

NEWS UPDATE

Clarity Receives FDA Fast Track Designation For 64Cu-SAR-bisPSMA

Clarity Pharmaceuticals (Clarity) has received Fast Track Designation from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for its imaging agent ⁶⁴Cu-SAR-bisPSMA* for the detection of PSMA-positive prostate cancer lesions in patients with suspected metastasis.

The FDA's Fast Track Designation aims to speed up the development and review process for novel drugs addressing serious conditions with unmet medical needs. In particular, the designation paves the way for a potentially faster review process once Clarity submits its product approval application. Dr. Alan Taylor, Clarity's Executive Chairperson, highlighted the significance of this milestone, particularly as the company is actively recruiting for its registrational Phase III trial, CLARIFY, and preparing for an FDA meeting regarding a second Phase III trial.

For further details, please refer to the <u>press release</u>.

Clarity is an investment currently held in the <u>Portland Life Science Alternative Fund</u> (the Fund); please visit the Fund's website for further information.

The Fund's objective is to provide positive long-term total returns by investing primarily in a portfolio of securities focused on companies active in the healthcare sector. The investment strategies focus on the area of precision oncology.

*64Cu-SAR-bisPSMA is a Positron Emission Tomography (PET) imaging agent used for detecting prostate-specific membrane antigen (PSMA)-positive prostate cancer

⁶⁴Cu - Copper-64, a radioactive isotope of copper used in medical imaging.

SAR - "Sarcophagine," a chelator that binds the copper isotope to the targeting molecule.

bisPSMA - molecule that targets PSMA (Prostate-Specific Membrane Antigen), which is commonly overexpressed in prostate cancer cells.





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