

## MDxHealth Announces Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey Issues Positive Coverage Policy on ConfirmMDx

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Decision provides access to more than 3.8 million members

**IRVINE, CA, and HERSTAL, BELGIUM** – January 18, 2017 – MDxHealth SA (Euronext: MDXH.BR) today announced that Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield (Horizon BCBS) of New Jersey has issued a positive medical policy for the ConfirmMDx<sup>®</sup> for Prostate Cancer test.

This is the fourth Blue Cross Blue Shield Association licensee to establish positive coverage policy and adds to the growing list of payers covering ConfirmMDx for Prostate Cancer. Horizon BCBS is New Jersey's oldest and largest health insurer, with more than 3.8 million members.

"The positive coverage decision by Horizon BCBS of New Jersey further validates the clinical and economic value of ConfirmMDx for Prostate Cancer for health plans, patients and physicians," stated **Dr. Jan Groen, CEO of MDxHealth**. "We are pleased to see the growing number of healthcare plans providing coverage for our test, further improving patient outcomes and helping to reduce costs to the US healthcare system."

## **About ConfirmMDx for Prostate Cancer**

ConfirmMDx for Prostate Cancer is the first epigenetic, and only tissue-based test in the 2016 NCCN Guidelines for early detection of prostate cancer which addresses false negative biopsy concerns. It is the only molecular diagnostic test that provides a very high negative predictive value (NPV) of 96% for clinically significant prostate cancers, and 90% NPV for all prostate cancers, as well as prostate mapping of the test results to help guide repeat biopsies. Each year, more than 1 million American men undergo an invasive prostate biopsy with a negative result, however approximately 30% of those men actually have prostate cancer. The current standard of care for prostate biopsy procedures samples less than 1% of the prostate, leaving men at risk for undetected cancer and leading to a high rate of repeat biopsies, even on cancer-free men. ConfirmMDx for Prostate Cancer helps urologists identify low-risk men who may forego an unnecessary repeat biopsy and high-risk men who may benefit from intervention. ConfirmMDx has qualified for Medicare reimbursement and covered by numerous private health insurance plans.

## **About MDxHealth**

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