# Hemostemix Announces Dr. Giannetti and Dr. Cecere as Co-Lead Medical Consultants, Cardiovascular Clinical Trials

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October 26, 2022 (Source) – Hemostemix Inc. (TSXV: HEM) (OTCQB: HMTXF) (FSE: 2VFO) ("Hemostemix" or the "Company") is pleased to announce Dr. Giannetti and Dr. Cecere as Co-Lead Medical Consultants, Cardiovascular Medicine and Clinical Trials. Dr. Giannetti and Dr. Cecere will assist Hemostemix with financing introductions and due diligence responses; help position ACP-01 as a candidate to be the first-to-patient autologous stem cell treatment of heart disease; design the Company's fourth heart-focused clinical trial; and, assist management with the re-establishment of ACP-01 production.

Dr Giannetti is a Clinical Researcher with an interest in personalized therapy for patients with dilated cardiomyopathy and optimizing clinical outcomes in patients living with heart failure. She is the co-Principal Investigator of a large initiative looking at the role of stem cells in personalized therapy for cardiomyopathy. Dr. Giannetti, along with her team participates in the care of over 1,000 patients with heart failure. She is the former Chief of Cardiology at the McGill University Health Centre (2010-2021). Since 2021, she has been the Associate Physician-in-Chief for the Department of Medicine, McGill University Health Centre, and is the Medical Director of the Heart Failure and Heart Transplant program.

Dr. Cecere is the McGill University Chief of Cardiac Surgery, Surgical Director of the Heart Failure and Heart Transplantation

Program, and Director of the Mechanical Circulatory Support Program. He is also Associate Member of the McGill University Department of Mechanical Engineering, and a Director and Principal Investigator of the Research Institute of the MUHC Myocardial Regeneration Laboratory. For over a decade, Dr. Cecere's laboratory has been investigating novel methods to strengthen the stem-cell induced regeneration of infarcted heart tissue.

"This is a very significant validation of ACP-01," stated Thomas Smeenk, CEO. "We now have two of the world's top cardiovascular physicians, who are stem cell scientists, who have done their due diligence, conclude that, subject to clinical trials, ACP-01 is a most promising therapeutic, and is likely to be the first-to-patient approved autologous stem cell therapy for heart disease," Smeenk said.

**ABOUT HEMOSTEMIX**

Hemostemix is an autologous stem cell therapy company, founded in 2003. A winner of the World Economic Forum Technology Pioneer Award, the Company has developed, patented, and is scaling a patient's blood-based stem cell therapeutics platform that includes angiogenic cell precursors, neuronal cell precursor and cardiomyocyte cell precursors. Seven studies including 260 ACP-01 recipients define its safety and efficacy profile as a treatment for heart diseases such as Dilated and Ischemic Cardiomyopathy, Angina, and diseases of Ischemia such as Critical Limb Ischemia. The Company owns 91 patents across five patent families. For more information, please visit **www.hemostemix.com.**

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