

GI Dynamics, Inc. - ASX Announcement

#### GI Dynamics presentation to UBS Global Life Sciences Conference

**Lexington, Massachusetts, United States and Sydney, Australia – 21 September, 2011 AEST –** GI Dynamics, Inc. (**ASX: GID**) (**GI Dynamics** or the **Company**) is presenting at the UBS Global Life Sciences Conference on Wednesday, September 21, 2011, at 8 a.m. EDT (10 p.m. Australian EST) to be held at the Grand Hyatt New York Hotel in New York City.

A copy of the presentation being delivered by Stuart A. Randle, president and chief executive officer of GI Dynamics, is attached. This contains an overview of the company and the EndoBarrier, a novel approach for the treatment of type 2 diabetes and obesity.

A live webcast of the GI Dynamics presentation can be accessed by visiting the investors section of the company's website at investor.gidynamics.com. A replay of the webcast will be archived on the GI Dynamics website (www.gidynamics.com) for two weeks following the presentation date.

#### Robert Crane Chief Financial Officer & Company Secretary

#### **About GI Dynamics**

GI Dynamics, Inc. (ASX: GID) is pioneering the development and commercialization of effective, non-surgical treatments targeting the large and growing global patient populations with type 2 diabetes and obesity. The company's flagship product, the EndoBarrier®, is a novel, non-surgical device proven to lower blood glucose levels and promote weight loss in diabetic and obese patients during the implant period. GI Dynamics currently markets the EndoBarrier in select regions in Europe and South America and is planning significant near-term commercial expansion into Australia and additional European countries. Founded in 2003, GI Dynamics is headquartered in Lexington, Massachusetts. For more information, please visit <a href="https://www.gidynamics.com">www.gidynamics.com</a>.

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## **UBS Global Life Sciences Conference**

September 21, 2011 New York City



A breakthrough treatment for type 2 diabetes and obesity

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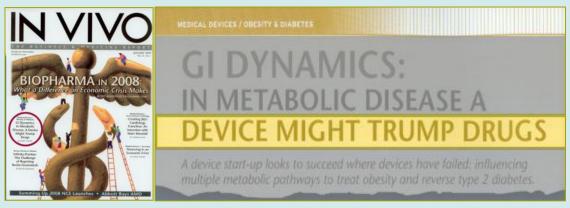
## Investment Highlights

- Commercializing nonsurgical treatments for type two diabetes and obesity
- **✓** EndoBarrier® treats largest markets in healthcare
- ✓ Regulatory approval and commercialization in select markets
  - CE Mark approval in Europe in 2010; launched in 2Q 2011 in select markets
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- ✓ Commercial expansion
  - Launching in additional markets in Europe, South America and elsewhere
  - Pilot clinical trial approved by FDA in U.S.
- ✓ Experienced Executive Team and Board
- ✓ Large IP Portfolio
- ✓ Completed IPO & U.S. private placement of \$84 million (AU\$80 million) in Sept. 2011 now listed on the ASX

## Management Team with Proven Track Record

Executives	Background
Stuart A. Randle President & Chief Executive Officer	30-year record of turn-arounds and large- scale life sciences companies, including Baxter Healthcare Corporation, Allegiance Corporation and Advanced Technology Ventures. Mr. Randle has served as the company's president and CEO since 2004. Prior experience includes engineering, sales, marketing, senior management and leadership roles in developing companies and also divisions of major medical corporations.
Robert W. Crane Chief Financial Officer & Corporate Secretary	Nearly 30 years in a number of public and private life science company roles in the U.S. and Europe. Mr. Crane has experience in initial public offerings, other public and private financings, acquisitions, divestments, joint ventures and recapitalizations. Prior experience includes Sirtris Pharmaceuticals, I-STAT, Inkine and Seragen.
Andy Levine Founder and Chief Technology Officer	30 years of engineering and medical device research, development and manufacturing experience. Previously co-founded Seedling Enterprises, LLC, a medical device incubator and held various senior engineering, research and development positions at Boston Scientific Corporation, Microsurge, Inc., C.R. Bard; and Thermedics, Inc.
Karl-Heinz Blohm, Ph.D. Vice President, International Sales	More than 20 years of medical device industry experience, combining capital equipment and medical devices with AB Medica SAS, EndoGastric Solutions, Inc., Accuray Europe, and Siemens AG
Sherrie Coval-Goldsmith Vice President, Clinical & Regulatory Affairs	27 years of experience in clinical, quality and regulatory affairs in life sciences companies, including Neothermia Corporation, Nitinol Medical Technologies, Inc., Stryker Biotech, and the Vascular Systems Division of C.R. Bard.

# EndoBarrier®: breakthrough treatment for type 2 diabetes & obesity



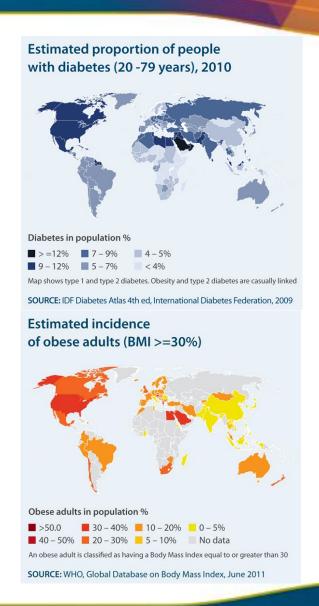
"It is not often that a company in the medical device industry...
has a chance to change the world."

SOURCE: Article on GI Dynamics, In Vivo Magazine, January 2009, Vol. 27, No. 1



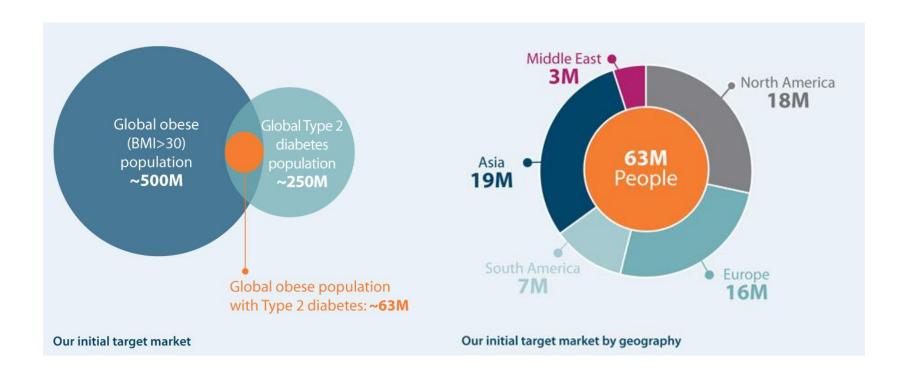
## Diabetes and obesity have reached epidemic proportions

- ✓ Diabetes abnormally high levels of glucose in the blood
  - diabetes puts patients at risk of heart disease, stroke,
     blindness, kidney disease and limb amputation
  - type 2 diabetes occurs when the pancreas no longer produces enough insulin to overcome insulin resistance approximately 90% of all cases of diabetes
- Obesity abnormal and excessive fat accumulation
  - the risk of coronary heart disease and stroke increase with obesity, as do the risk of certain cancers
- ✓ Globally approximately 250M people have type
   2 diabetes and 500M adults are obese
- Treatment options for each condition are limited



## Initial target market is 63 million people

#### Our initial target market is obese patients with type 2 diabetes



... we plan to expand our target markets to treat the general obese population and diabetic patients who are overweight but not obese

## Current treatment options

## ✓ Lifestyle changes

 healthy diet and increased exercise – proven to reduce obesity and therefore slow progression of diabetes

many attempt but not a successful treatment for most in the long term

## ✓ Drug therapy

- Diabetes includes Insulin, Metformin, Actos®, Januvia®, Byetta®, Victoza®
  - · do not measurably impact the progression of the disease
  - usually taken by patients for long periods often for life
  - average annual treatment cost in the U.S. ~ \$11,700 over patient lifetime
- Obesity limited success with a number of drugs being withdrawn in recent years
  - Orlistat marketed as Xenical<sup>®</sup> has low efficacy and can cause side effects



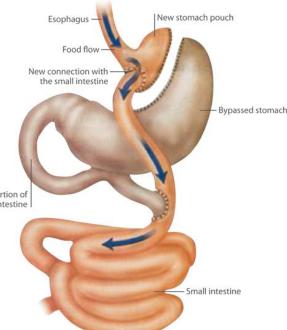
## Current surgical treatment options

### ✓ Adjustable gastric bands

- a silicone band surgically implanted around the top part of the stomach
- risks and side effects some patients may have their gastric bands removed in a further surgery due to side effects
- obesity focus

## ✓ Gastric bypass surgery or Roux-en-Y gastric bypass

- significant changes to patient's anatomy and physiology
- most common and effective surgery for obesity and type 2 diabetes of portion of the small intestine
  - ~175,000 surgeries each year in the U.S., or 1% of candidate population
- risks and side effects include surgical complications, infection, nausea, vomiting, ulcers, gallstones, anaemia, osteoporosis and blood clots



**Diagram: Gastric Bypass surgery** 

# EndoBarrier®: **nonsurgical solution** shown to control glucose levels and lose weight

### One solution

- glucose control improves within days of implant
- significant weight loss over implant period
- reductions in coronary risk factors

## Nonsurgical

- placed by endoscopy no cutting of tissue
- far less invasive than surgical procedures

## Safe, effective and easily removable

## ✓ Cost savings

- less expensive than available surgical treatments for obesity
- we believe potential significant broader cost savings for the healthcare system



#### **Placement**

EndoBarrier® is delivered via the mouth with endoscopic guidance. The EndoBarrier® is extended for 60 cm through the duodenum and into the upper intestine. The anchor is then positioned below the stomach in the first part of the duodenum. Liquid is flushed through the EndoBarrier® to ensure it is fully opened.



## Mechanism of Action

Partially digested food passes through the stomach and then down through the *EndoBarrier*<sup>®</sup>. The body's natural peristalsis moves this food through the inside of the liner, while bile and enzymes pass outside the *EndoBarrier*<sup>®</sup>. These then mix together at the end of the *EndoBarrier*<sup>®</sup>.



#### Removal

The EndoBarrier® is removed using GI Dynamics' custom made retrieval system in a short endoscopic procedure.

## The EndoBarrier® System

#### ✓ The liner

- 60 cm long implant
- impermeable fluoropolymer thin and flexible
- anchor at one end to attach to intestine
- anchor is made of nitinol wire (biocompatible)
- retrieval drawstrings

## ✓ Delivery system

- 300cm custom made catheter with EndoBarrier<sup>®</sup> inside a capsule
- sterile, single use
- delivery procedure ~30 minutes

## ✓ Retrieval system

- custom endoscopic grasper and retrieval hood
- sterile, single use
- retrieval procedure ~15 minutes



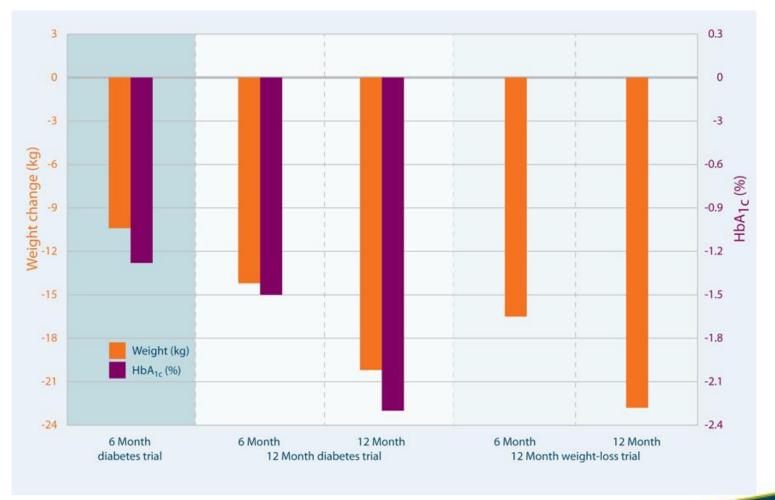




<sup>\*</sup>The EndoBarrier® is not approved for sale in the United States and is considered investigational.

## Clinical results demonstrate significant treatment outcomes

Our 6 month diabetes trial, 12 month diabetes trial and 12 month obesity trial demonstrate the significant treatment outcomes for our patients



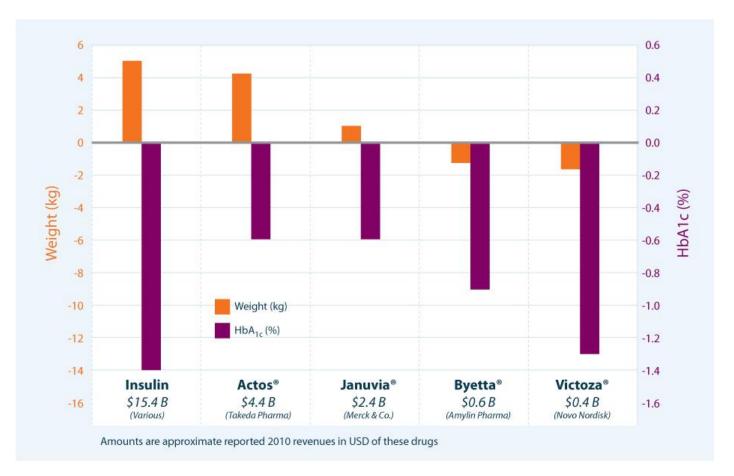
## Clinical results – 12 month diabetes & obesity trials

### Significant positive effects also include blood pressure and cholesterol

	12 Month Diabetes Trial (n = 13)			12 Month Obesity Trial (n = 27)		
	Baseline	52 Weeks	P value	Baseline	52 Weeks	P value
Weight (kg)	121.8 ± 7.6	101.6 ± 5.7	< .0001	112.4 ± 2.4	89.8 ± 3.2	< .0001
BMI (kg/m2)	45.3 ± 2.4	37.8 ± 1.8	<.0001	45.3 ± 0.8	36.1 ± 1.1	<.0001
Blood Pressure (mmHg)						
Systolic	$131.7\pm2.7$	$127.2\pm5.0$	NS	$134.0\pm2.7$	$124.7\pm2.3$	0.003
Diastolic	$78.2 \pm 3.2$	77.4 ± 2.8	NS	$85.7 \pm 1.3$	71.8 ± 1.8	<.0001
Total Cholesterol (mg/dl)	205.4 ± 10.9	177.3 ± 8.9	0.0003	195.1 ± 7.0	159.6 ± 7.4	<.0001
HDL	$44.1\pm3.7$	43.1 ± 4.4	NS	44.3 ± 1.7	$43.5\pm1.5$	NS
LDL	$121.8\pm9.7$	$104.4\pm7.3$	0.005	$119.9 \pm 5.7$	$93.9 \pm 6.1$	<.0001
Triglycerides	$214.2\pm27.2$	151.8 ± 14.2	0.005	$155.4 \pm 14.2$	111.5 ± 10.0	0.001
Glucose (mg/dl)	174.9 ± 13.7	137.8 ± 13.1	0.009	N/a	N/a	
Insulin (uU/mL)	21.1 ± 4.9	11.0 ± 1.5	0.03	N/a	N/a	
HOMA IR	$8.6\pm1.9$	$3.7\pm0.6$	0.02	N/a	N/a	
HbA1c (%)	8.9 ± 0.5	6.6 ± 0.3	<.0001	N/a	N/a	

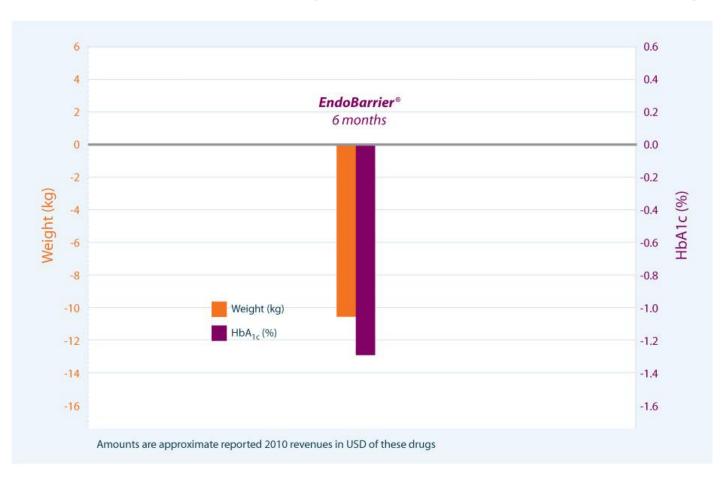
## EndoBarrier® offers differentiated profile

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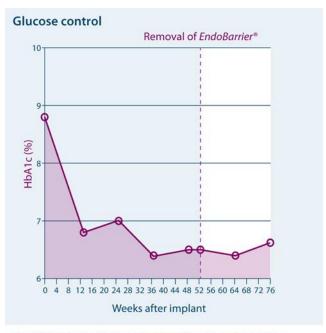


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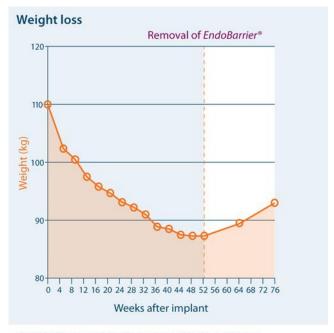
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## Ongoing benefits after removal of the EndoBarrier®



ABOVE: Continued effect on glucose control after removal of the EndoBarrier at 52 weeks, from patients who completed our 12 month diabetes trial (n=9)



**ABOVE:** Effect on weight after removal of the EndoBarrier at 52 weeks, from patients who completed our 12 month obesity trial (n=22)

- ✓Ongoing monitoring for 6 months post removal of the EndoBarrier®
  - 12 month diabetes trial follow-up of 9 of total 13 patients who completed trial
    - HbA<sub>1c</sub> increased only slightly indicating continued glucose control
  - 12 month obesity trial follow-up of 22 of total 27 patients who completed trial
    - 5kg average weight gain significantly less than 22kg average weight loss during the implant period

## Safety Profile

- ✓ The most common adverse events with the EndoBarrier® in our trials.
  - movement of the implant leading to pain
  - intestinal bleeding
  - incomplete deployment of the liner/early liner removal
- √12 month obesity and diabetes trial results supported CE Mark application
  - Treatment related early removal results for the EndoBarrier®
    - 6% up to 3 months
    - 2% in 3 6 months
    - 6% in 6 9 months
    - 6% in 9 12 months
- ✓ Continued reduction in incidence of treatment related early removals
  - 6 month diabetes trial in the Netherlands
  - 1 of 34 or ~3% of the *EndoBarrier®*s removed prior to the end of the 6 month implant period
- ✓ No deaths related to the use of the EndoBarrier®

## Scalable, State-of-the-Art Manufacturing

- ✓ Manufacture of commercial devices in Lexington, Massachusetts, U.S.
  - 2,500 square feet of manufacturing and packaging space
  - FDA compliant Quality Management System
    - certified to the ISO 13485:2003 standard
  - assemble from outsourced components

## ✓ Production capacity

- currently we can produce approximately
   1,000 EndoBarrier® systems per year
- plan to increase to a capacity of approximately
   60,000 EndoBarrier® systems per year



Our EndoBarrier® packaged for use

## **Current Commercial Footprint**



#### Europe

- CE Mark for the treatment of diabetes and obesity
  - Q2 2011 commercial launch
- Sales at 5 commercial centers
- Infrastructure established in Netherlands warehousing, logistics, call center, and invoicing
- Vice President International Sales is based in Europe
- Reimbursement activities underway in United Kingdom, The Netherlands and Germany
  - local and/or national level

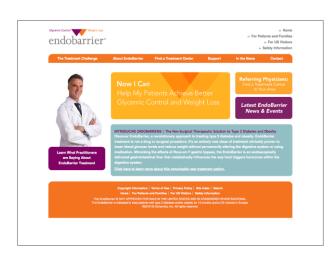
#### **South America**

- Chilean regulatory approval CE Mark recognized
  - Q4 2010 commercial launch
- Sales at 1 center with another in the near term
- Infrastructure currently supported from United States

## Transitioning from Clinical to Commercial Use

## Focused on expanding commercial presence

- Establish up to 15 Centers of Excellence in Europe & South America
- Broaden network of key opinion leaders
- Build clinical and economic data to support applications for reimbursement



## 2012 – significant growth of commercial activities

Ramp-up through distributors and direct sales

## Key EndoBarrier® Milestones Achieved

- ✓ CE Mark for EndoBarrier for up to 12 months of treatment for type 2 diabetes and obesity
- ✓ Identify and train Centers of Excellence (COEs) in select markets
  - Eleven certified: U.K., The Netherlands, Germany, Austria and Chile
- ✓ Received FDA approval to commence U.S. pilot clinical trial
- ✓ Additional ex-U.S. regulatory approvals & launch: TGA approval in Australia
- Presented data in prestigious and influential forums
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> World Congress on Interventional Therapies for Type 2 Diabetes
  - Digestive Disease Week 2011
  - International Federation for the Study of Obesity
  - European Association for the Study of Diabetes

## Further developments and our product pipeline

## ✓ Further developing our technology

- Current trial to expand the use of our technology
  - lower BMI diabetics
- Current trial for retreatment with the EndoBarrier®
- Current trial with improved anchor

## ✓ Other products we are developing

- EndoBarrier® Restrictor
  - targeted at cosmetic or short term weight loss market
  - small hole to slow gastric emptying feeling of 'fullness'
- EndoBarrier® Liner with EndoBarrier® Restrictor
  - treat diabetes and create greater weight loss than either device alone
  - Completed a 12 week human clinical trial of 10 patients
    - Excess weight loss of 40% ± 3%
    - Total weight loss of 16.7 kg  $\pm$  1.4 kg



## **✓** Expanding our intellectual property portfolio

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