



Sionna Therapeutics Reports Topline Data from Two Development Programs in Cystic Fibrosis and Provides Corporate Update

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SION-719 Phase 2a proof-of-concept trial did not achieve key activity endpoint of sweat chloride reduction when added to standard of care; Company is not advancing SION-719 as an add-on to standard of care

Potential confounders in SION-719 Phase 2a trial are being evaluated to inform next steps for the SION-451 dual combination clinical program

Ended Q2 with approximately \$268.3 million in cash and plans to take actions to preserve capital while evaluating next steps

Sionna to host conference call today at 8:00 a.m. ET

WALTHAM, Mass., Aug. 10, 2026 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Sionna Therapeutics, Inc. (Nasdaq: SION), a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company on a mission to develop novel medicines for cystic fibrosis (CF), today reported topline data from two nucleotide binding domain 1 (NBD1) stabilizer programs, the PreciSION CF Phase 2a proof-of-concept (POC) trial of SION-719 when added to Trikafta® (elexacaftor/tezacaftor/ivacaftor) in CF participants, and the Phase 1 trial of SION-451-based proprietary dual combinations in healthy subjects.

Phase 2a PreciSION CF Trial

- The PreciSION CF trial did not meet its key activity endpoint, with a -1.0 mmol/L mean placebo-adjusted sweat chloride change ($p=0.7$).
- Potential confounders were observed in the trial, including, for example, higher than anticipated levels of variability in individual sweat chloride levels and differences in Trikafta exposure levels between the SION-719 and placebo periods. The Company is evaluating the impact of these on the interpretation of the trial data.
- SION-719 was generally well tolerated when added to Trikafta for 14 days with most treatment emergent adverse events mild to moderate, no serious adverse events, and no meaningful trends in adverse events related to liver function tests. Based on these results, Sionna does not plan to advance SION-719 as an add-on to standard of care. The Company received the topline data on Friday, August 7, 2026, and is continuing to analyze the results of the PreciSION CF study.

Phase 1 Healthy Volunteer Dual Combination Trial

- The Phase 1 trial of SION-451 in dual combinations with either SION-2222 or SION-109 in healthy subjects achieved the safety, tolerability, and pharmacokinetic (PK) objectives, including target exposures defined prior to the Phase 2a PreciSION CF results.
- Based on the totality of the data and target coverage observed, SION-451 + SION-2222 was identified as the preferred dual combination.
- All SION-451 twice-daily + SION-2222 once-daily doses were generally well tolerated. One participant discontinued due to rash.
- In the SION-451 twice-daily + SION-2222 twice-daily cohorts, most treatment emergent adverse events were mild to moderate, and no serious adverse events were reported. Two participants discontinued due to elevated liver function tests and flu-like symptoms. The SION-451 + SION-109 regimens were all generally well tolerated.
- Sionna is evaluating next steps for the SION-451 program.

"We are disappointed in the unexpected results from the Phase 2a trial. We are further evaluating the data to decide on next steps for the SION-451 dual combination," said Mike Cloonan, President and Chief Executive Officer of Sionna. "We would like to thank the CF study participants, investigators, and sites for their support in the PreciSION CF study and also thank the broader CF community, our employees, and our shareholders for their support throughout the process."

Sionna ended Q2 with approximately \$268.3 million in cash, cash equivalents, and marketable securities. The Company intends to take actions to preserve capital while evaluating next steps.

Webcast Details

Sionna Therapeutics' live webcast will begin at 8:00 a.m. ET today, Monday, August 10th, 2026, and can be accessed via this [link](#). Participants who prefer to listen via telephone, or ask a question, may register on Sionna's Investor Relations website or by clicking [here](#). A replay will be available on the "Events" page in the "Investors" section of Sionna's website at <https://investors.sionnatx.com/news-events/events>.

About the PreciSION CF Phase 2a Proof-of-Concept Trial

The PreciSION CF Phase 2a trial ([NCT07108153](#)) was a randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, crossover trial that enrolled 15 adult participants with CF homozygous for F508del on a stable dose of physician-prescribed Trikafta. The primary objective was to evaluate the safety and tolerability of SION-719 when added to SOC. Secondary objectives were to assess the PK of SION-719 and the change in sweat chloride levels, an important measure of CFTR function, when SION-719 was added to SOC.

About the Phase 1 Healthy Volunteer Dual Combination Trial

The Phase 1 healthy volunteer trial ([NCT07035990](#)) evaluated the safety, tolerability, and PK of varying doses of SION-451 in dual combinations with SION-2222 (galicaftor), a transmembrane domain 1 (TMD1)-directed CFTR corrector, and with SION-109, an intracellular loop 4 (ICL4)-directed CFTR corrector. A total of 120 participants were dosed across both dual combinations.

About Sionna Therapeutics

Sionna Therapeutics is a clinical-stage biopharmaceutical company on a mission to revolutionize the current treatment paradigm for cystic fibrosis (CF) by developing novel medicines that normalize the function of the cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) protein. Sionna's goal is to deliver differentiated medicines for people living with CF that can restore their CFTR function to as close to normal as possible by directly stabilizing CFTR's nucleotide binding domain 1 (NBD1), which Sionna believes is central to potentially unlocking dramatic improvements in clinical outcomes and quality of life for people with CF. For more information about Sionna, visit www.sionnatx.com.

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