



Nanomix Supports Sepsis Awareness

Emeryville, CA (September 12, 2014) – Sepsis is a life threatening, debilitating disease that impacts millions of people worldwide. Education and awareness are fundamental to improving Sepsis diagnosis and care.

September marks Sepsis Awareness Month and September 13th is World Sepsis Day. According to the Sepsis Alliance, “Sepsis, the body’s toxic reaction to infection, kills over 258,000 people in the US every year, and thousands more are left with life-altering disabilities, such as limb amputations, organ dysfunction, and post-traumatic stress disorder. While sepsis may not always be prevented, the chances of survival increase dramatically when it is detected and treated in its early stages, particularly the first hour, or the so-called golden hour”.

Nanomix is dedicated to the development and commercialization of systems for use in critical disease diagnosis like Sepsis or other critical care indications. Providing mobile, rapid diagnostic systems that can be used at the first point of interaction with patients either inside or outside the hospital environment will accelerate diagnostic information and meet the “golden hour” objective.

“The need for rapid, easy to use, high performance diagnostics is clear in Sepsis as well as other critical diseases. For example, a prototype of our system for diagnosing Ebola, Dengue and Lassa fever has been tested in Africa,” said David Ludvigson, President & CEO of Nanomix. “New rapid diagnostic tools that can be used in or outside of traditional hospital settings will improve patient outcomes and will save lives.”

Throughout September, Nanomix urges everyone to join in spreading the word about what causes sepsis, how to watch for it, and how it is treated.

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