PPD Announces Webcast of Presentation at Goldman Sachs 22nd Annual Healthcare Conference

WILMINGTON, N.C., June 11 /PRNewswire/ -- PPD, Inc. (Nasdaq: PPDI) today announced it will participate in Goldman Sachs 22nd Annual Healthcare Conference scheduled to take place on June 11-14, 2001 at the Ritz-Carlton Laguna Niguel in Dana Point, California. Philippe Maitre, CFO, will discuss PPD's business strategy and market opportunities on Thursday, June 14, 2001 at 11:00 AM.

A live audio webcast of PPD's presentation will be available on Goldman Sachs' website at https://www.gs.com/ir/conf. The username to access the webcast is "conference/conf8" and the password is "goldman8." A replay of the webcast will be available 24 hours after the presentation via the above website, and may be accessed for two months following the presentation via the same URL. There is no charge to access the event.

PPD is a leading global provider of discovery and development services and products for the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries. With a corporate mission to help clients maximize the return on their massive R&D investments, PPD offers innovative technologies, therapeutic expertise and comprehensive resources for drug discovery and preclinical programs, Phase I- IV clinical development and post-market support. The company has more than 3,800 professionals in 48 locations in 20 countries around the world. Additional information can be obtained through the company web site at http://www.ppdi.com.

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