

Iovance Biotherapeutics to Host Melanoma Program Update Event for Analysts and Investors During SITC 2018

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SAN CARLOS, Calif., Oct. 29, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Iovance Biotherapeutics, Inc. (NASDAQ: IOVA), a biotechnology company developing novel cancer immunotherapies based on tumor-infiltrating lymphocyte (TIL) technology, today announced that it will host a live webcast of its Melanoma Program Update event for Analysts and Investors on Friday, November 9, 2018 from 6:30 – 8:30pm ET during the Society for Immunotherapy of Cancer (SITC) 33rd Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.

lovance's leadership team will present an overview of the company's immuno-oncology pipeline and the latest clinical data as well as the planned registration pathway for lifileucel, which was recently discussed with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and has received RMAT designation, the manufacturing progress leading to a commercial process and commercialization plans for lifileucel. Presentations will also be made by melanoma experts and key opinion leaders (KOLs) discussing updated clinical data from the C-144-01 study in metastatic melanoma.

The live webcast of this event will be accessible through the Investors section of Iovance Biotherapeutics' website at http://ir.iovance.com. The webcast will be archived and made available for replay on the company's website approximately two hours after the call and will be available for 30 days thereafter.

About lovance Biotherapeutics, Inc.

lovance Biotherapeutics, Inc. is a clinical-stage biotechnology company focused on the development of cancer immunotherapy products for the treatment of various cancers. The company's lead product candidate is an adoptive cell therapy using TIL technology being investigated for the treatment of patients with metastatic melanoma, recurrent and/or metastatic squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck, recurrent, metastatic or persistent cervical cancer and locally advanced or metastatic non-small cell lung cancer. For more information, please visit http://www.iovance.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain matters discussed in this press release are "forward-looking statements" of lovance Biotherapeutics, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as the "Company," "we," "us," or "our"). We may, in some cases, use terms such as "predicts," "believes," "potential," "continue," "estimates," "anticipates," "expects," "plans," "intends," "may," "could," "might," "will," "should" or other words that convey uncertainty of future events or outcomes to identify these forward-looking statements. The forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, risks and uncertainties relating to the success, timing, projected enrollment, manufacturing capabilities, and cost of our ongoing clinical trials and anticipated clinical trials for our current product candidates (including both Company-sponsored and collaborator-sponsored trials in both the U.S. and Europe), such as statements regarding the timing of initiation and completion of these trials; the timing of and our ability to obtain and maintain U.S. Food and Drug Administration or other regulatory authority approval of, or other action with respect to, our product candidates; the strength of Company's product pipeline; the successful implementation of the Company's research and development programs and collaborations; the success of the Company's manufacturing, license or development agreements; the acceptance by the market of the Company's product candidates, if approved; and other factors, including general economic conditions and regulatory developments, not within the Company's control. The factors discussed herein could cause actual results and developments to be materially different from those expressed in or implied by such statements. Actual results may differ from those set forth in this press release due to the risks and uncertainties inherent in the Company's business, including, without limitation: the FDA may not agree with the Company's interpretation of the results of its clinical trials; later developments with the FDA that may be inconsistent with already completed FDA meetings; the preliminary clinical results, including efficacy and safety results, from ongoing Phase 2 studies described above may not be reflected in the final analyses of these trials including new cohorts within these trials; the results obtained in the Company's ongoing clinical trials, such as the studies and trials referred to in this release, may not be indicative of results obtained in future clinical trials or supportive of product approval; regulatory authorities may potentially delay the timing of FDA or other regulatory authority approval of, or other action with respect to, the Company's product candidates (specifically, the Company's description of FDA interactions are subject to FDA's interpretation, as well as FDA's authority to request new or additional information): the Company may not be able to obtain or maintain FDA or other regulatory authority approval of its product candidates; the Company's ability to address FDA or other regulatory authority requirements relating to its clinical programs and registrational plans, such requirements including, but not limited to, clinical and safety requirements as well as manufacturing and control requirements; risks related to the Company's accelerated FDA review designations; the ability of the Company to manufacture its therapies using third party manufacturers; the ability of the Company to obtain and maintain intellectual property rights relating to its product pipeline; and the acceptance by the market of the Company's product candidates and their potential reimbursement by payors, if approved. A further list and description of the Company's risks, uncertainties and other factors can be found in the Company's most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and the Company's subsequent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Copies of these filings are available online at www.sec.gov or www.iovance.com. The forward-looking statements are made only as of the date of this press release and the Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update such forward-looking statements to reflect subsequent events or circumstances.

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