DIA Announces Fifth Strategic Investment in Odne, Pioneering Safer and Faster Root Canal Therapy Technology

RESEARCH TRIANGLE PARK, N.C., Jan. 15, 2024 /PRNewswire/— Dental Innovation Alliance (DIA), an investment firm fostering innovation within the dental and health sectors, is pleased to announce its latest investment in Odne, a Swiss company revolutionizing root canal treatments. Odne's innovative root preservation therapy reduces the need for bleach and allows for greater treatment speed in endodontic therapy. The minimally-invasive approach prioritizes both patient safety and comfort, while aiming to preserve tooth structures and long-term treatment outcomes.

DIA recognizes the significance of Odne's commitment to advancing dental technology while prioritizing patient well-being. The reduction of bleach and fast workflows aligns with DIA's dedication to scaling technologies that promote safer and more efficient practices within the dental industry. Several Dental Support Organizations (DSOs) affiliated with DIA are poised to be early adopters of Odne's latest product which has FDA approval and is set to launch in Q2 2024.

"DIA is on a continuous global pursuit to identify and invest in the most innovative and exciting tech companies in the dental sector. Odne's progress to date has been impressive, and we are enthusiastic about partnering with them to help facilitate their U.S. launch," shares Thomas Sharpe, Co-Founder and Managing Partner of DIA.

“We are thrilled to access DIA's network. I'm confident that their collective knowledge and expertise will uniquely help our company launch and expand in the United States. DIA is committed to supporting innovation that leads to improved practice efficiencies and better clinical results helping providers and patients. At Odne, we develop products that do exactly that. We are honored that Odne is the DIA's latest investment,” adds Andreas Schmocker, PhD, CEO and Co-Founder of Odne.

DIA looks forward to a successful collaboration with Odne and anticipates the positive impact this partnership will have on DIA’s mission of accelerating dental technology innovations for the betterment of all stakeholders.

About DIA

Dental Innovation Alliance (DIA) is a close group of dental industry executives that funds, advises and propels the success of early-stage companies building the future of dentistry through technology. Its investor base includes executives and experts from some of the largest and most innovative dental support organizations and other dental businesses. DIA has offices in New York, Nashville, and Research Triangle Park, NC.
About Odne

Odne AG (formerly Lumendo AG), has its roots in a groundbreaking collaboration between two renowned Swiss institutions: the Swiss Federal Institutes of Technology in Lausanne and Zürich (EPFL & ETH Zürich). Founded in 2018, Odne’s journey began by licensing cutting-edge technology assets from these esteemed institutes.

Odne AG represents a harmonious synergy of Swiss precision and academic excellence. Our company is committed to pioneering the future of endodontics through advanced technology and innovative solutions. Endodontics, the field of dental medicine that deals with root canal treatments, has been marred by complexity and unpredictability. Odne AG is on a mission to change that.

Root canal treatments have long posed challenges for dentists, with traditionally low success rates ranging from 46% to 91%. With over 60 million annual treatments worldwide, these failures result in significant healthcare costs.

Odne’s technology platform addresses these issues by offering treatment options for both, dentists and their patients. Our products, slated for launch in 2024, tackle problems such as the obturation in complex morphologies.

Disclaimer: Odné®Fill and Odné®Cure are cleared for use in the U.S.A only. All other Odne devices are currently in development and have not received clinical approval in any jurisdiction.

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