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Clinglobal welcomes the OCRvet team to the Clinglobal Group.

On 01 October 2024, we welcome OCRvet, a European translational and animal health field trial CRO, to the Clinglobal group. OCRvet colleagues in France, Italy, and Poland enable Clinglobal to expand its capabilities across Europe and into translational medicine and medical devices. The acquisition is in line with Clinglobal's strategic decision a little over a year ago to enter the field clinical trial space. OCRvet will complement the international team of animal health professionals that Clinglobal brought together during the first half of 2024.

Established 13 years ago in Lille, France, and committed to One Health, OCRvet entered the CRO sector to provide comparative studies on oncology. Following the industry's requests, the team started to support multicentric non-GxP and GCP studies for the animal health, pet food, biotech, and human pharmaceutical industries. With a sixteen-people-strong team, OCRvet is eager to join Clinglobal to continue its growth path within the group. Moreover, the OCRvet team's expertise in histology processing, immunohistochemistry and biobanking shall find fertile ground for expansion within Clinvet sites in Europe and beyond.

The OCRvet team will work closely with Clinglobal business integration teams as the transition to the Clinglobal Group's compliance, quality management, data management, and IT platforms progresses.

The Clinglobal Group is committed to working with OCRvet's existing customers and partnering with European and international organisations to improve lives by accelerating animal health innovation.

"Our team's mission of accelerating the development of new treatments for animals as well as humans, and its values revolving around ethics, innovation, collaboration, transparency and integrity are perfectly aligned with Clinglobal's values and work ethic. This new phase is an excellent opportunity for both groups to have a broader and greater impact in helping animals and people," – says Dr Dominique Tierny, founder of OCRvet.

Mr Wessel Fourie, Clinglobal CEO, added: *"We are fully committed to developing a global Field Clinical Trial unit within our group, and we are confident that this transaction is moving us closer to this goal. We have been impressed by the OCRvet team's professionalism and dedication and look forward to welcoming them to the Clinglobal group."*

About the Clinglobal Group

Privately owned, the Clinglobal group's five contract research organisations (CROs) specialise in distinctive yet complementary areas of expertise: Clinvet offers in vitro and in vivo preclinical and clinical safety and efficacy studies on target species; Clindata proposes integral data management and statistical analysis support; Clinomics



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specialises in molecular biology and recombinant protein expression R&D services; Rtilab is an R&D microbiology and diagnostics laboratory; and Clinglobal offers central contract management and product development support services, including but not limited to regulatory affairs, quality assurance, consulting and field clinical trials.



About OCRvet

Founded by Dr Dominique Tierny, OCRvet provides clinical studies, comparative clinical studies and R&D services to international animal and human pharma, biotech, MedTech and pet food industries. OCRvet has built its reputation on specific areas of chronic pet disease, based on the "One Health" approach revolving around the convergence of animal and human medicines. Over the last few years, OCRvet's international team expertise, dedication and commitment to innovation and customer support have been recognised by customers across sectors and geographies.

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