

ICU Medical, Inc. Reports Strong Second Quarter 2011 Results

Diluted EPS Increased 18% to \$0.67

Sales Grew 13% to \$77.8 Million

SAN CLEMENTE, Calif—July 18, 2011—ICU Medical, Inc., (Nasdaq: ICUI), a leader in the development, manufacture and sale of innovative medical technologies used in I.V. therapy, oncology and critical care applications, announced results for the second quarter and six months ended June 30, 2011.

Second quarter of 2011 revenue increased 13.0% to \$77.8 million, compared to \$68.9 million in the same period last year. Net income for the second quarter of 2011 was \$9.5 million, or \$0.67 per diluted share, as compared to net income of \$7.7 million, or \$0.56 per diluted share, for the second quarter of 2010.

For the six months ended June 30, 2011, revenue increased 12.0% to \$149.3 million, compared to \$133.2 million in the same period last year. Net income for the six months ended June 30, 2011, was \$17.6 million, or \$1.24 per diluted share, compared to net income of \$12.0 million, or \$0.86 per diluted share, for the same period last year.

Scott Lamb, ICU Medical's Chief Financial Officer, said, "We are pleased with our financial performance during the second quarter, highlighted by double-digit year over year improvements in sales and earnings. Contributing to our top line growth was strong demand for CLAVEs in the I.V. therapy market and our overall line of oncology products. As our global market continued to expand, our international sales increased 42%."

"With continued strong cash flow and over \$120 million of cash and investment securities and no debt, we are well positioned to invest in new and existing products, expanding our position in the I.V. therapy, critical care and oncology markets," concluded Mr. Lamb.

Target Markets	Six months e 2011	Change	
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I.V. Therapy	\$95.4	\$84.9	12.4%
Critical Care	\$32.5	\$33.8	(3.9)%
Oncology	\$12.2	\$8.1	51.4%
Other	\$9.2	\$6.5	40.5%

Revenue by market segment for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was as follows:

The Company ended the second quarter with a strong balance sheet. As of June 30, 2011, cash, cash equivalents and investment securities totaled \$120.8 million and working capital was \$212.1 million. Additionally, the Company generated operating cash flow of \$10.3 million for the second quarter of 2011.

Fiscal Year 2011 Guidance

For the full fiscal year of 2011, management is raising the bottom end of its previously announced revenue guidance range. The new range is \$297 million to \$305 million, compared to its previous range of \$295 million to \$305 million. Based on the current business trends, management is also raising the bottom end of its earnings per share guidance range. The new range is \$2.35 to \$2.50 per share, compared to its previous range of \$2.50 per share. Operating cash flow is expected to be in the range of \$45 million to \$50 million.

Conference Call

The Company will be conducting a conference call concerning its second quarter results today at 4:30 p.m. EDT (1:30 p.m. PDT). The call can be accessed at 800-936-9761, international 408-774-4587, conference ID 75379111 or by replay at 800-642-1687, international 706-645-9291, conference ID 75379111. The conference call will be simultaneously available by webcast, which can be accessed by going to the Company's website at <u>www.icumed.com</u>, clicking on the Investors tab, clicking on the Webcast icon and following the prompts. The webcast will also be available by replay.

About ICU Medical, Inc.

ICU Medical, Inc. (Nasdaq: ICUI) develops, manufactures and sells innovative medical technologies used in I.V. therapy, oncology, and critical care applications. ICU Medical's products improve patient outcomes by helping prevent bloodstream infections, protecting healthcare workers from exposure to infectious diseases or hazardous drugs and monitor continuous cardiac output of critical care patients. The Company's complete product line includes custom I.V. systems, closed delivery systems for hazardous drugs, needleless I.V. connectors, catheters and cardiac monitoring systems. ICU Medical is headquartered in San Clemente, California. For more information, visit the Company's website at <u>www.icumed.com</u>.

Forward Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Such statements contain words such as "will," "expect," "believe," "could," "would," "estimate," "continue," "build," "expand" or the negative thereof or comparable terminology, and may include (without limitation) information regarding the Company's expectations, goals or intentions regarding the future, including, but not limited to, statements regarding the Company's positioning to invest in new products, increase existing product lines and for continued global expansion, and the statements under the heading "Fiscal Year 2011 Guidance." These forward-looking statements are based on Management's current expectations, estimates, forecasts and projections about the Company and assumptions Management believes are reasonable, all of which are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results and events to differ materially from those stated in the forward-looking statements. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, decreased demand for the Company's products, increased competition from competitors, lack of continued growth or improving efficiencies and unexpected changes in the Company's arrangements with its largest customers. Future results are subject to risks and uncertainties, including the risk factors, and other risks and uncertainties, described in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, which include those in the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010 and the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2011. Forward-looking statements contained in this press release are made only as of the date hereof, and the Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise the forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Amounts in thousands, except per share data)

	June 30, 2011		D	December 31, 2010	
		(unaudited)		(1)	
ASSETS					
CURRENT ASSETS:					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	87,368	\$	78,850	
Investment securities		33,444		14,507	
Cash, cash equivalents and investment securities		120,812		93,357	
Accounts receivable, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of \$1,232 at June 30, 2011 and \$742 at December 31, 2010		51,789		55,106	
Inventories		49,372		44,056	
Prepaid income taxes		4,468		687	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		7,443		9,574	
Deferred income taxes		4,991		5,053	
Total current assets		238,875		207,833	
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, net		87,561		83,545	
GOODWILL		1,478		1,478	
INTANGIBLE ASSETS, net		13,780		14,806	
DEFERRED INCOME TAXES		4,635		4,564	
	\$	346,329	\$	312,226	
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY					
CURRENT LIABILITIES:					
Accounts payable	\$	12,308	\$	10,879	
Accrued liabilities		14,471		14,629	
Deferred revenue		_		254	
Total current liabilities		26,779		25,762	
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES					
DEFERRED INCOME TAXES		7,974		8,023	
INCOME TAX LIABILITY		4,471		4,155	
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY:					
Convertible preferred stock, \$1.00 par value Authorized—500 shares; Issued and outstanding— none					
Common stock, \$0.10 par value — Authorized—80,000 shares; Issued 14,855 shares at June 30, 2011 and December 31, 2010, outstanding 13,963 shares at June 30, 2011	;				
and 13,659 shares at December 31, 2010		1,486		1,486	
Additional paid-in capital		56,377		56,502	
Treasury stock, at cost — 892 shares at June 30, 2011 and 1,196 shares at December 31,				,	
2010		(31,126)		(41,428)	
Retained earnings		276,356		258,790	
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) income		4,012		(1,064)	
Total stockholders' equity		307,105		274,286	
	\$	346,329	\$	312,226	

(1) December 31, 2010 balances were derived from audited consolidated financial statements.

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Amounts in thousands, except per share data) (unaudited)

	 Three months	ended June 30,	Six months ended June 30,		
	 2011	2010	2011	2010	
REVENUES:					
Net sales	\$ 77,661	\$ 68,710	\$ 148,999	\$ 132,922	
Other	 135	152	268	303	
TOTAL REVENUE	77,796	68,862	149,267	133,225	
COST OF GOODS SOLD	 41,595	36,735	78,440	74,171	
Gross profit	36,201	32,127	70,827	59,054	
OPERATING EXPENSES:					
Selling, general and administrative	19,730	19,372	42,593	39,027	
Research and development	2,491	952	4,543	1,870	
Legal settlement	 		(2,500)		
Total operating expenses	22,221	20,324	44,636	40,897	
Income from operations	13,980	11,803	26,191	18,157	
OTHER INCOME	 431	63	834	255	
Income before income taxes	14,411	11,866	27,025	18,412	
PROVISION FOR INCOME TAXES	(4,918)	(4,153)	(9,459)	(6,444)	
NET INCOME	\$ 9,493	\$ 7,713	\$ 17,566	\$ 11,968	
NET INCOME PER SHARE	 				
Basic	\$ 0.69	\$ 0.57	\$ 1.28	\$ 0.88	
Diluted	\$ 0.67	\$ 0.56	\$ 1.24	\$ 0.86	
WEIGHTED AVERAGE NUMBER OF SHARES					
Basic	13,852	13,469	13,772	13,665	
Diluted	14,257	13,657	14,166	13,888	

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Amounts in thousands) (unaudited)

		Six months ended June 30		
		2011		2010
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:				
Net income	\$	17,566	\$	11,968
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		9,052		8,602
Provision for doubtful accounts		437		97
Stock compensation		1,979		1,668
Loss (gain) on disposal of property and equipment		(56)		49
Bond premium amortization		399		947
Cash provided (used) by changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of assets acquired				
Accounts receivable		3,908		(1,970
Inventories		(4,025)		(1,423
Prepaid expenses and other assets		(1,373)		(1,784
Accounts payable		1,286		(1,140
Accrued liabilities		(599)		1,387
Deferred revenue		(254)		(2,283
Prepaid and deferred income taxes		(2,857)		1,421
Net cash provided by operating activities		25,463		17,539
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:				
Purchases of property and equipment		(9,755)		(11,285
Proceeds from sale of asset		_		893
Proceeds from insurance		2,781		_
Purchases of investment securities		(32,236)		(13,698
Proceeds from sale of investment securities		12,900		44,166
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		(26,310)		20,076
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:				
Proceeds from exercise of stock options		4,572		103
Proceeds from employee stock purchase plan		909		747
Tax benefits from exercise of stock options		2,717		58
Purchase of treasury stock				(28,648
Net cash provided (used) by financing activities		8,198		(27,740
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		1,167		(3,521
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		8,518	·	6,354
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of period		78,850		51,248
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of period	\$	87,368	\$	57,602
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NON-CASH INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Accrued liabilities for property and equipment	\$	262	\$	354

The accompanying consolidated financial data should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in the Company's 2010 Annual Report to Shareholders.

The following table sets forth, for the periods indicated, total revenues by product as a percentage of total revenues:

	Three months ended June 30,		Six months ended June 30,		Fiscal Year Ended		
Product Line	2011	2010	2011	2010	2010	2009	
CLAVE	34 %	34 %	34 %	35 %	35 %	37 %	
Custom products	31 %	34 %	32 %	33 %	35 %	34 %	
Standard critical care	17 %	20 %	17 %	20 %	18 %	18 %	
Standard oncology products	8 %	3 %	6 %	3 %	3 %	2 %	
Other products/other revenue	10 %	9 %	11 %	9 %	9 %	9 %	
Total	100 %	100%	100 %	100 %	100 %	100%	

We distribute products through three distribution channels. Product revenues for each distribution channel as a percentage of total channel product revenue were as follows:

	Three months ended June 30,		Six months ended June 30,		Fiscal Year Ended	
Channel	2011	2010	2011	2010	2010	2009
Medical product manufacturers	36 %	40 %	38 %	39 %	41 %	50 %
Domestic distributors/direct	34 %	36 %	35 %	37 %	36 %	29 %
International customers	30 %	24 %	27 %	24 %	23 %	21 %
Total	100 %	100%	100 %	100 %	100 %	100%