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## FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

b Quarterly Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2011								
		<u>or</u>						
o Transition Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934  For the transition period from to								
	BIOCLI	File No. 001-11182 NICA, INC.						
	(Exact Name of Registrar	nt as Specified in Its Charter)						
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*	er Jurisdiction of or Organization)	(I.R.S. Employer	Identification No.)					
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

> Yes: o No: þ

State the number of shares outstanding of each of the registrant s classes of common stock, as of April 30, 2011:

Class Number of Shares 15,635,635

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### PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION.

### Item 1. Financial Statements.

References in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q to BioClinica, we, us, or our refer to BioClinica, Inc., a Delaware corporation, and its subsidiaries, doing business as BioClinica.

Certain information and footnote disclosures required under generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) in the United States of America have been condensed or omitted from the following consolidated financial statements pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission, although we believe that such financial disclosures are adequate so that the information presented is not misleading in any material respect. The following consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the year-end consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010.

The results of operations for the interim periods presented in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the entire fiscal year.

# BIOCLINICA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (unaudited)

(in thousands)  ASSETS	M	Iarch 31, 2011	D	ecember 31, 2010
Current assets:				
	¢	10.202	¢	10 442
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	10,203	\$	10,443
Accounts receivable, net		12,644		11,866
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		2,622		2,501
Deferred income taxes		3,729		3,625
Total current assets		29,198		28,435
Property and equipment, net		14,564		14,029
Intangibles, net		2,275		2,430
Goodwill		34,302		34,302
Deferred income tax		119		128
Other assets		727		705
Other assets		121		703
Total assets	\$	81,185	\$	80,029
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	3,553	\$	1,983
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		3,203		4,283
Deferred revenue		13,174		13,395
Current maturities of capital lease obligations		180		168
Current maturities of capital lease obligations		160		100
Total current liabilities		20,110		19,829
Long-term capital lease obligations		657		710
Long-term liability for acquisition earn-out		1,943		1,886
Deferred income tax		1,990		1,845
		•		,
Other liabilities		1,002		880
Total liabilities	\$	25,702	\$	25,150
Stockholders equity: Preferred stock \$0.00025 par value; authorized 3,000,000 shares, none issued and outstanding at March 31, 2011 and at December 31, 2010				
Common stock \$0.00025 par value; authorized 36,000,000 shares, issued and				
outstanding 15,642,177 shares at March 31, 2011 and 15,631,664 shares at				
December 31, 2010		4		4
		(204)		(16)
		()		()

Treasury stock at cost, shares held: 41,013 at March 31, 2011 and 3,400 at		
December 31, 2010		
Additional paid-in capital	48,450	48,074
Retained earnings	7,143	6,792
Accumulated other comprehensive income	90	25
Total stockholders equity	\$ 55,483	\$ 54,879
Total liabilities and stockholders equity	\$ 81,185	\$ 80,029
See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements -2-		

# BIOCLINICA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (unaudited)

	For the Three Months ended March 31,		
(in thousands, except per share data)	2011	2010	
Service revenues	\$ 16,144		
Reimbursement revenues	3,521	3,358	
Total revenues	19,665	18,104	
Cost and expenses:			
Cost of service revenues	10,557	8,951	
Cost of reimbursement revenues	3,521	3,358	
Sales and marketing expenses	1,860	2,210	
General and administrative expenses	2,222	2,072	
Amortization of intangible assets related to acquisition	156	141	
Mergers and acquisitions related costs	103	205	
Restructuring costs	679		
Total cost and expenses	19,098	16,937	
Income from operations	567	1,167	
Interest income Interest expense	2 (9		
Income before income tax	560	1,170	
Income tax provision	(209)	) (459)	
Net income	\$ 351	\$ 711	

Basic income per common share	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.05
Weighted average number of common shares	15,652	14,545
Diluted income per common share	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.05
Weighted average number of diluted shares	16,417	15,382
See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements -3-		

# BIOCLINICA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (unaudited)

	For the Three Months en March 31,			s ended
(in thousands)		2011		2010
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net income	\$	351	\$	711
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities,				
net of acquisition:				
Depreciation and amortization		1,030		728
Provision for deferred income taxes		41		163
Bad debt (recovery) expense, net				(9)
Stock based compensation expense		341		235
Accretion of acquisition earn-out		57		94
Changes in operating assets and liabilities, net of acquisitions:				
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		(778)		1,246
Increase in prepaid expenses and other current assets		(111)		(168)
(Increase) decrease in other assets		(22)		11
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		1,435		(153)
Decrease in accrued expenses and other current liabilities		(1,077)		(624)
Decrease in deferred revenue		(221)		(1,218)
Increase in other liabilities		122		122
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	1,168	\$	1,138
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchases of property and equipment	\$	(303)	\$	(867)
Capitalized software development costs		(977)		(1,388)
Net cash used in investing activities	\$	(1,280)	\$	(2,255)
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Payments under equipment lease obligations	\$	(40)		
Purchase of treasury stock	Ψ	(188)		
Excess tax benefit related to stock options		(100)		27
Proceeds from exercise of stock options		35		38
Trocode from chereton of bloom options				
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	\$	(193)	\$	65
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash		65		(49)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(240)		(1,101)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		10,443		14,570
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Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	10,203	\$ 13,469
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information: Cash paid during the period for interest Cash paid during the period for income taxes See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements -4-	\$ \$	10 74	\$ 3 171

# BIOCLINICA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (unaudited)

	E	Three Months Ended arch 31,
	2011	2010
Supplemental cash flow disclosure (in thousands)		
Non cash investing and financing activities:		
Increase in property, plant and equipment acquisitions in accounts payable	\$ 132	\$ 587
		Three Months
		Ended
		arch 30,
A construct benefit and Constitution (1)	2011	2010
Acquired business (in thousands)	¢.	Ф 200
Accounts receivable	\$	\$ 309
Prepaid and other current assets		
Property and equipment		91
Other assets		58
Customer relationships		100
Technology		1,000
Goodwill, including workforce		1,369
Current liabilities assumed		(459)
Common stock issued		(2,468)
Cash paid for acquired business, net of cash acquired	\$	\$
See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements		
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# BIOCLINICA, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (unaudited)

	For the Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2011	2010
Statement of comprehensive income (in thousands)		
Net income	\$ 351	\$711
Equity adjustment from foreign currency translation	65	(77)
Total comprehensive income	\$416	\$ 634
See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements		
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#### **Note 1** Interim Financial Statements

Basis of Presentation.

The financial statements included in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q have been prepared by us, without audit, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP in the United States of America have been condensed or omitted pursuant to such rules and regulations. These consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2010.

In the opinion of management, the accompanying consolidated financial statements contain all adjustments, consisting solely of those which are of a normal recurring nature, necessary for a fair statement of the results for the interim periods.

Interim results are not necessarily indicative of results for the full fiscal year. *Acquisitions*.

On March 25, 2010, the Company acquired substantially all of the assets of privately held TranSenda International, LLC ( TranSenda ) for total consideration of \$2,468,000. The Consolidated Statement of Income for the three months ended March 31, 2010 excludes the financial results of TranSenda from the acquisition date of March 25, 2010 through March 31, 2010 due to immateriality of TranSenda s results of operations for that period. *Functional Currency*.

The functional currency of each of the Company s foreign operations is the local currency of the country in which the operation is located. All assets and liabilities are translated into U.S. dollars using exchange rates in effect at the balance sheet date. Revenue and expenses are translated using average exchange rates during the period. Increases and decreases in net assets resulting from foreign currency translation are reflected in stockholder s equity as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss).

The equity adjustment from foreign currency translation was \$65,000 and \$(77,000) at March 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

### Note 2 Restructuring charges

In 2011, the Company realigned its global resources to eliminate certain duplicate functions and expects to take a total restructuring charge, primarily comprised of severance and facility restructuring costs, of \$1.6 million. In the first quarter of 2011, the Company incurred \$679,000 of these restructuring costs consisting of \$588,000 in employee severance and \$91,000 in legal and other costs.

The Company has paid \$495,000 of the restructuring cost as of March 31, 2011 and \$184,000 remaining to be paid is included in Accrued Expense and Other Current Liabilities on the Consolidated Balance Sheet. The \$184,000 remaining to be paid of the restructuring cost primarily consists of the severance to employees and will all be paid out by December 31, 2011. The Company expects the total restructuring charge for 2011 to be approximately \$1.6 million and to realize an annual savings of \$1.2 million from the restructuring.

### Note 3 Stockholders Equity

The following summarizes the activity of the Stockholders equity accounts for the period from December 31, 2010 through March 31, 2011:

(in thousands)	Common Shares	n Stock Amount	Addi- tional Paid-in Capital	Treas- ury Stock	Accumul ated Retained Earnings	Other Compre- hensive Gain (Loss)	Stock- holders Equity
Balance at							
December 31, 2010	15,632	\$4	\$48,074	\$ (16)	\$6,792	\$25	\$54,879
Stock options							
exercised	41		35				35
Restricted shares issued	7						
Stock based	/						
compensation			341				341
Purchase of treasury							
stock	(38)			(188)			(188)
Tax benefit on							
exercise of stock							
options Equity adjustment							
from foreign							
currency translation						65	65
Net income					351		351
Balance at March 31,							
2011	15,642	\$4	\$48,450 -8-	\$(204)	\$7,143	\$90	\$55,483

On December 15, 2010, our Board of Directors authorized \$2 million in funds for use in our common stock repurchase program over the following 18 months from December 2010. Repurchase under the program may be made through open market purchases or privately negotiated transactions in accordance with applicable federal securities laws, including Rule 10b-18. Rule 10b-18 puts limitations on this repurchase program, including but not limited to, the manner of purchase, the time of the repurchases, the prices paid and the volume of shares repurchased. The timing of the repurchases and the exact number of shares of common stock to be purchased will be determined by the discretion of our management under the supervision of the audit committee of our board of directors, and will depend upon market conditions and other factors. The program will be funded using our cash on hand and cash generated from operations. On March 14, 2011, we entered into a 10b5-1 Stock Repurchase Agreement with our broker so we had the ability to repurchase shares of our common stock during our standard blackout periods. The program may be extended, suspended or discontinued at any time.

The following table provides information relating to our repurchase of common stock for the first quarter of 2011:

			Total Number	
			of	Approximate
			Shares	
			Purchased	Dollar Value of
			as Part of	
			Publicly	Shares that May
	Total	Average		Yet Be
	Number of	Price	Announced	Purchased
	Shares	Paid per		Under the
	Purchased	Share	Program	Program
January 1 January 31, 2011				\$ 1,984,177
February 1 February 28, 2011	2,509	\$ 4.67	2,509	\$ 1,972,387
March 1 March 31, 2011	35,104	\$ 5.01	35,104	\$ 1,795,332
	37,613		37,613	

### **Note 4** Earnings Per Share

Basic income per common share for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010 was calculated by dividing the net income available to Common Stockholders by the weighted average number of shares of Common Stock outstanding during the period. Diluted income per share for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010 was calculated by dividing net income by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding, adjusted for the effect of potentially dilutive securities using the treasury stock method.

The computation of basic income per common share and diluted income per common share was as follows:

	Three Months Ended March 31,				
Net income basic and diluted	\$ 351	2010 \$ 711			
Denominator basic:					
Weighted average number of common shares	15,652	14,545			
Basic income per common share	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.05			
Denominator diluted:					
Weighted average number of common shares	15,652	14,545			
Common share equivalents of outstanding stock options	428	467			
Common share equivalents of unrecognized compensation expense	337	370			
Weighted average number of dilutive common equity shares	16,417	15,382			
Diluted income per common share	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.05			

Options to purchase 553,000 and 492,000 shares of BioClinica s common stock respectively, had been excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per common share for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and March 31, 2010, respectively, as they were all antidilutive.

### Note 5 Commitments and Contingencies

On March 4, 2009, the Company entered into an employment agreement with its President and Chief Executive Officer effective March 1, 2009 and expires on February 28, 2012. In addition, the Company has employment agreements with its Chief Financial Officer and the President of eClinical Solutions. The Chief Financial Officer s agreement expires January 31, 2012 and is renewable on an annual basis. The President of eClinical Solutions agreement expires September 30, 2011 and is renewable on an annual basis. The aggregate amount due from March 31, 2011 through the expiration under these agreements is \$784,000.

On May 5, 2010, the Company entered into an unsecured, committed line of credit with PNC Bank expiring May 5, 2012. In April 2011 the Company extended this line of credit for an expiration of May 4, 2013. Under the credit agreement, the Company has the ability to borrow \$7.5 million at interest rates equal to LIBOR plus 1.75%. In addition, the Company pays a fee of 0.25% per annum on the loan commitment regardless of usage. The credit agreement requires our compliance with certain covenants, including maintaining a minimum stockholders equity of \$35 million. As of March 31, 2011, the Company had no borrowings under this line of credit, and was compliant with the covenants.

### Note 6 Accounts Receivable and Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

The Company maintains allowances for doubtful accounts on a specific identification method for estimated losses resulting from the inability of its customers to make required payments. If the financial condition of its customers were to deteriorate, resulting in an impairment of the customers—ability to make payments, additional allowances may be required. The Company does not have any off-balance-sheet credit exposure related to its customers and the trade accounts receivable do not bear interest.

(in thousands)		March 31, 2011			December 31, 2010		
Billed trade accounts receivable Unbilled trade accounts receivable Other		\$	11,984 654 21	\$	11,085 782 14		
Total Receivables		\$	12,659	\$	11,881		
Allowance Rollforward (in thousands): Balance at January 1, 2011 Additions Write offs (Recoveries)		\$	15 0 0				
Balance at March 31, 2011	-11-	\$	15				

### Note 7 Acquisitions

### 2010 Acquisition

On March 25, 2010, the Company acquired substantially all of the assets of privately held TranSenda International, LLC ( TranSenda ). Headquartered in Bellevue, WA, TranSenda was a provider of clinical trial management software (CTMS) solutions. TranSenda s suite of web-based, Office-Smart CTMS solutions creates efficiencies for trial operations through interoperability with Microsoft Office tools. With this acquisition, BioClinica enhanced its ability to serve customers throughout the clinical research process with technologies that include improved efficiencies by reducing study durations and costs through integrated operational management. The acquisition was made pursuant to an Asset Purchase Agreement, dated March 25, 2010, by and between the Company and TranSenda (the Purchase Agreement ). Pursuant to the terms of the Purchase Agreement, the Company purchased and acquired from TranSenda all rights, title and interest of TranSenda in and to the Purchase Agreement) of TranSenda.

As consideration for the Purchased Assets and Assumed Liabilities, the Company issued 577,960 shares of common stock, par value \$0.00025 per share, of the Company, valued at a volume weighted average price per share equal to \$4.325560, and subject to a post-closing adjustment based on the Final Closing Net Working Capital (as defined in the Purchase Agreement). Pursuant to the terms of the Purchase Agreement, 15% of the aggregate consideration was held in escrow to cover any potential indemnification claims under the Purchase Agreement for a period of 12 months following the Closing Date (as defined in the Purchase Agreement). On March 25, 2011, the amounts held in escrow were released and there were no indemnification claims. As part of the Purchase Agreement, TranSenda agreed not to directly or indirectly offer, sell, contract to sell, pledge, grant any option to purchase, make any short sale or otherwise dispose of any shares of the Company's common stock received pursuant to the Purchase Agreement for a period beginning on the date the Purchase Agreement was executed and continuing to and including the date 12 months after such date. The Company recorded the fair value of the acquisition of \$2,468,000 based on the Company's market value of \$4.27 for the stock consideration on March 25, 2010, the date of acquisition.

Pro Forma Results. The following schedule includes consolidated statements of income data for the unaudited pro forma results for the three months ended March 31, 2010 as if the TranSenda acquisition had occurred as of the beginning of the periods presented after giving effect to certain adjustments. The unaudited pro forma information is provided for illustrative purposes only and is not indicative of the results of operations or financial condition that would have been achieved if the TranSenda acquisition would have taken place at the beginning of the periods presented and should not be taken as indicative of our future consolidated results of operations or financial condition. Pro forma adjustments are tax-effected at our effective tax rate.

	Three Months
	Ended
(in thousands except per share data)	March 31, 2010
Total revenue	\$ 18,335
Income from operations	549
Net Income	334
Basic earnings per share	\$ 0.02
Diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.02
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In connection with the acquisition of TranSenda, the Company performed an evaluation of the guidance included in FASB ASC 280, *Segment Reporting* ( FASB ASC 280 ) and FASB ASC 350, *Intangibles - Goodwill and Other* ( FASB ASC 350 ). Based on that evaluation, the Company included TranSenda as part of its clinical trials services reportable segment.

In accordance with FASB ASC 805, *Business Combinations*, the Company expensed all costs related to the acquisition.

The following table summarizes the amounts of identified assets acquired and liabilities assumed from TranSenda at the acquisition date fair value:

	TranSenda
Accounts Receivable	\$ 309
Property and Equipment	91
Other Assets	58
Other Liabilities	(459)
Customer Relationships	100
Technology	1,000
Goodwill, including Workforce	1,369
Total Fair Value of Purchase Price	\$ 2,468

Accounts receivable, other assets and other liabilities were stated at their historical carrying values, which approximate fair value given the short-term nature of these assets and liabilities. The goodwill is attributable to the workforce of the acquired business and synergies expected to arise after the acquisition of the business.

In accordance with FASB ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements* (FASB ASC 820), the Company determined that the non-financial assets and liabilities summarized above are derived from significant unobservable inputs (Level 3 inputs) determined by management based on various market and income analyses and recent asset appraisals. The goodwill recorded in connection with these acquisitions will be deductible for tax purposes over 15 years. 2009 Acquisition

On September 15, 2009, BioClinica acquired substantially all of the assets of Tourtellotte Solutions, Inc. (Tourtellotte). Tourtellotte provides software applications and consulting services which support clinical trials in the pharmaceutical industry. The purchase price for Tourtellotte was \$2.1 million in cash. Pursuant to the acquisition agreement, the Company agreed to pay up to an additional \$3.2 million in cash and 350,000 shares of our common stock based upon achieving certain milestones, which include certain product development and revenue targets (the earn-out). In December 2010, the Company paid the first acquisition earn-out of \$1,257,000 in cash and the issuance of 350,000 shares of the Company s Common Stock. The remaining cash contingent consideration expected to be paid in the fair value amount of \$1,943,000 was classified as a long-term liability on the financial statements at March 31, 2011. The difference between the fair value of the cash contingent consideration at date of

acquisition and the expected payment will be recorded as an expense in the financial statements at the end of each reporting period. The Company recorded \$57,000 and \$94,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010, respectively, of accretion expense in mergers and acquisition related costs on the income statement for this difference.

The following table represents changes in assets and liabilities measured at fair value using Level 3 inputs:

	Fair value at			4		
	September 15,	Earn out	Payment on earn-			
	2009	accretion	out	1		2011
Cash contingent consideration	\$2,747,000	\$453,000	\$ (1,257			43,000
Note 8 Intangible Assets	, , , , , , , , , ,	,,	, ( )	,,	, ,-	-,
At March 31, 2011 the composition	of intangible assets w	vere as follows:				
				arch 31,		stimated
(in thousands)				2011	Us	seful Life
Amortized intangible assets:						_
Technology			\$	1,843		5 years
Trademarks				48		5 years
Customer backlog				2,112		to 7 years
Non-competition agreement				349	2 1	to 3 years
				4.250		
				4,352		
Accumulated amortization				(2,077)		
			¢	2 275		
			\$	2,275		
Unamortized intangible assets:						
Goodwill			\$	34,302		
			,	- 1,- 1-		
Estimated future amortization of the	intangible assets is a	s follows:				
					Year	Ending
						ember
(in thousands)						31,
Remainder of 2011					\$	467
2012						534
2013						337
2014						309
2015						160
2016 and beyond						468
					\$	2,275
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# Item 2. Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations. Overview

BioClinica provides integrated clinical research technology solutions to pharmaceutical, biotechnology, medical device companies and other organizations such as contract research organizations, or CROs, engaged in global clinical studies. Our products and services include: medical image management, electronic image transport and archive solutions, electronic data capture, clinical data management, interactive voice and web response, clinical trial supply forecasting tools, and clinical trial management software solutions. By supplying enterprise-class software and hosted solutions accompanied by expert services to fully utilize these tools, we believe that our offerings provide our clients, large and small, improved speed and efficiency in the execution of clinical studies, with reduced clinical and business risk.

### **Market for our Services**

Our vision is to build critical mass in the complementary disciplines of clinical research related to data collection and processing—especially those which can benefit from our information technology products and support services—and to integrate them in ways that yield efficiency and value for our clients. Our goal is to provide demonstrable benefits to sponsor clients through this strategy, that is, faster and less expensive drug development. We believe that the outsourcing of these services should continue to increase in the future because of increased pressure on clients, including factors such as: the need to more tightly manage costs, capacity limitations, reductions in marketing exclusivity periods, the desire to reduce development time, increased globalization of clinical trials, productivity challenges, imminent patent expirations and more stringent regulation. We believe these trends will continue to create opportunities for companies like BioClinica that are focused on improving the efficiency of drug and medical device development.

### Sales and Backlog

Our sales cycle, referring to the period from the presentation by us to a potential client to the engagement of us by such client, has historically ranged from three to 12 months. In addition, the contracts under which we perform services typically cover a period of three to 60 months and the volume and type of services performed by us generally vary during the course of a project. We cannot assure you that our project revenues will be at levels sufficient to maintain profitability.

Our contracted/committed backlog, referred to as backlog, is the expected service revenue that remains to be earned and recognized on both signed and verbally agreed to contracts. Our backlog as of March 31, 2011 was \$111.3 million, compared to \$99.7 million at March 31, 2010. Changes in backlog for the period reflect the net effect of new contract signings, addendums, cancellations, expansions, and reductions in scope of existing projects, all of which impacted our backlog at March 31, 2011.

Contracts included in backlog are subject to termination by our clients at any time. In the event that a contract is cancelled by the client, we would be entitled to receive payment for all services performed up to the cancellation date. The duration of the projects included in our backlog range from less than three months to 60 months. We do not believe that backlog is a reliable predictor of future results because service revenues may be incurred in a given period on contracts that were not included in the previous reporting period s backlog and/or contract cancellations or project delays may occur in a given period on contracts that were included in the previous reporting period s backlog.

### **Acquisitions**

On March 25, 2010, we acquired substantially all of the assets of privately held TranSenda International, LLC, or TranSenda. Headquartered in Bellevue, WA, TranSenda was a provider of CTMS solutions. TranSenda s suite of web-based, Office-Smart CTMS solutions create efficiencies for trial operations through interoperability with Microsoft Office tools. The CTMS solutions enable our clients to have their applications work together instead of being locked into a single suite vendor and serves as the foundation for operational data interchange among different software applications. This facilitates easier access to data with a consistent user interface and reduces training costs. With this acquisition, we enhanced our ability to serve customers throughout the clinical research process with technologies that include improved efficiencies by reducing study durations and costs through integrated operational management. The acquisition was made pursuant to an Asset Purchase Agreement, dated March 25, 2010, by and between BioClinica and TranSenda, referred to herein as the Purchase Agreement. Pursuant to the terms of the Purchase Agreement, we purchased and acquired from TranSenda all right, title and interest of TranSenda in and to the Purchase Agreement) of TranSenda.

As consideration for the Purchased Assets and Assumed Liabilities, we issued 577,960 shares of common stock, par value \$0.00025 per share, of the Company, valued at a volume weighted average price per share equal to \$4.325560, and subject to a post-closing adjustment based on the Final Closing Net Working Capital (as defined in the Purchase Agreement). Pursuant to the terms of the Purchase Agreement, 15% of the aggregate consideration was held in escrow to cover any potential indemnification claims under the Purchase Agreement for a period of 12 months following the Closing Date (as defined in the Purchase Agreement). On March 25, 2011, the amounts held in escrow were released and there were no indemnification claims. As part of the Purchase Agreement, TranSenda agreed not to directly or indirectly offer, sell, contract to sell, pledge, grant any option to purchase, make any short sale or otherwise dispose of any shares of BioClinica's common stock received pursuant to the Purchase Agreement for a period beginning on the date the Purchase Agreement was executed and continuing to and including the date 12 months after such date. We recorded the fair value of the acquisition of \$2,468,000 based on our market value of \$4.27 on March 25, 2010, the date of acquisition.

### **Forward Looking Statements**

Certain matters discussed in this Form 10-Q are forward-looking statements intended to qualify for the safe harbors from liability established by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such forward-looking statements may be identified by, among other things, the use of forward-looking terminology such as believes , expects , may , should or anticipates or the negative thereof or other variations thereon or comparable terminology, or by discussions of strategy that involve risks and uncertainties. In particular, our statements regarding: our projected financial results; the demand for our services and technologies; growing recognition for the use of independent medical image review services; trends toward the outsourcing of imaging services in clinical trials; realized return from our marketing efforts; increased use of digital medical images in clinical trials; integration of our acquired companies and businesses; expansion into new business segments; the success of any potential acquisitions and the integration of current acquisitions; and the level of our backlog are examples of such forward-looking statements. The forward-looking statements include risks and uncertainties, including, but not limited to, the timing of revenues due to the variability in size, scope and duration of projects, estimates made by management with respect to our critical accounting policies, regulatory delays, clinical study results which lead to reductions or cancellations of projects and other factors, including general economic

conditions and regulatory developments, not within our control. The factors discussed in this Form 10-Q and expressed from time to time in our filings with the SEC could cause actual results and developments to be materially different from those expressed in or implied by such statements. The forward-looking statements are made only as of the date of this filing, and we undertake no obligation to publicly update such forward-looking statements to reflect subsequent events or circumstances.

### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In December 2010, the FASB issued ASU 2010-29, Business Combinations (ASC Topic 805) - Disclosure of Supplementary Pro Forma Information for Business Combinations. This amendment expands the supplemental pro forma disclosures required. This amendment is effective prospectively for business combinations for which the acquisition date is on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after December 15, 2010, with earlier adoption permitted. As the adoption of ASU 2010-29 only requires enhanced disclosures, this standard will have no impact on our financial statements.

In October 2009, the FASB issued guidance on revenue recognition that became effective for us beginning on January 1, 2011. Under the new guidance on arrangements that include software elements, tangible products that have software components that are essential to the functionality of the tangible product will no longer be within the scope of the software revenue recognition guidance, and software-enabled products will now be subject to other relevant revenue recognition guidance. Additionally, the FASB issued guidance on revenue arrangements with multiple deliverables that are outside the scope of the software revenue recognition guidance. Under the new guidance, when vendor specific objective evidence or third party evidence for deliverables in an arrangement cannot be determined, a best estimate of the selling price is required to separate deliverables and allocate arrangement consideration using the relative selling price method. The new guidance includes new disclosure requirements on how application of the relative selling price method affects the timing and amount of revenue recognition. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on the Company s financial statements.

**Results of Operations** 

Three Months Ended March 31, 2011 and 2010

(in thousands)	Three Months ended March 31, 2011	% of Total Revenue	Three Months ended March 31, 2010	% of Total Revenue	\$ Change	% Change
Service revenues	\$16,144	82.1%	\$14,746	81.5%	\$1,398	9.5%
Reimbursement revenues	3,521	17.9%	3,358	18.5%	163	4.9%
<b>Total revenues</b>	19,665	100.0%	18,104	100.0%	1,561	8.6%
Cost and expenses:						
Cost of service revenues	10,557	53.7%	8,951	49.4%	1,606	17.9%
Cost of reimbursement revenues	3,521	17.9%	3,358	18.5%	163	4.9%
Sales and marketing expenses	1,860	9.5%	2,210	12.2%	(350)	(15.8)%
General and administrative expenses	2,222	11.3%	2,072	11.4%	150	7.2%
Amortization of intangible assets related to acquisitions	156	0.8%	141	0.8%	15	10.6%
Mergers and acquisitions related costs	103	0.5%	205	1.1%	(102)	(49.8)%
Restructuring costs	679	3.5%		0.0%	679	100.0%
<b>Total cost and expenses</b>	19,098	97.1%	16,937	93.6%	2,161	12.8%
Income from operations	567	2.9%	1,167	6.4%	(600)	(51.4)%
Interest income	2	0.0%	6	0.0%	(4)	(66.7)%
Interest expense	(9)	0.0%	(3)	0.0%	(6)	200.0%

Income before income tax	560	2.8%	1,170	6.5%	(610)	(52.1)%
Income tax provision	(209)	(1.1)%	(459)	(2.5)%	250	(54.5)%
Net income	\$ 351	1.8%	\$ 711	3.9%	\$ (360)	(50.6)%

Service revenues were \$16.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$14.7 million for the same period in 2010, an increase of \$1.4 million, or 9.5%. The increase in service revenues was due to an increase in work performed on the increased backlog from the prior year. Pfizer, Inc., encompassing 17 projects (including legacy projects with Wyeth Pharmaceuticals), represented 19.7% of our service revenue for the three months ended March 31, 2011. For the three months ended

March 31, 2010, Pfizer Inc., encompassing 15 distinct projects, represented 18.3% of our service revenues.

Reimbursement revenues and cost of reimbursement revenues were \$3.5 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$3.4 million for the same period in 2010, an increase of \$163,000, or 4.9%. Reimbursement revenues and cost of reimbursement revenues consist of payments received from the customer for reimbursable costs. Reimbursement revenues and cost of reimbursement revenues fluctuate significantly over the course of any given project, and quarter to quarter variations are a reflection of this project timing. Therefore, our management believes that reimbursement revenues and cost of reimbursement revenues are not a significant indicator of our overall performance trends. At the request of our clients, we may directly pay the independent radiologists who review our client s imaging data. In such cases, per contractual arrangement, these costs are billed to our clients and are included in reimbursement revenues and cost of reimbursement revenues.

Cost of service revenues were \$10.6 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$8.9 million for the same period in 2010, an increase of \$1.6 million, or 18.2%. Cost of service revenues for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010 were comprised of professional salaries and benefits and allocated overhead. The increase is primarily attributable to the progressive increase in personnel throughout 2010 to build operational readiness for our eClinical offerings, including supporting the operational launch of our Trident IWR product, increase in consulting activities and additional personnel assumed with the TranSenda acquisition. The cost of revenues as a percentage of total revenues also fluctuates due to work-flow variations in the utilization of staff and the mix of services provided by us in any given period. We expect that our cost of service revenues will increase in fiscal 2011 to service our newly released products.

Sales and marketing expenses were \$1.9 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$2.2 million for the same period in 2010, a decrease of \$350,000, or 15.8%. Sales and marketing expenses for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010 were comprised of direct sales and marketing costs, salaries and benefits and allocated overhead. The decrease is primarily due to less tradeshow and marketing costs. We expect that our sales and marketing expenses will increase in fiscal 2011.

General and administrative expenses were \$2.2 million for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$2.1 million for the same period in 2010, an increase of \$150,000, or 7.2%. General and administrative expenses for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010 consisted primarily of salaries and benefits, allocated overhead, professional and consulting services and corporate insurance. The increase is due to the inclusion of costs from the acquisition of TranSenda and increased professional fees. We expect that our general and administrative expenses will increase in fiscal 2011.

Amortization of intangible assets related to acquisitions was \$156,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$141,000 for the same period in 2010, an increase of \$15,000, or 10.6%. Amortization of intangible assets related to acquisitions consisted primarily of amortization of customer backlog, customer relationships, software and non-compete intangibles acquired from the acquisitions of PDS, Tourtellotte, TranSenda and Theralys. The increase is primarily due to the acquisition of TranSenda. We expect that the amortization of intangible assets related to acquisitions will remain relatively flat in fiscal 2011.

Merger and acquisition related costs were \$103,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$205,000 for the same period in 2010, a decrease of \$102,000, or 49.8%. The three months ended March 31, 2010 included expenses resulting directly from merger and acquisition activities for the

TranSenda acquisition such as legal, accounting and other due diligence and integration costs. The three months ended March 31, 2011 includes \$57,000 for the accretion related to the change in the fair value of the second earn-out payment associated with the Tourtellotte acquisition. It also includes professional fees associated with the TranSenda acquisition.

The launch of our BioPacs imaging management system and the release of our integrated BioRead image review software further enhances the quality of our imaging corelab service offering and has enabled us to gain efficiencies by better utilizing resources across our U.S. and European operations. As a result, in 2011, we are realigning our global resources to eliminate certain duplicate functions and expect to take a total restructuring charge, primarily comprised of severance and facility restructuring costs, of \$1.6 million. In the first quarter of 2011, we incurred \$679,000 of this restructuring costs consisting of \$588,000 in employee severance and \$91,000 in legal and other costs. We have paid \$495,000 of these restructuring costs at March 31, 2011.

Net interest expense was \$7,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$3,000 interest income for the three months ended March 31, 2010, an increase of \$10,000, or 333%. Interest income is comprised of interest income earned on our cash balance and interest expense is comprised of interest expense incurred on equipment lease obligations. The increase is due to the capital lease obligation we entered into in December 2010.

Our income tax provision was \$209,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and \$459,000 for the same period in 2010, a decrease of \$243,000, or 52.9%. The effective tax rate for the three months ended March 31, 2011 was approximately 37.3% and 39.2% for the three months ended March 31, 2010. The lower effective tax rate in fiscal 2011 was due to the decreased operating income from the restructuring costs as well as credits for increasing research activities.

### **Business Segments and Geographic Information**

We view our operations and manage our business as one operating segment, clinical trials services.

Our corporate headquarters and operational facilities are in Pennsylvania, in the United States. We also have a European facility in Leiden, the Netherlands. We manage our services for European-based clinical trials from the Leiden facility. Our European facility has similar processing and analysis capabilities as our United States headquarters. We also have a facility in Lyon, France that provides product development and research activities. We have an office in Bhubaneshwar, India to provide information technology support.

### **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

Our principal liquidity requirements have been, and we expect will be, for working capital and general corporate purposes, including capital expenditures.

Statement of Cash Flow for the three months ended March 31, 2011 compared to March 31, 2010

	Three Months	Three Months
	Ended	Ended
	March 31,	March 31,
(in thousands)	2011	2010
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 1,168	\$ 1,138
Net cash used in investing activities	\$ (1,280)	\$ (2,255)
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	\$ (193)	\$ 65

At March 31, 2011, we had cash and cash equivalents of \$10.2 million. Working capital, defined as current assets minus current liabilities, at March 31, 2011 was \$9.1 million.

Net cash provided by operating activities for the three months ended March 31, 2011 was \$1.2 million as compared to \$1.1 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010. This increase from the prior year is primarily due to the increase in accounts payable.

Net cash used in investing activities for the three months ended March 31, 2011 was \$1.3 million as compared to net cash used in investing activities of \$2.3 million for the three months ended March 31, 2010. This decrease is primarily due to less capitalized software for the three months ended March 31, 2011 as compared to the three months ended March 31, 2010. We currently anticipate that capital expenditures for fiscal 2011 will be approximately \$6.0 million, funded by cash from operations, as compared to \$7.2 million for fiscal 2010. These expenditures primarily represent capitalization of software costs and network and data center computer equipment.

Net cash used in financing activities for the three months ended March 31, 2011 was \$193,000 as compared to net cash provided by financing activities of \$65,000 for the three months ended March 31, 2010. The change to the use of cash for financing activities was primarily due to our purchase of treasury shares for the three months ended March 31, 2011.

The following table lists our cash contractual obligations as of March 31, 2011:

(in thousands) Payments Due By Period									
		Le	ess than					]	More
			1						than
					1-3		3-5		
Contractual obligations	Total		year	3	years		years	5	years
Facility rent operating leases	\$ 19,884	\$	2,616	\$	5,730	\$	4,979	\$	6,559
Capital lease	834		166		353		315		
Employment agreements	784		784						
Earn-outs for Tourtellotte acquisition	2,000				2,000				
Total contractual cash obligations	\$ 23,502	\$	3,566	\$	8,083	\$	5,294	\$	6,559

On May 5, 2010, we entered into an unsecured, committed line of credit with PNC Bank expiring May 5, 2012. In April 2011 we extended this line of credit for an expiration of May 4, 2013. Under the credit agreement, we have the ability to borrow \$7.5 million at interest rates equal to LIBOR plus 1.75%. In addition, we pay a fee of 0.25% per annum on the loan commitment regardless of usage. The credit agreement requires our compliance with certain covenants, including maintaining a minimum stockholders equity of \$35 million. As of March 31, 2011, we had no borrowings under this line of credit, and we were compliant with the covenants.

Capital lease obligations consist of one equipment lease obligation at March 31, 2011. In December 2010, we entered into a capital lease with a bank totaling \$892,000, which included a \$194,000 sale-leaseback transaction that we entered into with the same bank in September 2010 and \$698,000 of equipment lease obligation, the lease term is 5 years with an interest rate of 3.87% per annum.

We have neither paid nor declared dividends on our common stock since our inception and do not plan to pay dividends on our common stock in the foreseeable future.

We have not entered into any off-balance sheet transactions, arrangements or other relationships with unconsolidated entities or other persons that are likely to affect liquidity or the availability of or requirements for capital resources.

We anticipate that our existing capital resources together with cash flow from operations will be sufficient to meet our cash needs for the next 12 months. However, we cannot assure you that our operating results will maintain profitability on an annual basis in the future. The inherent operational risks associated with the following factors may have a material adverse effect on our future liquidity:

our ability to gain new client contracts;

project cancellations;

the variability of the timing of payments on existing client contracts; and

other changes in our operating assets and liabilities.

We may seek to raise additional capital from equity or debt sources in order to take advantage of unanticipated opportunities, such as more rapid expansion, acquisitions of complementary businesses or the development of new services. We cannot assure you that additional financing will be available, if at all, on terms acceptable to us.

### **Changes to Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates**

Our critical accounting policies and estimates are set forth in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010. As of March 31, 2011, there have been no changes to such critical accounting policies and estimates.

### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk.

Interest Rate Risk

We invest in high-quality financial instruments, comprised of savings accounts, certificate of deposits and money market funds. Due to the short-term nature of our investments, we do not believe that we have any material exposure to interest rate risk arising from our investments.

Foreign Currency Risk

In accordance with our foreign exchange rate risk management policy, we had purchased monthly Euro call options in prior years. These options were intended to hedge against the exposure to variability in our cash flows resulting from the Euro denominated costs for our Netherlands and France subsidiaries. During the three months ended March 31, 2011 and 2010, we have not purchased any Euro call options, because our foreign currency needs are generally being met by the cash flow generated by Euro denominated contracts. As of March 31, 2011, there were no outstanding derivative positions.

Under our current foreign exchange rate risk management policy, and upon expiration or ineffectiveness of any derivatives, we will record a gain or loss from such derivatives that are deferred in stockholders—equity to cost of revenues and general and administrative expenses in the Consolidated Statement of Income based on the nature of the underlying cash flow hedged.

#### Item 4. Controls and Procedures.

Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures. We evaluated, under the supervision and with the participation of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 (Exchange Act ), as amended) as of March 31, 2011, the end of the period covered by this report on Form 10-Q. Based on this evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer) and our Chief Financial Officer (principal accounting and financial officer) have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective at March 31, 2011. Disclosure controls and procedures are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in the reports that we file or submit under the Exchange Act (i) is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC s rules and forms, and were operating in an effective manner for the period covered by this report, and (ii) is accumulated and communicated to management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures.

Changes in internal control over financial reporting. There was no change in our internal controls over financial reporting that occurred during the first quarter of 2011 that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal controls over financial reporting.

### PART II. OTHER INFORMATION.

### Item 1. Legal Proceedings.

In the normal course of business, we may be a party to legal proceedings. We are not currently a party to any material legal proceedings.

### Item 1A. Risk Factors.

The more prominent risks and uncertainties inherent in our business are described below. However, additional risks and uncertainties may also impair our business operations. If any of the following risks actually occur, our business, financial condition or results of operations may suffer. Any of the following factors could harm our business and future results of operations, and you could lose all or part of your investment.

### **Risks Related to Our Company and Business**

We may incur financial losses because contracts may be delayed or terminated or reduced in scope for reasons beyond our control.

Our clients may terminate or delay their contracts for a variety of reasons, including, but not limited to: unexpected or undesired clinical results:

the client s decision to terminate the development of a particular product or to end a particular study; insufficient patient enrollment in a study;

insufficient investigator recruitment;

failure to perform our obligations under the contract; or

the failure of products to satisfy safety requirements.

In addition, we believe that companies that are regulated by the United States Food and Drug Administration, or FDA, may proceed with fewer clinical trials or conduct them without assistance of contract service organizations if they are trying to reduce costs as a result of cost containment pressures associated with healthcare reform, budgetary limits or changing priorities. These factors may cause such companies to cancel contracts with contract service organizations.

We cannot assure you that our clients will continue to use our services or that we will be able to replace, in a timely or effective manner, departing clients with new clients that generate comparable revenues. Further, we cannot assure you that our clients will continue to generate consistent amounts of revenues over time.

The loss, reduction in scope or delay of a large contract or the loss or delay of multiple contracts could materially adversely affect our business.

The recent economic downturn may adversely impact our ability to grow our business.

The recent economic downturn and adverse conditions in the national and global markets may negatively affect our operations in the future. The fallen equity markets and adverse credit markets may make it difficult for us to raise capital or procure credit in the future to fund the growth of our business, which could have a negative impact on our business and results of operations and limit our ability to pursue acquisitions.

We depend on a small number of industries and clients for all of our business, and the loss of one such significant client could cause revenues to drop quickly and unexpectedly.

We depend on research and development expenditures by pharmaceutical, biotechnology and medical device companies to sustain our business. Our operations could be materially and adversely affected if:

our clients businesses experience financial problems or are affected by a general economic downturn; consolidation in the pharmaceutical, biotechnology or medical device industries leads to a smaller client base for us; or

clients reduce their research and development expenditures.

Contracts with one client, Pfizer, Inc., which encompassed 17 projects, represented 19.7% of our service revenues for the three months ended March 31, 2011. For the three months ended March 31, 2010, Pfizer, Inc. represented 18.3% of our service revenue, encompassing 15 projects. The loss of business from a significant client or our failure to continue to obtain new business to replace completed or canceled projects would have a material adverse effect on our business and revenues.

### Our contracted/committed backlog may not be indicative of future results.

Our reported contracted/committed backlog of \$111.3 million at March 31, 2011 is based on anticipated service revenue from uncompleted projects with clients. Backlog is the expected service revenue that remains to be earned and recognized on signed and verbally agreed to contracts. Contracts included in backlog are subject to termination by our clients at any time. In the event that a client cancels a contract, we would be entitled to receive payment for all services performed up to the cancellation date and subsequent client authorized services related to the cancellation of the project. The duration of the projects included in our backlog range from less than three months to seven years. We cannot assure you that this backlog will be indicative of future results. A number of factors may affect backlog, including:

the variable size and duration of the projects (some are performed over several years);

the loss or delay of projects;

the change in the scope of work during the course of a project; and

the cancellation of such contracts by our clients.

Also, if clients delay projects, the projects will remain in backlog, but will not generate revenue at the rate originally expected. Accordingly, the historical relationship of backlog to revenues may not be indicative of future results.

We made one acquisition in the first quarter 2010, two acquisitions in the third quarter of 2009, and may engage in future acquisitions, which may be expensive and time consuming, and from which we may not realize anticipated benefits.

On March 25, 2010, we acquired substantially all of the assets of privately held TranSenda International, LLC, headquartered in Bellevue, WA. In the third quarter of 2009, we acquired the

CardioNow unit from AGFA Healthcare and substantially all of the assets of Tourtellotte Solutions, Inc. and may acquire additional businesses, technologies and products if we determine that these additional businesses, technologies and products complement our existing business, or otherwise serve our strategic goals. Either as a result of the recent acquisitions or future acquisitions undertaken, the process of integrating the acquired business, technology or product may result in operating difficulties and expenditures, and may absorb significant management attention that would otherwise be available for ongoing development of our business. Moreover, we may never realize the anticipated benefits of any such acquisition. Such acquisitions could result in potentially dilutive issuances of our securities, the incurrence of debt and contingent liabilities and amortization expenses related to intangible assets, all of which could adversely affect our results of operations and financial condition.

# Loss of key personnel, or failure to attract and retain additional personnel, may cause the success and growth of our business to suffer.

Future success depends on the personal efforts and abilities of the principal members of our senior management to provide strategic direction, develop business, manage operations and maintain a cohesive and stable environment. Specifically, we are dependent upon Mark L. Weinstein, President and Chief Executive Officer, Ted I. Kaminer, Executive Vice President of Finance and Administration and Chief Financial Officer, David A. Pitler, Executive Vice President, President of Medical Imaging Solutions, and Peter Benton, Executive Vice President, President of eClinical Solutions. Although we have employment agreements with Mr. Weinstein, Mr. Kaminer and Mr. Benton, this does not necessarily mean that they will remain with us. Although we have executive retention agreements with our officers, we do not have employment agreements with any other key personnel. Furthermore, our performance also depends on our ability to attract and retain management and qualified professional and technical operating staff. Competition for these skilled personnel is intense. The loss of services of any key executive, or inability to continue to attract and retain qualified staff, could have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations and financial condition. We do not maintain any key employee insurance on any of our executives.

### We may not be able to effectively manage our international operations.

We maintain facilities in France, the Netherlands and India, and we may continue to expand our international operations in the future. There are significant risks associated with the establishment of foreign operations, including, but not limited to: geopolitical risks, foreign currency exchange rates and the impact of shifts in the U.S. and local economies on those rates, compliance with local laws and regulations, the protection of our intellectual property and that of our customers, the ability to integrate our corporate culture with local customs and cultures, and the ability to effectively and efficiently supply our international facilities with the required equipment and materials. If we are unable to effectively manage these risks, these locations may not produce the revenues, earnings, or strategic benefits that we anticipate which could have a material adverse affect on our business.

### Our revenues, earnings and operating costs are exposed to exchange rate fluctuations.

During the three months ended March 31, 2011, a portion of our service revenues were denominated in foreign currency. Our financial statements are denominated in United States dollars. In the event a greater portion of our service revenues are denominated in a foreign currency, changes in foreign currency exchange rates could affect our results of operations and financial condition. Fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates could materially impact the operating costs of our European facilities in Leiden, the Netherlands and Lyon, France, which are primarily Euro denominated. We hedge our foreign currency exposure when and as appropriate to mitigate the adverse impact of fluctuating exchange rates.

### We may be required to record additional significant charges to earnings if our goodwill becomes impaired.

Under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States, we review our goodwill for impairment each year as of December 31 and when events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable. The carrying value of our goodwill may not be recoverable due to factors such as a decline in stock price and market capitalization, reduced estimates of future cash flows and slower growth rates in our industry. Estimates of future cash flows are based on an updated long-term financial outlook of our operations. However, actual performance in the near-term or long-term could be materially different from these forecasts, which could impact future estimates. For example, a significant decline in our stock price and/or market capitalization may result in impairment of our goodwill valuation. We may be required to record a charge to earnings in our financial statements during a period in which an impairment of our goodwill is determined to exist, which may negatively impact our results of operations. *Our software products and hosted solutions are at varying stages of market acceptance and the failure of any of our products to achieve or maintain wide acceptance would harm our operating results*.

We began offering our electronic data capture software solution for clinical trials in March 2008. Continued use of our current electronic data capture software products, and broad and timely acceptance of newly-introduced electronic data capture software products, as well as integrated solutions combining one or more of our software products, is critical to our future success and is subject to a number of significant risks, some of which are outside our control. These risks include:

our customers and prospective customers desire for and acceptance of our electronic data capture, clinical data management, drug safety and interactive response technology solutions;

our ability to meet product development and release schedules;

our software products and hosted solutions ability to support large numbers of users and manage vast amounts of data;

our ability to significantly expand our internal resources and increase our capital and operating expenses to support the anticipated growth and continued integration of our software products, services and hosted solutions; and our customers—ability to use our software products and hosted solutions, train their employees and successfully deploy our technology in their clinical trial and safety evaluation and monitoring activities.

Our failure to address, mitigate or manage these risks would seriously harm our business, particularly if the failure of any or all of our software products or hosted solutions to achieve market acceptance negatively affects our sales of our other products and services.

We may be unable to adequately protect, and we may incur significant costs in defending, our intellectual property and other proprietary rights or in defending claims that we are infringing upon the intellectual property rights of others.

Our success depends on our ability to protect our intellectual property and other proprietary rights. We rely upon a combination of trademark, trade secret, copyright, patent and unfair competition laws, as well as license agreements and other contractual provisions, to protect our intellectual property and other proprietary rights. In addition, we attempt to protect our intellectual property and proprietary information by requiring certain of our employees and consultants to enter into confidentiality, non-competition and assignment of inventions agreements. To the extent that our intellectual property and other proprietary rights are not adequately protected, third parties might gain access to our proprietary information, develop and market products or services similar to ours or use trademarks similar to ours, each of which could materially harm our business. Existing U.S. federal and state intellectual property laws offer only limited protection. Moreover, the laws of other countries in which we market our software products, services and hosted solutions may afford little or no effective protection of our intellectual property. If we are involved in legal proceedings to enforce our intellectual property rights, to determine the validity and scope of the intellectual property or other proprietary rights of others or to defend against claims of infringement by third parties, the proceedings could be burdensome and expensive, even if we were to prevail. Any potential infringement actions brought against us could require us to stop using the product or service which incorporates such third party intellectual property, obtain a license to use such third party intellectual property (which could be costly or unavailable) or redesign our products or services that incorporate such third party intellectual property (which could be time consuming and costly and affect the market acceptance of such product or service). The failure to adequately protect our intellectual property and other proprietary rights or acknowledge third party intellectual property rights may have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations or financial condition.

### **Risks Related to Our Industry**

Our failure to compete effectively in our industry could cause our revenues to decline.

Significant factors in determining whether we will be able to compete successfully include: consultative and clinical trials design capabilities; reputation for on-time quality performance;

expertise and experience in specific therapeutic areas; the scope of service offerings:

strength in various geographic markets;

the price of services;