UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) of the SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 2, 2022

AtriCure, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-51470

(Commission File Number)

34-1940305

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

7555 Innovation Way, Mason OH 45040 (Address of Principal Executive Offices, and Zip Code)

(513) 755-4100

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- 0 Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
 - Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- 0 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$.001 par value	ATRC	NASDAQ

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this

Emerging growth company 0

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. 0

Item 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On August 2, 2022, AtriCure, Inc. issued a press release regarding its financial results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2022. The Company will hold a conference call on August 2, 2022 at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time to discuss the financial results. A copy of the press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

During the week of August 2, 2022 the Company is holding meetings with investors discussing, among other topics, an overview of the Company's business and growth strategy. A copy of the investor presentation, which is available at www.atricure.com, is furnished as Exhibit 99.2 to this Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

Information in the presentation contains forward-looking statements regarding future events and performance of the Company. All such forward-looking statements are based largely on the Company's experience and perception of current conditions, trends, expected future developments and other factors, and on management's expectations, and are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially, including, but not limited to, those factors described in the presentation and in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise any financial or other projections or other forward-looking statements, whether because of new information, future events or otherwise.

The information in Item 2.02 of Form 8-K and in the press release attached as Exhibit 99.1 and the presentation attached as Exhibit 99.2 is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section. The information in each of Item 2.02 and Item 7.01 of this Form 8-K and Exhibit 99.1 and Exhibit 99.2 shall not be incorporated by reference in any filing or other document under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in any such filing or document.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Description

(d) Exhibits

110.	Description
99.1	Press Release dated August 2, 2022 relating to financial results for the second quarter ended June 30, 2022
99.2	Investor Presentation
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File-the cover page XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

ATRICURE, INC.

August 2, 2022 Dated:

By:

/s/ Angela L. Wirick Angela L. Wirick Chief Financial Officer



For immediate release August 2, 2022

AtriCure Reports Second Quarter 2022 Financial Results

MASON, Ohio, August 2, 2022 – <u>AtriCure, Inc.</u> (Nasdag: <u>ATRC</u>), a leading innovator in surgical treatments and therapies for atrial fibrillation (Afib), left atrial appendage (LAA) management and post-operative pain management, today announced second quarter 2022 financial results.

"We delivered a remarkable second quarter as we continue changing the standard of care for millions of patients globally," said Michael Carrel, President and Chief Executive Officer of AtriCure. "Our results demonstrate the building strength of our portfolio of solutions, while continued product innovation, clinical science and physician education drive expansive, long-term growth opportunities."

Second Quarter 2022 Financial Results

Revenue for the second quarter 2021 was \$84.5 million, an increase of 18.4% (an increase of 19.8% on a constant currency basis) over second quarter 2021 revenue. U.S. revenue was \$71.3 million, an increase of \$11.2 million or 18.6%, compared to second quarter 2021. U.S. revenue growth was driven by sales across key product lines, notably the cryoSPHERE® probe for post-operative pain management, ArtiClip® Flex-V® and Pro-V® devices, the new ENCOMPASS® clamp and our EPi-Sense® System. International revenue increased \$2.0 million or 17.3% (an increase of 26.3% on a constant currency basis) to \$13.3 million, driven mainly by appendage management products and reflecting a rebound in procedure volumes in Europe and growth in Australia. On a sequential basis, worldwide revenue for the second quarter 2022 increased approximately 13.3% over first quarter 2022.

Gross profit for the second quarter 2022 was \$63.5 million compared to \$54.1 million for the second quarter 2021. Gross margin was 75.1% and 75.8% for the second quarters 2022 and 2021 respectively, largely reflecting changes in U.S. product mix and cost increases driven by inflationary and supply chain pressures. Loss from operations for the second quarter 2022 was \$13.7 million, compared to \$15.1 million for the second quarter 2021. Basic and diluted net loss per share was \$0.32 for the second quarter 2022, compared to \$0.36 for the second quarter 2021.

Adjusted EBITDA was negative for the second quarter 2022 at \$3.2 million, compared to negative \$2.7 million for second quarter of 2021. Adjusted loss per share for the second quarter 2022 was \$0.32 compared to \$0.30 for the second quarter 2021.

Constant currency revenue, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted loss per share are non-GAAP measures. We discuss these non-GAAP measures and provide reconciliations to GAAP measures later in this release.

2022 Financial Guidance

Full year 2022 revenue is projected to be approximately \$323 million to \$333 million, reflecting growth of approximately 18% to 21% over full year 2021. Management continues to expect full year 2022 adjusted EBITDA to be a loss of approximately \$2 million, and the full year 2022 adjusted loss per share of approximately \$1.07 to \$1.12.

Conference Call

AtriCure will host a conference call at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Time on Tuesday, August 2, 2022 to discuss its second quarter 2022 financial results. To access the webcast, please visit the Investors page of AtriCure's corporate website at https://ir.atricure.com/events-and-presentations/events. Participants are encouraged to register more than 15 minutes before the webcast start time. A replay of the presentation will be available for 90 days following the presentation.

About AtriCure

AtriCure, Inc. provides innovative technologies for the treatment of Afib and related conditions. Afib affects more than 33 million people worldwide. Electrophysiologists and cardiothoracic surgeons around the globe use AtriCure technologies for the treatment of Afib and reduction of Afib related complications. AtriCure's Isolator® Synergy™ Ablation System is the first

medical device to receive FDA approval for the treatment of persistent Afib. AtriCure's AtriClip® Left Atrial Appendage Exclusion System products are the most widely sold LAA management devices worldwide. AtriCure's Hybrid AFTM Therapy is a minimally invasive procedure that provides a lasting solution for long-standing persistent Afib patients. AtriCure's cryoICE cryoSPHERE® probe is cleared for temporary ablation of peripheral nerves to block pain, providing pain relief in cardiac and thoracic procedures. For more information, visit AtriCure.com or follow us on Twitter @AtriCure.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains "forward-looking statements"—that is, statements related to future events that by their nature address matters that are uncertain. This press release also includes forward-looking projected financial information that is based on current estimates and forecasts. Actual results could differ materially. For details on the uncertainties that may cause our actual results to be materially different than those expressed in our forward-looking statements, visit http://www.atricure.com/forward-looking-statements as well as our Annual Reports on Form 10-Q which contain risk factors. Except where otherwise noted, the information contained in this release and the related attachment is as of August 2, 2022. We assume no obligation to update any forward-looking statements contained in this release and the related attachment as a result of new information or future events or developments, except as may be required by law.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

To supplement AtriCure's condensed consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, or GAAP, AtriCure provides certain non-GAAP financial measures in this release as supplemental financial metrics.

Revenue reported on a constant currency basis is a non-GAAP measure, calculated by applying previous period foreign currency exchange rates, which are determined by the average daily Euro to Dollar exchange rate, to each of the comparable periods. Management analyzes revenue on a constant currency basis to better measure the comparability of results between periods. Because changes in foreign currency exchange rates have a non-operating impact on revenue, the Company believes that evaluating growth in revenue on a constant currency basis provides an additional and meaningful assessment of revenue to both management and investors.

Adjusted EBITDA is calculated as net income (loss) before other income/expense (including interest), income tax expense, depreciation and amortization expense, share-based compensation expense, acquisition costs, legal settlement costs, impairment of intangible asset and change in fair value of contingent consideration liabilities. Management believes in order to properly understand short-term and long-term financial trends, investors may wish to consider the impact of these excluded items in addition to GAAP measures. The excluded items vary in frequency and/or impact on our continuing results of operations and management believes that the excluded items are typically not reflective of our ongoing core business operations and financial condition. Further, management uses adjusted EBITDA for both strategic and annual operating planning. A reconciliation of adjusted EBITDA reported in this release to the most comparable GAAP measure for the respective periods appears in the table captioned "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Adjusted Loss (Adjusted EBITDA)" later in this release.

Adjusted income (loss) per share is a non-GAAP measure which calculates the net income (loss) per share before non-cash adjustments in fair value of contingent consideration liabilities, impairment of intangible asset and legal settlement costs. A reconciliation of adjusted income (loss) per share reported in this release to the most comparable GAAP measure for the respective periods appears in the table captioned "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Adjusted Loss Per Share" later in this release.

The non-GAAP financial measures used by AtriCure may not be the same or calculated in the same manner as those used and calculated by other companies. Non-GAAP financial measures have limitations as analytical tools and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for AtriCure's financial results prepared and reported in accordance with GAAP. We urge investors to review the reconciliation of these non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financials measures included in this press release, and not to rely on any single financial measure to evaluate our business.

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ATRICURE, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(In Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts)

(Unaudited)

			nths Ended e 30,		Six Mont Jun			
	·	2022	20	21	2022	2021		
United States Revenue:								
Open ablation	\$	22,070	\$	19,503 \$	41,044	\$	36,942	
Minimally invasive ablation		10,154		9,702	18,769		18,087	
Pain management		10,210		5,709	18,224		9,607	
Total ablation		42,434		34,914	78,037		64,636	
Appendage management		28,831		25,156	55,500		45,743	
Total United States		71,265		60,070	133,537		110,379	
International Revenue:								
Open ablation		6,213		5,526	12,705		9,960	
Minimally invasive ablation		1,271		1,575	2,804		2,849	
Pain management		114		11	254		11	
Total ablation		7,598		7,112	15,763		12,820	
Appendage management		5,666		4,194	9,805		7,452	
Total International		13,264		11,306	25,568		20,272	
Total revenue		84,529		71,376	159,105		130,651	
Cost of revenue		21,010		17,298	39,991		32,033	
Gross profit		63,519		54,078	119,114		98,618	
Operating expenses:								
Research and development expenses		14,791		12,197	28,420		23,414	
Selling, general and administrative expenses		62,388		56,958	118,504		106,166	
Total operating expenses		77,179		69,155	146,924		129,580	
Loss from operations		(13,660)		(15,077)	(27,810)		(30,962)	
Other expense, net		(1,136)		(1,108)	(2,113)		(2,109)	
Loss before income tax expense		(14,796)		(16,185)	(29,923)		(33,071)	
Income tax expense		45		66	101		97	
Net loss	\$	(14,841)	\$	(16,251) \$	(30,024)	\$	(33,168)	
Basic and diluted net loss per share	\$	(0.32)	\$	(0.36) \$	(0.66)	\$	(0.74)	
Weighted average shares used in computing net loss per share:		•						
Basic and diluted		45,692		45,035	45,610		44,834	

ATRICURE, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (In Thousands) (Unaudited)

	June 30, 2022	December 31, 2021	
Assets			
Current assets:			
Cash, cash equivalents, and short-term investments	\$ 118,454	\$ 119,	,090
Accounts receivable, net	41,488	33,	,021
Inventories	41,292	38,	,964
Prepaid and other current assets	4,932	5,	,001
Total current assets	 206,166	196,	,076
Long-term investments	64,295	104,	,338
Property and equipment, net	36,053	31,	,409
Operating lease right-of-use assets	4,241	4,	,761
Goodwill and intangible assets, net	275,830	277,	,773
Other noncurrent assets	 804		955
Total assets	\$ 587,389	\$ 615,	,312
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 54,496	\$ 54,	,689
Other current liabilities and current maturities of leases	1,820	1,	,756
Total current liabilities	 56,316	56,	,445
Long-term debt	59,954	59,	,741
Finance lease liabilities	9,603	10,	,082
Operating lease liabilities	3,591	4,	,068
Other noncurrent liabilities	 1,215	1,	,220
Total liabilities	130,679	131,	,556
Stockholders' equity:			
Common stock	46		46
Additional paid-in capital	771,185	764	,811
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(4,344)	(948)
Accumulated deficit	 (310,177)	(280,	153)
Total stockholders' equity	456,710	483,	,756
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 587,389	\$ 615,	,312

ATRICURE, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP RESULTS TO NON-GAAP RESULTS (In Thousands) (Unaudited)

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Adjusted Loss (Adjusted EBITDA)

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2022	2021		2022	2021
Net loss, as reported	\$ (14,8	41) \$	16,251) \$	(30,024)	\$ (33,168)
Income tax expense		45	66	101	97
Other expense, net	1,3	36	1,108	2,113	2,109
Depreciation and amortization expense	2,9	37	2,658	5,804	4,780
Share-based compensation expense	7,5	24	7,141	14,573	13,745
Change in fair value of contingent consideration			2,600		5,100
Non-GAAP adjusted loss (adjusted EBITDA)	\$ (3,1	99) \$	(2,678) \$	(7,433)	\$ (7,337)

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Adjusted Loss Per Share

		Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June 30,		nded	
	<u></u>	2022		2021	2022		2021
Net loss, as reported	\$	(14,841)	\$	(16,251)	\$ (30,024	\$	(33,168)
Change in fair value of contingent consideration				2,600		_	5,100
Non-GAAP adjusted net loss	\$	(14,841)	\$	(13,651)	\$ (30,02	1) \$	(28,068)
Basic and diluted adjusted net loss per share	\$	(0.32)	\$	(0.30)	\$ (0.6)	5) \$	(0.63)
Weighted average shares used in computing adjusted net loss per share							
Basic and diluted		45,692		45,035	45,61)	44,834



Forward Looking Statements

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Reliance should not be placed on forward-looking statements because they involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause actual results, performance or achievements to differ materially from those expressed or implied. These risks, uncertainties and other factors include, but are not limited to, those identified at http://www.atricure.com/forward-looking-statements and/or described in AtriCure's Annual Reports on Form 10-K and Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, particularly the "Risk Factors" sections thereof, as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission and available at http://www.sec.gov.

With respect to all forward-looking statements, AtriCure claims the protection of the safe harbor for forward-looking statements contained in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made. AtriCure undertakes no obligation, and does not expect, to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements to reflect new information or future events or otherwise unless required by law.

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We are passionately focused on reducing the global Afib epidemic and healing the lives of those affected

Large MarketsAddressing an underserved and growing patient population

Strong PortfolioExisting products and solutions driving consistent growth

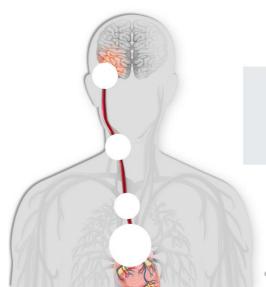
Bright Future

Novel therapies supported by growing body of clinical evidence

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Afib: A Serious Problem



~1.2M

Afib diagnoses annually in the US²

1/4 Adults over 40 will develop Afib in their lifetime³

Atrial Fibrillation (Afib) is an irregular heartbeat (or arrhythmia) that affects more than 33 million people worldwide.

5x
Higher Risk of Stroke⁴

46% Greater Risk of Mortality⁵

>5x
Higher Risk
of Heart Failure⁶

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Significant Global Market Opportunity



International Market

\$2B+

- ANNUAL OPPORTUNITY
- Penetration of large markets first
 - · Expand product availability
 - Improve market access via reimbursement
 - Continued build of dedicated sales and training expertise

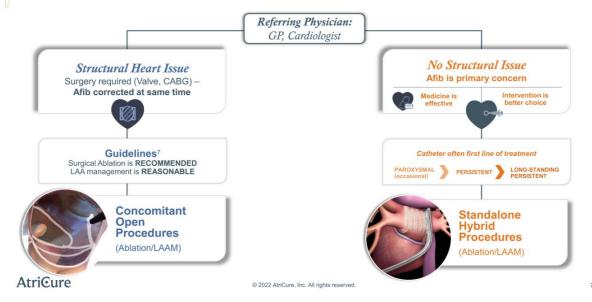
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· New product development

· Enhanced reimbursement

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Two Distinct Patient Profiles



US Market Opportunity



Pain Management Procedures (Ablation)

\$700-800M

Concomitant Open Procedures (Ablation/LAAM)



Expansive Growth from Development of Standalone Afib Market

- Addressable market is more than 3 million patients
- Multiple approaches to treatment: Hybrid AF Therapy + AtriClip®, DEEP

Novel, High Growth Market

~140k thoracic patients

Steady Growth in Penetration of Cardiac Surgery Market

- ~300k total patients (Afib, non-Afib) with structural heart issue
- Only PMA product for concomitant surgical treatment of Afib

Market opportunity based on internal estimates and research, as well as from publicly available information. See Supplemental Information for additional detail.

AtriCure: A Decade of Progress

2011

Impacting more than 300,000 patients worldwide.

2021

Isolator Synergy Ablation System

approved by FDA for treatment of persistent or long-standing persistent Afib concomitant to open heart procedures... the first medical device to receive FDA approval for the treatment of persistent Afib

- Maze IV Training Program initiated;
 Advanced Ablation Courses endorsed
 by the Society of Thoracic Surgeons (STS)
- · Continued innovation in AtriClip platform
- Guidelines recommend Afib ablation treatment and state management of LAA reasonable
- Expansion of AtriClip labeling with electrical isolation of LAA
- Three acquisitions, moving into EP space with **minimally invasive therapies**
- Release of cryoSPHERE® probe and dedicated commercial team

EPi-Sense® System approved by FDA for treatment of long-standing persistent Afib

Expanded labeling for Cryo Nerve Block Therapy in adolescents

510k clearance of EnCompass® clamp

Differentiated portfolio of solutions built from continuous innovation and strong clinical evidence, supported by robust training and education.

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2022 Priorities: Driving Therapy Expansion



Initiate clinical trial for LAAM in cardiac surgery (LeAAPS)

Launch EnCompass Clamp in U.S.



Grow commercial team and awareness globally



Train and Expand Hybrid AF Therapy:

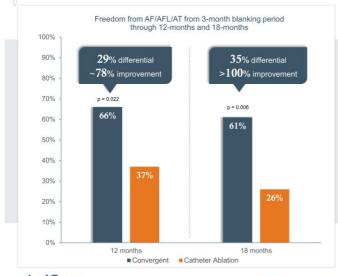
Adoption by new and existing accounts

Addition of LAAM to procedures

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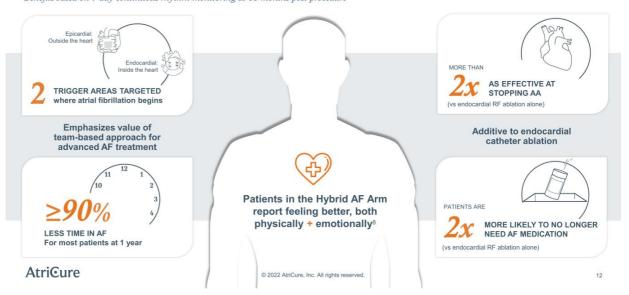
CONVERGE: Long-standing Persistent Afib Patient Analysis



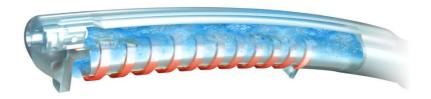
- Superior outcomes with hybrid Convergent procedure when compared to endocardial catheter ablation alone in patients with drug refractory long-standing persistent Afib
- Data for long-standing persistent patients in the trial demonstrated compelling efficacy and durability
- Improved EP lab efficiency demonstrated by reduction in endocardial ablation time as a result of adding epicardial ablation

Benefits of the EPi-Sense System and Hybrid AF Therapy

Benefits based on 7-day continuous rhythm monitoring at 18-months post procedure



Commercial Strategy for the EPi-Sense System



Target

Drive utilization with existing and new sites

Build

Train and develop programs, build referral channel

Leverage

Add AtriClip to Hybrid AF Therapy

Expand

Grow commercial + training teams, broaden internationally

Amplify

Spread awareness of Hybrid AF Therapy to patients

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Innovative and Expanding Product Portfolio







Therapy Overview

- Temporarily stops transmission of pain signals coming from the chest wall during surgery
- Nerve "scaffolds" remain intact allowing axons to regenerate and restore nerve function over time
- Applicability in a wide variety of thoracic surgical approaches and procedures
- Can be an important tool in combatting the opioid epidemic 1 in 7 thoracic surgery patients become reliant upon opioids after their procedure⁹

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A simpler and faster approach to ablating the heart in open procedures

Highlights

- FDA 510(k) clearance in July 2021
- Broad commercial launch in U.S. April 2022
- Continue to drive penetration of cardiac surgery market

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Product Overview

- FDA 510(k) clearance to ablate cardiac tissue during surgery
- Designed with same benefits of the AtriCure Isolator Synergy Clamps:
 - + Parallel closure
 - + Uniform pressure
 - + Synergy algorithm provides custom power
- · Compatible with existing AtriCure RF generator

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HEAL-IST Overview

IDE Trial to support safety and efficacy of hybrid sinus node sparing ablation procedure for the treatment of IST

Study Design

SummaryMulti-center, prospective, single arm,
Bayesian Adaptive Design

Number of Subjects and Sites Up to 142 patients at up to 40 sites (US, UK, and EU)

Study Duration

Safety: 30-day follow-up Efficacy: 12-month follow-up All subjects followed for a total of 24 months post procedure

Primary Endpoints

Effectiveness
Freedom from IST at 12-months, Freedom from IST is defined as mean heart rate of ≤ 90bpm or at least a 15% reduction in mean heart rate as compared to baseline, in the absence of new or higher dosage of previously failed medications.

Safety

Incidence of device or procedure-related major adverse events (MAEs) for subjects undergoing the hybrid sinus node sparing ablation procedure from the index procedure through 30-days post procedure.





- Inappropriate Sinus Tachycardia (IST) is a chronic condition characterized by elevated resting heart rate and exaggerated response to exercise or stress
 - ✓ Currently, no approved therapies
 - ✓ First clinical trial for this large unmet need
 - ✓ Building off current Synergy product technology
 - Hybrid therapy leverages expertise and partnership between EP and Cardiac Surgery
- FDA approval of HEAL-IST clinical trial protocol (Q1 2022)
- First patient treated (Q2 2022)

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LeAAPS Overview

IDE Trial to evaluate the effectiveness of prophylactic LAA exclusion for the prevention of ischemic stroke or systemic arterial embolism in cardiac surgery patients without pre-operative AF diagnosis

Study Design

Summary Multi-center, prospective, randomized control (1:1) trial

Number of Subjects and Sites

Up to 6,500 subjects at up to 250 sites worldwide

Study Duration Safety: 30-day follow-up Efficacy: Event-driven trial, with a minimum follow-up of 5 years post procedure

Primary Endpoints

Effectiveness
First occurrence of ischemic stroke or systemic arterial embolism.

Safety Incidence of safety events through 30-days to demonstrate no increase in risk with LAA exclusion during

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cardiac surgery.

Prophylactic

Left

- Seminal clinical trial one of the largest IDE trials in cardiac surgery
- Study will have a global reach with sites in the United States, Canada, Europe and Asia
- Multiple secondary and other key endpoints will be evaluated
- FDA approval of LeAAPS clinical trial protocol (Q2 2022)



Key Investments Driving Growth

INNOVATION Increasing pipeline to drive LAAM penetration and build MIS market CLINICAL SCIENCE Hybrid AF Therapy proven by CONVERGE trial; Focusing on expansion of clinical data across franchises EDUCATION Significant investment in physician education, providing multiple training options

U.S. SALES LEADERSHIP

U.S. EDUCATION 40+ Physician + Field Support Roles

INTERNATIONAL

50+ Sales + Education Professionals

Aligning Expertise and Opportunity

Dedicated Commercial + Education Teams U.S. CARDIAC

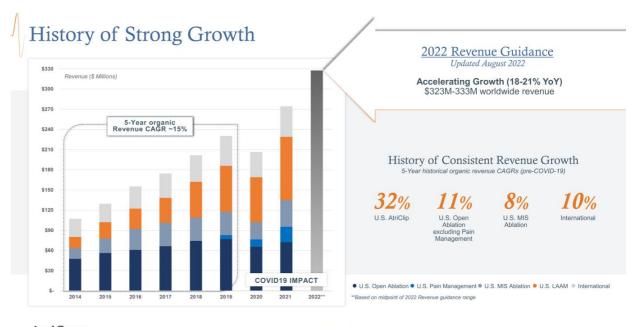
130+ Sales + Clinical Specialists

U.S. HYBRID THERAPIES

U.S. CRYO NERVE BLOCK 40+ Sales + Clinical Specialists

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Second Quarter 2022 Financial Highlights



- Strong activity and growing demand across key product lines demonstrating our many growth catalysts
- U.S. revenue of \$71.3M (84% of revenue)
- International revenue of \$13.3M (16% of revenue)

Key Metrics*

	Q2 2021	Q2 2022
GROSS MARGIN	75.8%	75.1%
OPERATING EXPENSES	\$69.2M	\$77.2M
ADJUSTED EBITDA-S**	(\$2.7M)	(\$3.2M)
ADJ. LOSS PER SHARE**	(\$0.30)	(\$0.32)
CASH & INVESTMENTS	\$230M	\$183M

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^{* 2022} financial results are preliminary and unaudited

** Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Loss per share to GAAP metrics may be found in Q2 2022 earnings release.



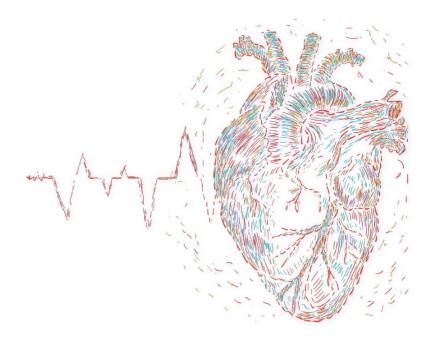


Supplemental Information

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Change in Revenue Presentation

Summary of Changes Implemented Q1 2022

Presentation of revenue aligns with current product line offerings.

- PAIN MANAGEMENT revenue (sales of cryoSPHERE probe), historically included in Open ablation revenue, is now separately presented.
- VALVE revenue, historically shown as a separate product type, is now included in Open ablation revenue.

	-	Three Months E	nded (in \$000s)	
	March 31, 2021	June 30, 2021	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2021
United States Revenue:	****			
Open ablation	\$17,439	\$19,503	\$17,893	\$17,56
Minimally invasive ablation	8,385	9,702	9,990	11,303
Pain management	3,898	5,709	6,253	6,927
Total ablation	29,722	34,914	34,136	35,79
Appendage management	20,587	25,156	23,401	25,424
Total United States	\$50,309	\$60,070	\$57,537	\$61,21
International Revenue:				
Open ablation	\$4,434	\$5,526	\$6,690	\$6,54
Minimally invasive ablation	1,274	1,575	1,849	1,71
Pain management		11	11	39
Total ablation	5,708	7,112	8,550	8,29
Appendage management	3,258	4,194	4,373	3,709
Total International	\$8,966	\$11,306	\$12,923	\$12,00
Total Revenue	\$59,275	\$71,376	\$70,460	\$73,21

Key Investment Rationale



Addressing an underserved and growing patient population

- Approximately 33 million Atrial Fibrillation patients globally, with majority having advanced forms of the disease¹
- Multibillion dollar annual market opportunity
- Current standard of care for intervention (catheter ablation) does not adequately address the most advanced forms of the disease



Strong Portfolio

Existing products and solutions driving consistent growth

- Strong history of double-digit revenue growth, driven by great products, clinical evidence, commitment to education, and societal guideline support
- Only PMA product for the concomitant surgical treatment of Afib
- AtriClip device is the most widely used Left Atrial Appendage device with over 300,000 sold to date
- Diverse and expanding product portfolio from internal development and acquisitions



Bright Future

Novel therapies supported by growing body of clinical evidence

- Only PMA product for treatment of LS persistent Afib with Hybrid AF Therapy
- Growing pain management business to address pain associated with surgery
- Early in market development process – evolution to minimally invasive therapies expected to drive growth, diversifying and accelerating in 2022 and beyond





Provide a safe work environment for our employees

- Enabling employees to work remotely; implemented hybrid workplans
- Providing personal protection and other measures to ensure the safety of those working in our offices and with customers



Deliver products and support to our customers

- Maintaining manufacturing, assembly, fulfillment modified to adhere to safety recommendations
- Continuing case coverage support
- Utilizing online and mobile training venues to educate our customers

While our plans will continue to evolve in response to changes caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, we remain committed to the AtriCure team and to the execution of our strategic initiatives.





Estimated Afib Opportunity in Cardiac Surgery

Open Cardiac Surgery Opportunity – Afib	\$410M
ASP Mix (Ablation and Appendage Management) ¹⁴	\$5,000
Cardiac Opportunity – Pre-Op Afib	85,000
Pre-Operative Afib Rate ¹¹	~28%
Annual Cardiac Surgeries ¹³	300,000

Estimated Non-Afib Opportunity in Cardiac Surgery

Open Cardiac Surgery Opportunity – Non-Afib	\$376M
ASP Mix (Appendage Management ONLY)14	\$1,750
Cardiac Opportunity – Pre-Op Afib	215,000
Pre-Operative Non-Afib Rate	~72%
Annual Cardiac Surgeries	300,000

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Estimated Standalone Afib Opportunity

	2020	Projected 2025
Long-standing Persistent Afib Catheter Ablation ¹⁷	25,000	45,000
ASP Mix (Ablation + Appendage Management) ¹⁴	\$15,000	\$15,000
Immediate Standalone Afib Opportunity	\$375M	\$675M
Additional penetration Long-standing Persistent Afib patients (estimated at 5% penetration)	150,000	175,000
ASP Mix (Ablation + Appendage Management) ¹⁴	\$15,000	\$15,000
Incremental Standalone Afib Opportunity (estimated at 5% penetration)	\$2B+	\$3B+

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SUPERIORITY TRIAL designed to support FDA approval of the EPi-Sense device

Study Design

Summary

Multi-center, prospective, open label randomized 2:1 (Hybrid Convergent procedure vs endocardial catheter ablation) pivotal study

Number of Subjects and Sites 153 subjects 27 sites (25 US and 2 OUS)

Study Duration 12 month and 18 month monitoring, then 3 and 5 year follow-up of all subjects

Primary Endpoints

Effectiveness

Primary efficacy endpoint is success or failure to be AF/AT/AFL-free absent class I and III AADs except for a previously failed or intolerant class I or III AAD with no increase in dosage following the 3 month blanking period through the 12 months post procedure follow-up visit

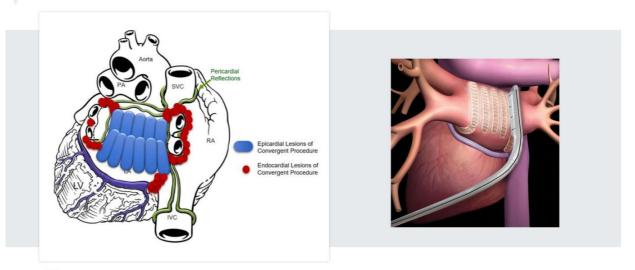
Predetermined performance goal for the study is 12% freedom from MAE's as adjudicated by the CEC for the procedural to 30-day post procedure time period



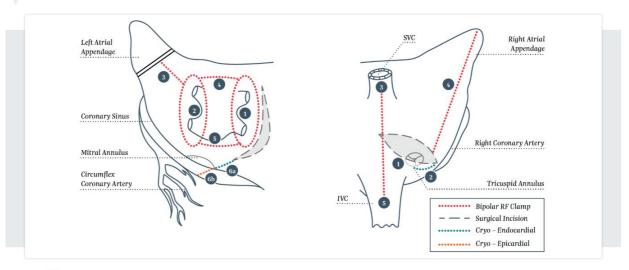
- Completed enrollment August 2018
- · Data released at virtual Heart Rhythm Society (HRS) conference May 2020
- PMA submission seeking approval for treatment of long-standing persistent Afib November 2020
- Trial results published in Circulation: Arrhythmia and Electrophysiology November 2020
- Long-standing persistent Afib patient sub-group analysis presented at 26th Annual Atrial Fibrillation (AF) Symposium January 2021 and 14th Annual Western AF Symposium February 2021
- FDA approval of EPi-Sense System for treatment of long-standing persistent Afib April 2021

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Hybrid AF Therapy: The Convergent Procedure



The Cox-Maze IV Procedure



References and Abbreviations

Note	Reference	Key Abbre	eviations
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2	The American Journal of Cardiology (2013), 112: 1142-1147	AA	Atrial Arrythmia
3	Lifetime risk for development of atrial fibrillation. Circulation, 110 (2004): 1042-1046. doi: 10.1161/01.CIR.0000140263.20897.42	AAD	Anti-Arrhythmic Drugs
4	J Geriatr Cardiol. 2016 Oct; 13(10): 880–882, doi: 10.11909/j.issn.1671-5411.2016.10.004	AFL	Atrial Flutter
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10	STS Adult Cardiac Surgery Database, 2018/2019 Harvest Executive Summary	IST	Inappropriate Sinus Tachycardia
11	McCarthy, P.M. et al. (2019). Prevalence of atrial fibrillation before cardiac surgery and factors associated with concomitant ablation. J Thorac Cardiovasc Surg., Pll: S0022-5223(19)31361-3, DOI: 10.1016/J.JTCVS.2019.06.062.	LAA	Left Atrial Appendage
12	Lin et al, Stroke 2019 Jun; 50(6):1364-1371. doi: 10.1161/STROKEAHA.118.023921. Epub 2019 May 2.	LAAM	LAA Management
13	Harvested from data previously available through the Society of Thoracic Surgeons	LS	Long-standing
14	Average Selling Prices (ASPs) are management estimates based on a mix of products used for the various procedures	MAE	Material Adverse Event
15	Estimated based on various catheter company presentations	PMA	Pre-Market Approval
16	Medical management estimate: Colilia, et al. Estimates of Current and Future Incidence and Prevalence of Atrial Fibrillation in the U.S. Adult Population. Am Journal of Cardiology 2013, 112: 1142-1147 Persistent patient estimate: Persisse et al Epidemiology of atrial fibrillation: European perspective Clin Epidemiol. 2014; 6: 213–220	RF	Radio Frequency
17	Estimated based on Advisory Board data, along with various scientific presentations		

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