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OptimizeRx Reports Third Quarter 2023 Financial Results

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Increases guidance for 2023 and introduces guidance for 2024

Total revenue of \$16.3 million
GAAP net loss per share of \$(0.17)
Non-GAAP net income per share of \$0.09

Total DAAP (fka RWD) deals for the year now stands at 16
Completed acquisition of Medicx Health after quarter end

WALTHAM, Mass., Nov. 06, 2023 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- <u>OptimizeRx Corp.</u> (the "Company") (Nasdaq: OPRX), the leading provider of healthcare technology solutions helping life sciences companies reach and engage healthcare professionals (HCPs) and patients, reported results for the three months ended September 30, 2023. Quarterly comparisons are to the same year-ago period.

Financial Highlights

- Revenue in the third quarter of 2023 increased 8% to \$16.3 million, as compared to \$15.1 million in the same year ago period.
- Gross profit in the third quarter of 2023 increased 4% year-over-year to \$9.8 million, from \$9.4 million during the third quarter of 2022.
- GAAP net loss totaled \$(2.9) million or \$(0.17) per basic and diluted shares outstanding in the third quarter, as compared to \$(3.5) million or \$(0.19) during the third quarter of 2022.
- Non-GAAP net income in the third quarter totaled \$1.6 million or \$0.09 per fully diluted shares outstanding, as compared to \$1.3 million or \$0.07 per fully diluted shares outstanding during the third quarter of 2022 (see definition of this non-GAAP measure and reconciliation to GAAP, below).
- Adjusted EBITDA for the third quarter of 2023 came in at \$0.9 million compared to \$1.0 million in the same year ago period (see definition of this non-GAAP measure and reconciliation to GAAP, below).
- Cash, cash equivalents and short-term investments totaled \$63.5 million as of September 30, 2023 as compared to \$74.1 million as of December 31, 2022

Will Febbo, OptimizeRx CEO commented, "I am excited to announce third quarter results came in well above expectations. We've seen significant momentum build up since the start of the second half of 2023, particularly around the utilization of our Dynamic Audience Activation Platform (DAAP). In fact, our total number of deals for the year is tracking ahead of expectations and now stands at 16. The macro headwinds we've been highlighting since the middle of last year have seemed to normalize and large pharma that started initial pilot programs with companies that had newly entered the space are now completing the measurement of these programs and, as we expected, have learned that these solutions are not scalable and are beginning to drive spend back our way."

"As a result, we couldn't have asked for better timing to complete the acquisition of Medicx Health. Both business lines are showing growth, profitability, and are seeing significant client engagement. We are also moving forward as planned on executing against the numerous revenue, technological and operational synergies we identified. On a combined basis, revenues are expected to quickly surpass \$100 million over the next 12 months while generating profitability and cash flow. The transaction further expands our omnichannel reach beyond HCPs to patients while adding multiple channels we haven't accessed previously. The ability to provide significant scale for pharma manufacturers is quickly moving us up the decision maker hierarchy within our larger customers."

"Given that backdrop, I'm happy to say, we're increasing our guidance for 2023 and are now looking for revenue and adjusted EBITDA to come in between \$68-\$70 million and \$3-\$4 million, respectively, for the year. We expect OptimizeRx's pre-acquisition business will account for \$63 to \$65 million of 2023's revenue guidance, which is up from our previous guidance which called for revenue to be in the mid-50 to low-60 million dollar range. We're also introducing preliminary 2024 guidance and expect revenue to be at least \$110 million and expect adjusted EBITDA margins to be at least 10%."

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)*	M	olling Twelve onths Ended eptember 30, 2023	 Rolling Twelve Months Ended June 30, 2023			
Average revenue per top 20 pharmaceutical manufacturer	\$	2,075,078	\$ 1,972,308			
Percent of top 20 pharmaceutical manufacturers that are customers		90%	90%			
Top 20 pharmaceutical manufacturers as percent of total net revenues		59%	58%			

Net revenue retention	93%	89%
Revenue per averages full-time employee (FTE)	\$ 570,973	\$ 559,646

2023 Financial Outlook

Based on OptimizeRx's results for the first nine months of 2023 and its recent acquisition, the Company is updating its full year financial outlook for 2023. Revenues for 2023 are now expected to be between \$68 million and \$70 million and we expect our adjusted EBITDA to come in between \$3 million and \$4 million.

The Company is introducing preliminary 2024 guidance at this time and expects revenue to be at least \$110 million with an adjusted EBITDA margin of at least 10%.

Conference Call

Date:	Monday, November 6, 2023
Time:	8:30 a.m. Eastern Time (5:30 a.m. Pacific Time)
Toll Free:	1-877-423-9813
International:	1-201-689-8573
Conference ID:	13742267
Call Me Link:	https://callme.viavid.com/viavid/?callme=true&passcode=13742267&h=true&info=company-email&r=true&B=6
Webcast:	https://viavid.webcasts.com/starthere.jsp?ei=1640427&tp_key=4d243008bb.

Definition and Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This earnings release includes a presentation of non-GAAP net income (loss) and non-GAAP net income (loss) per diluted share or non-GAAP EPS, Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin, all of which are non-GAAP financial measures.

The Company defines non-GAAP net income (loss) as GAAP net income (loss) with an adjustment to add back depreciation, amortization, stock-based compensation, acquisition expenses, severance expense related to a reduction in force, income or loss related to the fair value of contingent consideration, and deferred income taxes. Non-GAAP EPS is defined as non-GAAP net income (loss) divided by the number of weighted average shares outstanding on a diluted basis. Adjusted EBITDA is defined as GAAP net income (loss) with an adjustment to add back depreciation, amortization, interest, stock-based compensation, acquisition expenses, severance expense related to a reduction in force, income or loss related to the fair value of contingent consideration, and deferred income taxes. Adjusted EBITDA margin is defined as Adjusted EBITDA divided by revenue. The Company has provided non-GAAP financial measures to aid investors in better understanding its performance. Management believes that these non-GAAP financial measures provide additional insight into the operations and cash flow of the Company.

Because of varying available valuation methodologies, subjective assumptions and the variety of equity instruments that can impact a Company's non-cash operating expenses, management believes that providing non-GAAP financial measures that exclude non-cash expenses allows for meaningful comparisons between the Company's core business operating results and those of other companies, as well as provides an important tool for financial and operational decision making and for evaluating the Company's own core business operating results over different periods of time.

The Company's non-GAAP financial measures may not provide information that is directly comparable to that provided by other companies in the Company's industry, as other companies in the industry may calculate such non-GAAP financial results differently. The Company's non-GAAP net income (loss), non-GAAP EPS, Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin are not measurements of financial performance under GAAP and should not be considered as an alternative to operating income or as an indication of operating performance or any other measure of performance derived in accordance with GAAP. The Company does not consider these non-GAAP measures to be substitutes for or superior to the information provided by its GAAP financial results.

The table, "Reconciliation of GAAP to NON-GAAP Financial Measures," included below, provides a reconciliation of non-GAAP net income (loss), non-GAAP EPS, and Adjusted EBITDA for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022. Although the Company provides guidance for Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA margin, it is not able to provide guidance to the most directly comparable GAAP measures. Reconciliations for forward-looking figures would require unreasonable efforts at this time because of the uncertainty and variability of the nature and amount of certain components of various necessary GAAP components, including, for example, those related to compensation, acquisition expenses, amortization or others that may arise during the year, and the Company's management believes such reconciliations would imply a degree of precision that would be confusing or misleading to investors. For the same reasons, the Company is unable to address the probable significance of the unavailable information.

Definition of Key Performance Indicators*

Top 20 pharmaceutical manufacturers: The definition of "top 20 pharmaceutical manufacturers" is based upon Fierce Pharma's list of "The top 20 pharma companies by 2022 revenue".

Net revenue retention: Net revenue retention is a comparison of revenue generated from all clients in the previous period to total revenue generated from the same clients in the following year (i.e., excludes new client relationships for the most recent year).

Revenue per average Full Time Employee: We define revenue per average full-time employee (FTE) as total revenue over the last 12 months (LTM) divided by the average number of employees over the LTM, which is calculated by taking our total number of FTEs at the end of the prior year period by our total FTE headcount at the end of the most recent.

About OptimizeRx

OptimizeRx provides best-in-class health technology that enables care-focused engagement between life sciences organizations, healthcare providers, and patients at critical junctures throughout the patient care journey. Connecting over 60% of U.S. healthcare providers and millions of their patients through the most intelligent technology platform embedded within a proprietary digital point-of-care network, OptimizeRx helps patients start and stay on their medications.

For more information, follow the Company on Twitter, LinkedIn or visit www.optimizerx.com.

Important Cautions Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Words such as "anticipates", "believes", "estimates", "expects", "forecasts", "intends", "plans", "projects", "targets", "designed", "could", "may", "should", "will" or other similar words and expressions are intended to identify these forward-looking statements. All statements that reflect the Company's expectations, assumptions, projections, beliefs or opinions about the future, other than statements of historical fact, are forward-looking statements, including, without limitation, statements relating to the Company's growth, business plans, future performance, expected revenues, expected Adjusted EBITDA, expected adjusted EBITDA margin and prospects. These forward-looking statements are based on the Company's current expectations and assumptions regarding the Company's business, the economy, and other future conditions. The Company disclaims any intention or obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether because of new information, future events, or otherwise, except as required by applicable law. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks and uncertainties, some of which cannot be predicted, or quantified. Future events and actual results could differ materially from those set forth in, contemplated by, or underlying the forward-looking statements. The risks and uncertainties to which forward-looking statements are subject include, but are not limited to, any synergies and other anticipated benefits of the Medicx will be more costly or difficult than expected; the effect of government regulation, competition, and other risks summarized in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022, its subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, and its other filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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OPTIMIZERX CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

	September 30, 2023			December 31, 2022			
ASSETS							
Current assets							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	9,921,475	\$	18,208,685			
Short-term investments		53,620,576		55,931,821			
Accounts receivable, net		20,838,762		22,155,301			
Prepaid expenses and other		3,008,858		2,280,828			
Total current assets		87,389,671		98,576,635			
Property and equipment, net		149,304		137,448			
Other assets							
Goodwill		22,673,820		22,673,820			
Technology assets, net		7,548,337		7,702,895			
Patent rights, net		1,777,669		1,940,178			
Deferred financing costs		300,000		—			
Right of use assets, net		148,641		235,320			
Other intangible assets, net		3,141,709		3,384,889			
Other long-term assets		800,000		—			
Total other assets		36,390,176		35,937,102			
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	123,929,152	\$	134,651,185			
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY							
Current liabilities							
Accounts payable – trade		691,159		1,549,979			
Accrued expenses		3,108,907		2,601,246			
Revenue share payable		3,685,390		3,990,440			
Current portion of lease liabilities		27,687		89,902			
Deferred revenue		188,394		164,309			
Total current liabilities		7,701,538		8,395,876			

Non-current liabilities

Lease liabilities, net of current portion	120,955	144,532
Total liabilities	 7,822,493	 8,540,408
Stockholders' equity Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value, 10,000,000 shares authorized, none issued and		
outstanding at September 30, 2023 or December 31, 2022	_	_
Common stock, \$0.001 par value, 166,666,667 shares authorized, 18,386,920 and 18,288,571 shares issued at September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022,		
respectively	18,387	18,289
Treasury stock, \$0.001 par value, 1,741,397 and 1,214,398 shares held at		
September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, respectively	(1,741)	(1,214)
Additional paid-in-capital	176,206,572	172,785,800
Accumulated deficit	 (60,116,559)	 (46,692,098)
Total stockholders' equity	\$ 116,106,659	\$ 126,110,777
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$ 123,929,152	\$ 134,651,185

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

OPTIMIZERX CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

	 For the Three Months Ended September 30,			For the Nine I Septem			
	 2023		2022		2023		2022
Net revenue Cost of revenues, exclusive of depreciation and amortization	\$ 16,331,484	\$	15,085,504	\$	43,152,560	\$	42,795,699
presented separately below	6,531,183		5,664,733		18,093,949		16,283,307
Gross profit	 9,800,301		9,420,771		25,058,611		26,512,392
Operating expenses							
General and administrative expenses	12,887,083		12,661,703		39,161,752		36,373,298
Depreciation, amortization and noncash lease expense	466,706		515,828		1,395,400		1,565,484
Total operating expenses	 13,353,789		13,177,530		40,557,152		37,938,782
Loss from operations	 (3,553,487)		(3,756,759)		(15,498,541)		(11,426,390)
Other income							
Interest income	 688,190		289,967		2,074,081		313,786
Loss before provision for income taxes	(2,865,297)		(3,466,792)		(13,424,460)		(11,112,604)
Income tax benefit	 _						
Net loss	\$ (2,865,297)	\$	(3,466,792)	\$	(13,424,460)	\$	(11,112,604)
Weighted average number of shares outstanding – basic	 16,637,606		17,981,184		16,907,482		17,994,288
Weighted average number of shares outstanding – diluted	 16,637,606		17,981,184		16,907,482		17,994,288
Loss per share – basic	\$ (0.17)	\$	(0.19)	\$	(0.79)	\$	(0.62)
Loss per share – diluted	\$ (0.17)	\$	(0.19)	\$	(0.79)	\$	(0.62)

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OPTIMIZERX CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	For the Nine Months Ended September 30,							
	2023	2022						
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:								
Net loss	\$ (13,424,460)	\$	(11,112,604)					
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash (used in) provided by operating activities:								
Depreciation and amortization	1,395,400		1,565,484					
Stock-based compensation	11,089,853		11,476,662					

Increase in bad debt reserve	478,086	132,727
Changes in:		
Accounts receivable	838,453	6,854,150
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(728,030)	2,199,333
Accounts payable	(858,820)	393,817
Revenue share payable	(305,049)	(1,704,593)
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	508,548	(1,237,689)
Deferred revenue	24,084	 (716,693)
NET CASH (USED IN) PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(981,935)	 7,850,594
CASH FLOWS PROVIDED BY (USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchase of property and equipment	(81,767)	(64,667)
Purchases of held-to-maturity investments	(162,777,510)	(37,468,889)
Redemptions of held-to-maturity investments	165,088,755	_
EvinceMed acquisition	—	(2,000,000)
Acquisition of intangible assets, including intellectual property rights	(3,796)	(158,321)
Capitalized software development costs	(1,561,447)	 _
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES	664,235	 (39,691,877)
CASH FLOWS (USED IN) PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Cash paid for employee withholding taxes related to the vesting of restricted stock units	(292,789)	—
Repurchase of common stock	(7,522,426)	(12,561,571)
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	145,706	1,050,104
Loan origination costs	(300,000)	_
NET CASH (USED IN) PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(7,969,509)	 (11,511,467)
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(8,287,209)	(43,352,750)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - BEGINNING OF PERIOD	18,208,685	 84,681,770
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF PERIOD	\$ 9,921,475	\$ 41,329,020
SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW INFORMATION:		
Cash paid for interest	<u>\$</u>	\$
Reduction of EvinceMed purchase price for amounts previously paid	\$	\$ 708,334
Shares issued in connection with acquisition	\$	\$ 9,374,455
Cash paid for income taxes	\$ —	\$ _

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OPTIMIZERX CORPORATION RECONCILIATION of GAAP to NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (UNAUDITED)

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2023				Nine months ended September 30, 2023				
		2023		2022		2023		2022	
Net loss	\$	(2,865,297)	\$	(3,466,792)	\$	(13,424,460)	\$	(11,112,604)	
Depreciation, amortization and noncash lease expense		466,706		515,828		1,395,400		1,565,484	
Stock-based compensation		3,206,227		4,277,241		11,089,853		11,476,662	
Severance expense		206,477		—		206,477		—	
Acquisition expense		554,741				580,691		22,318	
Non-GAAP net income (loss)		1,568,854		1,326,277		(152,039)		1,951,860	
Non-GAAP net income (loss) per share									
Diluted	\$	0.09	\$	0.07	\$	(0.01)	\$	0.11	
Weighted average shares outstanding:									
Diluted		16,648,778		18,088,406		16,907,482		18,011,885	

Three Months Ended	Nine months ended
September 30, 2023	September 30, 2023

	 2023	 2022	 2023	 2022
Net loss	\$ (2,865,297)	\$ (3,466,792)	\$ (13,424,460)	\$ (11,112,604)
Depreciation, amortization and noncash lease expense	466,706	515,828	1,395,400	1,565,484
Stock-based compensation	3,206,227	4,277,241	11,089,853	11,476,662
Severance expense	206,477	_	206,477	—
Acquisition expense	554,741	—	580,691	22,318
Interest income	 (688,190)	 (289,967)	 (2,074,081)	 (313,786)
Adjusted EBITDA	880,664	1,036,310	(2,226,120)	1,638,074



Source: OptimizeRx Corporation