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Evoke Pharma to Present at LD Micro Conference

SOLANA BEACH, Calif., Nov. 25, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Evoke Pharma, Inc. (Nasdaq:EVOK), a specialty pharmaceutical company focused on treatments for gastrointestinal (GI) diseases, will host an investor presentation on Thursday, December 4, 2014 at 11:30AM PT at the LD Micro Main Event VII Conference. The conference is being held December 2-4, 2014 at the Luxe Sunset Boulevard Hotel in Los Angeles, California.

A copy of the corporate overview will be posted to the company's website following the presentation.

About Evoke Pharma, Inc.

Evoke Pharma is a specialty pharmaceutical company focused primarily on the development of drugs to treat GI disorders and diseases. The Company is developing EVK-001, a metoclopramide nasal spray for the relief of symptoms associated with acute and recurrent diabetic gastroparesis in women. Diabetic gastroparesis is a GI disorder afflicting millions of sufferers worldwide, in which the stomach takes too long to empty its contents resulting in serious digestive system symptoms. Metoclopramide is the only product currently approved in the United States to treat gastroparesis, and is currently available only in oral and intravenous forms. EVK-001 is a novel formulation of this drug, designed to provide systemic delivery of metoclopramide through intranasal administration.

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