - and highlights the risk that skipping to Phase 3 would present:

"The ongoing MM-120 Phase 2b trial is designed to address fundamental questions about dose-response, target population, preliminary evidence of efficacy on accepted FDA endpoints for anxiety, and safety that will provide clarity and confidence in designing a Phase 3 program. To initiate Phase 3 trials before these foundational issues have been adequately addressed would substantially increase the chances of a failed trial and/or uninterpretable results."

 Further, Greenleaf highlights previous data is not sufficient justification for moving to Phase 3:

"...the studies from the published literature are **not sufficient to support a proposal for** streamlining the MM-120 program directly into Phase 3. Such a plan, if presented to the FDA by MindMed would likely trigger a clinical hold." Greenleaf Health

John Jenkins, MD Principal, Drug and Biological Products Former FDA Director Office of New Drugs (CDER)

Sandra Kweder, MD Principal, Drug and Biological Products Former FDA Deputy Director Office of New Drugs (CDER)

Brian Corrigan, JD Executive Vice President, Regulatory Policy

Independent analysis by former senior FDA officials makes clear that FCM's suggestion not only lacks a credible basis but would likely halt progress on MM-120's development

UHB Principal Investigator Agrees with MindMed

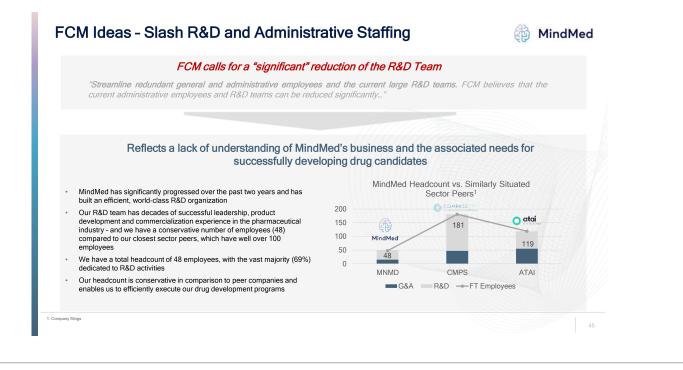


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Dr. Matthias Liechti, MindMed's collaborator at University Hospital Basel - whose investigator-initiated trial FCM itseli suggested could be leveraged to skip to Phase 3- agrees our current plan is the best path forward

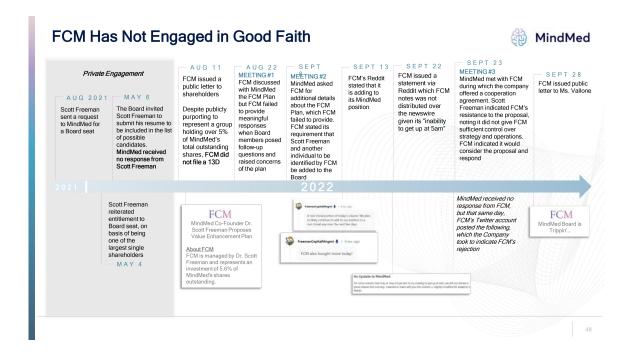
I fully support the decision to run another dose-finding study for several reasons. First, the LSD-assist study was an investigatorinitiated study and conducted largely in one private practice. Second, the formulation in the LSD-assist (lysergide) is different from MM-120 (lysergide D-tartrate). I agree that the dose-finding study by MindMed is an important and critical step for a solid development plan as it is very important to select the best dose before conducting large phase 3 studies. A dose ranging study also helps increase investigator experience in administering psychedelics as they were unlikely to have been familiar with managing the tolerability and setting aspects for this class of drug. MindMed made the right choice to replicate and expand our findings first before making the final dosing decisions.

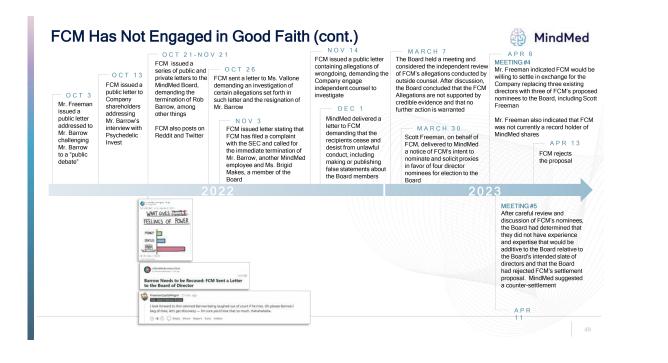
FCM's plan to skip to a Phase 3 trial is unrealistic and would lead to value destruction for shareholders





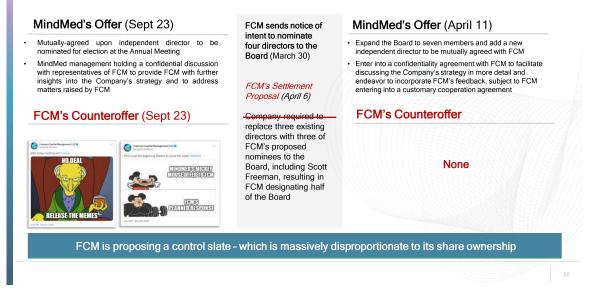
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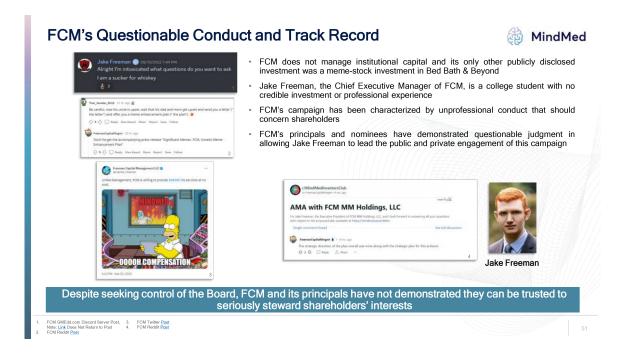




Our Attempts at a Constructive Solution Have Been Rejected







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Conclusion - MindMed's Nominees Are the Right Choice for Shareholdersd Med

MindMed's strategy is working	We have the right leadership	FCM's nominees are the wrong choice
We are executing a carefully constructed plan and are approaching our first clinical trial data readouts later this year We are well-capitalized and well-positioned to be a leader in the emerging clinical psychedelics industry while addressing multiple areas of massive unmet need in GAD and ADHD While our share price performance has been impacted by industry-wide headwinds, our 63% YTD TSR is ahead of peers and reflects our positive momentum	 Our current Board and management team have built the Company as it stands today from the ground up - bringing in individuals with extensive research, development, commercialization, psychiatric and technology expertise Our Board nominees are proven - they have significant experience serving on public company boards and at an executive level in the healthcare/biopharma industry Our management and R&D teams are ideally qualified to help achieve our objectives and reflect the professionalization of MindMed 	 FCM's nominees do not - individually collectively - possess relevant expertise of industry backgrounds that would be additive especially in comparison to the Board' proposed slate of directors Since Scott Freeman was removed from the Company in 2020, MindMed has significant evolved and become a completely differencompany. The ideas FCM has proposed lack credibility are based on faulty assumptions and would expose shareholders to significant risk bic creating disruption at a critical time
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Robert Barrow





Key Qualifications

- Accomplished pharmaceutical executive
- Drug development expertise, in psychiatry and psychedelics
- Financial expertise
- ✓ Public company director

Robert Barrow possesses deep knowledge of the Company and extensive experience in clinical pharmacology and drug development in a variety of therapeutic areas, as well as financial expertise - all of which are essential to our Board.

Mr. Barrow is an accomplished pharmaceutical executive and clinical pharmacologist with over a decade of experience leading drug development programs in a variety of disease areas. Prior to his current position as Chief Executive Officer, he served as MindMed's Chief Development Officer and Senior Vice President of Development. Mr. Barrow previously served as Director of Drug Development & Discovery at the Usona Institute, where he oversaw the organization's research and development activities, leading the clinical development and gaining a breakthrough therapy designation for its psilocybin program in major depressive disorder. Prior to joining the Usona Institute, Mr. Barrow served as Chief Operating Officer and a director of Olatec Therapeutics LLC, a private, clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company, where he oversaw the execution of early- and late-stage development programs in the fields of analgesics, rheumatology, immunology and cardiovascular disease. Mr. Barrow has also served as both a technical and business adviser to numerous pharmaceutical organizations ranging from startups to Fortune 500 companies.

He holds a Masters degree in Pharmacology from Ohio State University and a Bachelor of Science degree in Finance from Wake Forest University, where he graduated summa cum laude. Mr. Barrow is also a CFA charterholder.

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Suzanne Bruhn, PhD





Key Qualifications

- ✓ Life science company CEO experience
- ✓ Biotechnology, pharmaceutical and therapeutics industry experience
- ✓ Board and corporate governance expertise

Suzanne Bruhn, PhD possesses significant experience as chief executive officer of several biotech companies and as a member of the board of directors of several public companies in the life sciences industry, which provide her with the relevant public company governance experience and industry knowledge that are necessary to our Board.

Dr. Bruhn is an accomplished life sciences executive and brings expertise in R&D, commercialization, and executive leadership to this role. She is the President and Chief Executive Officer of Tiaki Therapeutics, a privately held biotechnology company. Prior to that, Dr. Bruhn served as President and Chief Executive Officer of Proclara Biosciences, Inc., a private, clinical-stage biotechnology company, and as President and Chief Executive of Promedior, Inc., a private, clinical-stage biotechnology company. Prior to Promedior, she spent 13 years at Shire Human Genetic Therapies (HGT), a division of Shire PLC, specializing in the development and commercialization of treatments for orphan diseases, where she held a series of positions of increasing responsibility before serving as Senior Vice President of global regulatory affairs. During her tenure at Shire/HGT, Dr. Bruhn was responsible for establishing the program management function, driving strategic planning and portfolio management, and for global regulatory affairs. Prior to her time at Shire, Dr. Bruhn held various positions at Cytotherapeutics, Inc., a biotechnology company. Dr. Bruhn currently sits on the board of directors of Pliant Therapeutics, Inc., (NASDAQ: PLRX), Travere Therapeutics, Inc. (NASDAQ: TVTX) and Vigil Neuroscience (NASDAQ: VIGL). She has served on the boards of directors of several publicity traded therapeutics and pharmaceutical companies, including: Avalo Therapeutics, Inc. (Ka Cerecor Inc.) (NASDAQ: AVTX); Aeglea BioTherapeutics, Inc. (MASDAQ: AGLE); and Raptor Pharmaceuticals Corp., (NASDAQ: RPTP), until its acquisition by Horizon Pharma plc. Dr. Bruho Hold as Bachelor of Science in Chamistry from hours State Lipitersity, a Dector of Pliencephu in

Dr. Bruhn holds a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from Iowa State University, a Doctor of Philosophy in Chemistry from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and was a postdoctoral fellow in the Department of Human Genetics at Harvard Medical School.



Roger Crystal, MD





Key Qualifications

- Public company CEO experience
- Accomplished pharmaceutical executive
- Biotechnology, pharmaceutical and therapeutics industry expertise

Roger Crystal, MD possesses extensive experience leading a pharmaceutical company as its chief executive officer. His background and training as a medical doctor and his strong background in clinical research, product development and commercialization make him qualified to serve on our Board.

Dr. Crystal brings more than 15 years of experience as a healthcare business executive and clinician. Until its recent acquisition by Indivior PLC, Dr. Crystal was the President, Chief Executive Officer and Director for Opiant Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a publicly traded pharmaceutical company (NASDAQ: OPNT). Dr. Crystal led Opiant Pharmaceutical Inc.'s development of NARCAN® Nasal Spray for opioid overdose, which led to U.S. Food and Drug Administration approval and is the lead inventor on the product's patents. More recently, he also led the development of Opvee® which was FDA approved in May 2023. Dr. Crystal previously served as the Chief Business Officer for ImaginAb, a venture capital-backed biotechnology company. He began his business career, Dr. Crystal worked for several years as a surgeon, specializing in ear, nose, and throat, head and neck surgery at leading institutions including Imperial College Healthcare, London and was awarded Membership of The Royal College of Surgeons of England (MRCS).

Dr. Crystal holds a Bachelor of Medical Sciences in Physiology and a Doctor of Medicine from the University of Birmingham, UK and a Master of Business Administration from the London Business School.



David Gryska





Key Qualifications

- ✓ S&P 500 CFO experience✓ Audit, compliance and
- capital allocation experience
- ✓ Board and corporate governance expertise

David Gryska is an experienced biopharmaceutical company chief financial officer and director. His extensive audit and financial expertise make him an asset to our Board.

His extensive audit and financial expertise make him an asset to our board. Mr. Gryska possesses decades of experience as a c-suite executive and director at a number of leading public biopharmaceutical companies. He most recently served as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Incyte Corporation, a biopharmaceutical company (NASDAQ: INCY). Additionally, Mr. Gryska served as Chief Operating Officer of Myrexis, Inc., a biopharmaceutical company as well as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Celgene Corporation, a former publicly traded biopharmaceutical company acquired by Bristol-Myers Squibb Company. Previously, Mr. Gryska served at Scios Inc., a former publicly traded biopharmaceutical company acquired by Johnson & Johnson, as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, and as Vice President of Financial Officer at Cardiac Pathways Corporation, a former publicly traded medical device company acquired by Boston Scientific Corporation. Prior to Cardiac Pathways, Mr. Gryska served as a pather at Ernsk 2 Young LLP in California. Mr. Gryska currently serves on the boards of directors of biopharmaceutical companies Seagen, Inc. (NASDAQ: SGEN) and Forte Biosciences, Inc. (NASDAQ: FRBX).

He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Accounting and Finance from Loyola University and an M.B.A. from Golden Gate University.



Andreas Krebs





Key Qualifications

 Accomplished pharmaceutical executive

✓ Financial expertise

✓ Board and corporate governance expertise Andreas Krebs possesses financial expertise, investment experience and experience as an international pharmaceutical executive - all of which are an asset to our Board.

Mr. Krebs is an internationally experienced executive, entrepreneur and best-selling author who serves as Vice Chair of the Board. Mr. Krebs heads the family-owned investment company, Longfield Invest, which focuses on growth companies in various industries as well as in the new economy. He has worked in seven countries across Latin America, Asia and Canada, and as President and executive board member of Wyeth Corporation in the United States. Mr. Krebs was chairman of the Supervisory Board and Shareholder Council of Merz Pharma, Frankfurt am Main, Germany and holds other board positions at private companies across various sectors and he is an Industry Advisor for the investment firm, Nordic Capital.

Mr. Krebs received degrees in Commercial Management/Business Administration of BSE Academy, State of Hessen/Germany and In-house Academy of Woelm Pharma, Eschwege, Germany.



Carol A. Vallone





Key Qualifications

- CEO experience scaling global companies with successful exits
- ✓ Financial expertise and capital raises
- ✓ Board and corporate governance expertise in the healthcare industry

Carol A. Vallone possesses financial, executive and governance expertise resulting from her service on the boards of trustees for multiple hospitals; extensive experience building and selling global companies; and experience as a director and advisor to several healthcare companies - all of which make her qualified to serve on our Board.

or which make her qualified to serve on our Board. Ms. Vallone is a well-known business leader, former CEO, and corporate board director, with a strong track record in launching, scaling and selling global companies. She currently serves as chair of the Board of Trustees for McLean Hospital, the #1 ranked psychiatric hospital in America, according to U.S. News & World Report, and the largest psychiatric affiliate of Harvard Medical School. She also serves on the board of trustees and the finance committee of Mass General Brigham, an integrated healthcare system including five nationally ranked hospitals. Ms. Vallone serves as a board member for Cresco Labs, Inc., a publicly traded cannabis company (CSE: CL) and for Arosa, a Bain Capital Double Impact portfolio company. She is also the chair of the board of Ria Health, an SV Health investors portfolio company. She is an Industry Advisor for the investment firm, Berkshire Partners and an Advisory Board Member of the healthcare-focused venture growth firm, Longitude Capital. Ms. Vallone has served as founder and Chief Executive Officer of global e-learning companies, held management positions in leading enterprise technology companies and served on the boards of a public bank and a private-equity backed ecommerce company that went public.

Ms. Vallone holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from the University of Delaware.





AdvisorShares Psychedelics ETF is the Best Peer Group for Performance Comparison

We selected all of the member stocks comprising the AdvisorShares Psychedelics ETF (PSIL) (NYSEARCA: PSIL) as the best peer group for evaluating our TSR performance because:

- PSIL is an ETF that primarily tracks and concentrates on the emerging psychedelic drugs sector, offering exposure to biotechnology, pharmaceutical and life sciences companies
- It is comprised of companies deriving at least 50% of their net revenue from, or devote 50% of their assets to, psychedelic drugs and that have significant business activities in, or significant exposure to, the psychedelics industry
 - Companies include producers or distributors of psychedelic medicines, biotechnology companies engaged in research and development of psychedelic medicines, and companies that provide psychotherapy treatments and mental health services using psychedelics
- · PSIL excludes cannabis-related companies, as these are not considered to be in the psychedelic drug sector
- Companies in this group have a U.S.-centric liquidity profile
 MindMed's liquidity pool is primarily in the U.S., the PSIL ETF is U.S. listed (NYSE) and has a substantially higher liquidity profile when compared to the Horizons Psychedelics ETF (used by FCM), which is traded on the NEO in Canada
 - Further, while the Horizon ETF includes large pharmaceutical companies like Johnson & Johnson and AbbVie (which are obviously not realistic peers to MindMed), PSIL does not

The PSIL ETF best reflects the companies MindMed is competing against today, as well as our U.S. focus

