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OncoMed Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (OMED)

Overweight

Recent Pullback Offers Buying Opportunity; Reiterate Overweight

CONCLUSION

Following OncoMed's decision to voluntarily halt clinical trials of vantictumab (OMP-18R5) and Fzd8-Fc (OMP-54F28), the FDA placed vantictumab on a partial clinical hold Friday evening until revised protocols have been submitted and reviewed. We would be buyers of OMED on any additional weakness ahead of multiple data readouts in 2H:14 on the remainder of OncoMed's pipeline. Also over the weekend, the company reported data on a Notch 1 biomarker assay being developed as a companion diagnostic test at EHA. We reiterate our Overweight rating and \$43 price target.

- FDA places vantictumab on partial clinical hold. On Friday, the FDA placed vantictumab on a partial clinical hold following OncoMed's decision to voluntarily halt clinical trials of both vantictumab and OMP-54F28. The partial clinical hold will remain in place until revised clinical trial protocols have been submitted and reviewed by the agency. OncoMed's decision was based on observations of bone related AEs in 8 of 63 patients (13%) of vantictumab and 2 of 41 patients (5%) of OMP-54F28 patients. The company is making protocol modifications including lower doses, less frequent dosing, increased monitoring, increase emphasis on bone protection and an adjustment of enrollment criteria likely to exclude patients who are at greatest risk. Patients with clinical benefit are able to stay on the therapies and will either continue with the current treatment regimen or have dose adjustments to reduce risk. Both vantictumab and OMP-54F28 are partnered with Bayer.
- Weakness presents buying opportunity. Based on the news that OncoMed placed vantictumab and OMP-54F28 on voluntary clinical hold on Friday, OMED shares ended the day down 8.8%. Although the news is a setback for both drugs, we would be buyers on any additional weakness. This is the primary benefit of OncoMed's rich cancer antibody pipeline. Neither drug is viewed as a key value driver for OncoMed and both are partnered with Bayer. We view the other drugs in development including demcizumab (Celgene option) and OMP-59R5 (partnered with GSK) as more advanced and more important with multiple data read-outs during 2H:14.
- Key upcoming milestones. OncoMed expects to initiate the Phase II portions of the ALPINE and PINNACLE trials that examine OMP-59R5 (Anti-Notch2/3) in pancreatic cancer and small cell lung cancer. The company will also initiate 2 Phase II studies looking at demcizumab in pancreatic and non-small cell lung cancer. The company plans to have data presentations addressing multiple pipeline drugs at upcoming medical conferences including ESMO, the EORTC-NCI-AACR meeting and the San Antonio Breast Cancer Symposium in 2H:14.

RISKS TO ACHIEVEMENT OF PRICE TARGET

Cancer is a competitive space. Demcizumab or OncoMed's other antibodies may fail in the clinic. OncoMed may not sign new partnerships and will likely require future cash.

PRICE: US\$22.71 TARGET: US\$43.00

Proj EV of \$1.05B + YE:14E cash

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Changes	Previous	Current
Rating	_	Overweight
Price Tgt	_	US\$43.00
FY14E Rev (mil)	_	US\$6o.8
FY15E Rev (mil)	_	US\$57.8
FY14E EPS	_	US\$(1.00)
FY15E EPS		US\$(1.02)

52-Week High / Low US\$42.34 / US\$12.07 Shares Out (mil) 29.6

Source: Form 10K as of March 11, 2014

Market Cap. (mil) US\$672.2
Avg Daily Vol (000) 163
Book Value/Share US\$3.58
Net Cash Per Share US\$9.61
Debt to Total Capital 0%
Div (ann) NA
Fiscal Year End Dec

USD 40 35 30 25 20

Jan-14

Nov-13

(1.02)

Mar-14

May-14

Source: Bloomberg

Price Performance - 1 Year

COMPANY DESCRIPTION

2015E

OncoMed is developing therapeutic antibodies to treat cancer. REVENUE (US\$ m) **EARNINGS PER SHARE (US\$)** FY RM Mar Dec FΥ FY P/E Mar Jun 2013A 12.9 NM 2.9 2.9 19.0 37.8 17.8x (0.39)(0.41) (0.15)(0.08)(0.85)2014E NM 28.9 21.9 60.8 11.1X (o.47)A 0.22 (0.65)(0.10) (1.00)3.9

2013 gtrly EPS does not add to annual b/c of IPO

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INVESTMENT RECOMMENDATION

We reiterate our Overweight rating and \$43 price target based on a projected enterprise value of \$1.05 billion. We value OncoMed's portion of demcizumab at \$396 million by applying the same 10x multiple to 2021 profit share of \$533 million, discounted back at 45%. We value four preclinical antibodies partnered with Celgene at \$50 million each.

We value OMP-59R5 (partnered with GSK) at \$404 million by applying a 10x multiple to OncoMed's royalties on 2021 U.S. sales in pancreatic and small cell cancer of \$544 million, discounted back at 45% annually to YE:14. We believe this 10x multiple is justified considering the higher margin royalties to be received from GSK and this discount rate as appropriate for a Phase Ib/II antibody having reported early signs of activity. We add \$50 million for OMP-52M51, which is partnered with GSK.

We add YE:14 net cash of \$273 million. OncoMed has no meaningful long-term debt. We divide our projected market capitalization of \$1.32 billion by 30.5 million shares at YE:14.

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OncoMed Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Quarterly Earnings Estimates

(\$ in thousands, except per share data)

May 8, 2014

	<u>2012A</u>	1QA	2QA	3QA	4QA	<u>2013A</u>	1QA	2QE	3QE	4QE	<u>2014E</u>	<u>2015E</u>
Revenues:												
Collaborative R&D	\$24,659	\$2,932	\$2,932	\$12,932	\$18,983	\$37,778	\$6,015	\$28,932	\$3,932	\$21,932	\$60,810	\$57,756
<u>Grants</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total Revenues	\$24,681	\$2,932	\$2,932	\$12,932	\$18,983	\$37,778	\$6,015	\$28,932	\$3,932	\$21,932	\$60,810	\$57,756
Operating Expenses:												
Research and Development	\$39,893	\$9,576	\$10,475	\$13,126	\$16,871	\$50,048	\$16,709	\$18,000	\$19,000	\$20,000	\$73,709	\$70,000
General and Administrative	<u>7,157</u>	<u>1,985</u>	<u>1,952</u>	<u>3,175</u>	<u>4,518</u>	<u>11,630</u>	<u>3,213</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>4,500</u>	<u>5,000</u>	<u>17,213</u>	<u>20,000</u>
Total Operating Expenses	\$47,050	\$11,561	\$12,427	\$16,301	\$21,389	\$61,678	\$19,922	\$22,500	\$23,500	\$25,000	\$90,922	\$90,000
Operating Loss	(\$22,369)	(\$8,630)	(\$9,496)	(\$3,369)	(\$2,406)	(\$23,900)	(\$13,907)	\$6,432	(\$19,569)	(\$3,069)	(\$30,113)	(\$32,244)
Operating Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	22.2%	NM	NM	NM	NM
Total Other Income/(Expense)	\$134	\$31	(\$149)	(\$117)	\$7	(\$228)	\$36	\$45	\$40	\$35	\$156	\$100
Pretax Loss	(\$22,235)	(\$8,599)	(\$9,645)	(\$3,486)	(\$2,399)	(\$24,128)	(\$13,871)	\$6,477	(\$19,529)	(\$3,034)	(\$29,957)	(\$32,144)
Pretax Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	22.4%	NM	NM	NM	NM
Income Tax/(Benefit)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Tax Rate	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM
Net Loss	(\$22,235)	(\$8,599)	(\$9,645)	(\$3,486)	(\$2,399)	(\$24,128)	(\$13,871)	\$6,477	(\$19,529)	(\$3,034)	(\$29,957)	(\$32,144)
Pretax Margin	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	NM	22.4%	NM	NM	NM	NM
Net Loss per Share	(\$1.00)	(\$0.39)	(\$0.41)	(\$0.15)	(\$0.08)	(\$0.85)	(\$0.47)	\$0.22	(\$0.65)	(\$0.10)	(\$1.00)	(\$1.02)
Shares Outstanding	22,224	22,265	23,763	23,179	28,361	28,361	29,443	29,750	30,250	30,500	29,986	31,500

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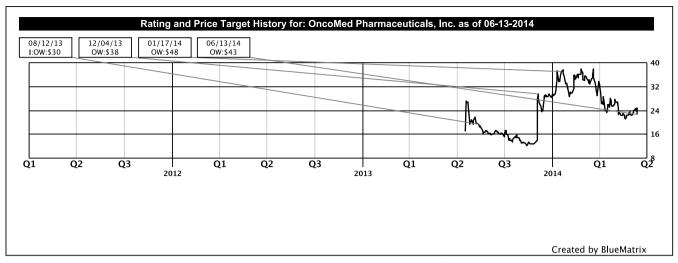
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