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Derma Sciences Announces Numerous Clinical Presentations on MEDIHONEY™ Wound & Burn Dressings at Upcoming SAWC Conference

Evidence Base for MEDIHONEY™ Dressings Continues To Grow

PRINCETON, NJ – (March 6, 2008) . . . Derma Sciences, Inc. (OTCBB:DSCI), a provider of advanced wound care products, announced today that seven abstracts detailing the clinical usage of its newly released MEDIHONEY Wound & Burn Dressings with Active *Leptospermum* Honey were accepted for presentation at the upcoming annual Symposium on Advanced Wound Care conference, held this year between April 24 – 27 in San Diego, CA. Additionally, the company has announced that two of the abstracts will be presented as oral presentations to a general assembly of the conference attendees.

Chairman and CEO Ed Quilty said, “MEDIHONEY dressings continue to receive positive levels of acceptance by clinicians worldwide and has become the most talked about treatment for hard-to-heal wounds in many forums. Having several abstracts related to MEDIHONEY dressing accepted in the largest annual international conference of its kind validates our very high expectations, and helps to further our goal of advancing wound care by uncovering technological innovations, empowering caregivers, and focusing on unmet patient needs.”

The abstracts include the following:

“The Importance of Medical Grade Honey Rather than Table Honey in the Treatment of Wounds”; Cooper RA, Jenkins L, Rowlands R. (oral presentation)

“The Inhibition of Biofilms of *Pseudomonas Aeruginosa* with Manuka Honey”; Cooper RA, Jenkins L, Rowlands R. (oral presentation)

“Manuka Honey Alginate Wound Dressing Facilitates Healing Of Chronic Diabetic Lower Extremity Ulcerations”; Robert Frykberg, DPM, MPH, Arthur Tallis, DPM, Cherese Thomas-Ramoutar, DPM, Edward Tierney, DPM.

“Comparison of Honey-Impregnated Calcium Alginate Dressings to Non-Impregnated Calcium Alginate Dressings on Wound Healing”; Catherine T. Milne, APRN, MSN, CWOCN; Connecticut Clinical Nursing Associates, LLC, Bristol Hospital Wound, Ostomy, Lymphedema Center, Bristol, CT.

“It Looks Like Honey. It Smells Like Honey. Yes, It Is Honey!”; Becky Strilko, RN, BSN, CWOCN, APN, Christine Barkauskas, RN, BA, CWOCN, APN, Andrea McIntosh, RN, BSN, CWOCN, APN, Noreen Reaney, RN, BSN, Wound Ostomy and Continence Student, Provena Saint Joseph Medical Center, Joliet, IL.

“The Influence of Catalase on the Antibacterial Activity of Honey”; Cooper RA, Jenkins L, Rowlands R.

“The Effects of a *Leptospermum* Honey Dressing on Methicillin-Resistant *Staphylococcus Aureus* (MRSA) Biofilms Using a Well Established Porcine Wound Infection model”; Stephen C. Davis, Yan Rivas, Joel Gil, Roberto Perez, Jose Valdes, Robert Kirsner, Department of Dermatology and Cutaneous Surgery, University of Miami School of Medicine, Miami, Florida.

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About Derma Sciences

Derma Sciences is a global manufacturer and marketer of advanced wound-care products. Its key product, MEDIHONEY, is sold throughout the world by Derma Sciences and Comvita New Zealand – the licensor of the patented honey-based technology – and is the leading brand of honey-based dressings for the management of wounds and burns. The product has been shown to be effective in a variety of wounds and burns, and was recently the focus of two positive large-scale randomized controlled studies on leg ulcers. For more information about Derma Sciences, Inc., visit its home page on the Internet at <http://www.dermasciences.com>.

About the SAWC

The SAWC is the Annual Symposium for the Association for Advancement of Wound Care and the Wound Healing Society Meeting. It is an annual conference specifically dedicated to the wounds and wound-related issues. The largest conference of its kind drawing attendees from all over the world, the meeting is an informational hub for multidisciplinary wound care clinicians and researchers.

The SAWC/WHS comprises four days of educational sessions, meetings, interactive events, and social gatherings, including a pre- and post-conference.

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