

Australian Healthcare

INDUSTRY UPDATE – 23 October 2019

VALUATION MULTIPLES

Forward EV / EBITDA Multiples (monthly to 30/09/2019) Source: FactSet Research Systems Inc.

Multiples in the Healthcare sector have decreased over the period. At the end of September, the sector traded on a forward EV / EBITDA multiple of 11.4, compared to the ASX200 on 10.0x.



Average Values and Trading Multiples (values as at 23/10/2019) Source: FactSet Research Systems Inc.

Subsector	Enterprise Value (\$ m)	EV/EBITDA FY2020	EV/EBIT FY2020	Price / Earnings FY2020
Aged Care	3,512	12.1x	17.4x	23.9x
Animal Health	272	7.4x	8.7x	11.3x
Biotech	116,372	24.8x	28.8x	35.9x
Hospitals & Clinics	45,069	10.1x	14.4x	20.3x
Medical Devices	13,912	26.7x	29.9x	40.4x
Healthcare	180,322	11.6x	15.5x	20.9x

Note: Multiples are based on the forward year of the unreported period, which for the majority of companies in the sector is FY2020. Difference in forward EV/EBITDA multiples between Figure and Table are representative of the timing difference between month-end result, and current day result.

¹ The InterFinancial Healthcare Index set is an unweighted index comprising Healthcare sector related companies trading on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX). Estimates are sourced from FactSet Research Systems Inc.



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MERGER & ACQUISITION NEWS...



Value: \$170m (estimated)



Pemba Capital Partners, along with the management of **ONCALL**, has agreed to acquire the company, in a management buyout transaction. **ONCALL** is an Australia-based provider of services in emergency and non-emergency situations. The value of the deal is estimated at AUD 170m.



Value: Undisclosed

Ecolab Inc, the St. Paul, MN-based water and energy technology company announced that it has acquired **Gallay Medical & Scientific**, an Australian supplier of medical and laboratory equipment.





Value: \$52m

APM, the human services business which is backed **by Quadrant Private Equity**, is paying AUD 52m to buy **Konekt**, an Australian workplace safety business and is believed to be seeking additional acquisitions.





Value: \$34m



EBOS, the New Zealand-based pharmacy and animal healthcare company, announced it has acquired the businesses of **LMT** ("Life. Movement. Technology.") and **National Surgical** for AUD 34m.

UNDER THE MICROSCOPE...

- QIC is thought to be in talks with the owners of Nexus Day Hospitals (a group of Australian private hospitals). QIC, is thought to be targeting Nexus through its infrastructure unit.
- Australian radiology business Qscan should attract a range of potential buyers but its backer, private equity firm Quadrant, might find it hard to reach the kind of exit multiples achieved in the sale of larger peer I-MED Radiology last year.
- Everlight Radiology, an Australian teleradiology business, is anticipated to launch a sale process within days. The group is expected to be worth around AUD 400m.
- Terragen, an Australian agricultural biotech company, is planning to list on the ASX to raise AUD 20m.
- Moelis Australia is believed to have received inbound interest for its 13.25% strategic stake in Japara Healthcare. Japara has market capitalisation of AUD 306m.
- HealthShare, a private Sydney-based Australian digital health platform, is actively seeking AUD 10m-AUD 15m to accelerate
 growth in Australia and the US.
- Cronos Australia, an Australian medicinal cannabis products business, is seeking to raise AUD 20m through an initial public offering of its ordinary shares on the ASX.
- Cynata Therapeutics and Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma failed to reach an agreement on terms of a proposed offer of the Japanese pharmaceutical firm to acquire the Australian stem cell and regenerative medicine company.
- Cortical Dynamics, a Perth, Australia-based brain monitoring medical technology company, is actively seeking AUD 2m for a 15% stake in the company, on a pre-raise valuation of AUD 12m.



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