# Jaguar Health Secures an Additional $3 Million Payment from Future Pak for Mytesi and Canalevia-CA1

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***As announced, Jaguar received an up-front payment of $16M of non-dilutive capital in January 2026 upon entering U.S. license agreement with Future Pak for Mytesi® and Canalevia®-CA1 - Jaguar's two commercialized crofelemer drugs - an agreement that is fully aligned with company's strategy to concentrate crofelemer development efforts on human rare-disease intestinal failure indications***

**SAN FRANCISCO, CA / ACCESS Newswire / March 3, 2026 /** Jaguar Health, Inc. (NASDAQ:JAGX) today announced that its wholly-owned subsidiary Napo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (collectively, with Jaguar Health, Inc., "Jaguar") has received a $3 million payment from Future Pak, LLC ("Future Pak") following termination by Jaguar of the buy-back provision of the U.S. licensing agreement Jaguar entered in January 2026 with a Future Pak affiliate, which allows Future Pak to continue to commercialize Mytesi beyond five years. Jaguar will continue to manufacture Mytesi and Canalevia-CA1 for Future Pak.

Under the terms of the agreement, Future Pak became the exclusive marketer for Mytesi (crofelemer), Jaguar's FDA-approved novel prescription drug for the symptomatic relief of noninfectious diarrhea in adult patients with HIV/AIDS on antiretroviral therapy, and Canalevia-CA1, Jaguar's crofelemer prescription drug for the treatment of chemotherapy-induced diarrhea in dogs. Jaguar was provided with $16 million of non-dilutive capital in January 2026 upon closing of the agreement with Future Pak, with an additional $2 million due to Jaguar upon completion of post-closing conditions. Per the terms of the agreement, Jaguar also has the opportunity to receive up to $20 million in milestone payments and other future payments.

"As announced, the agreement has a buy-back option that provides Jaguar with the unilateral right to repurchase all of the licensed rights from Future Pak starting five years after the agreement effective date, provided that certain regulatory milestones are met," said Lisa Conte, Jaguar's founder, president, and CEO. "Per the terms of the agreement, Jaguar receives $3 million by terminating the buy-back option. In the interest of generating additional non-dilutive capital for Jaguar, I am pleased to announce that we have received the $3 million payment from Future Pak."

"Our agreement with Future Pak is fully aligned with our strategy to concentrate Jaguar's crofelemer development efforts on human rare-disease indications, particularly intestinal failure, where we continue to advance business development discussions with additional potential partners," Conte said.

Crofelemer continues to advance as a potential treatment for rare forms of intestinal failure, including intestinal failure due to short bowel syndrome (SBS-IF) and microvillus inclusion disease (MVID). Multiple investigator-initiated and company-sponsored studies of crofelemer are ongoing in the U.S., the European Union and the United Arab Emirates, with initial proof-of-concept data showing significant reductions in parenteral support (PS) requirements in pediatric MVID and SBS-IF patients.

Jaguar's intestinal failure program is expected to continue to provide clinical proof-of-concept milestones, and the company is targeting Breakthrough Therapy designation for crofelemer for the indication of MVID, with a planned filing of an NDA (New Drug Application) with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for this indication in the first half of 2027.

Intestinal failure is a debilitating condition that often requires patients to receive life-sustaining fluids, electrolytes and nutrients through intravenous administration, which consists of total parenteral nutrition (TPN) with supplemental intravenous fluids, which together constitute PS. Many intestinal failure patients require PS up to 7 days a week, and sometimes for 20 hours or more per day. While crucial for intestinal failure patients, PS is associated with significant toxicities to patients, similar to some toxicities associated with chemotherapy, often causing serious health problems including infections, metabolic complications, and liver and kidney function problems. These symptoms may emerge at any time in intestinal failure patients and often become life-threatening.

**About Crofelemer**

Crofelemer is a novel, oral plant-based prescription medicine purified from the red bark sap, also referred to as "dragon's blood," of the *Croton lechleri* tree in the Amazon Rainforest. Napo Pharmaceuticals has established a sustainable harvesting program, under fair trade practices, for crofelemer to ensure a high degree of quality, ecological integrity, and support for indigenous communities.

**About the Jaguar Health Family of Companies**

Jaguar Health, Inc. (Jaguar) is a commercial stage pharmaceuticals company focused on developing novel proprietary prescription medicines sustainably derived from plants from rainforest areas for people and animals with gastrointestinal distress, specifically associated with overactive bowel, which includes symptoms such as chronic debilitating diarrhea, urgency, bowel incontinence, and cramping pain. Jaguar family company Napo

Pharmaceuticals (Napo) focuses on developing and commercializing human prescription pharmaceuticals for essential supportive care and management of neglected gastrointestinal symptoms across multiple complicated disease states. Napo's crofelemer is FDA-approved under the brand name Mytesi® for the symptomatic relief of noninfectious diarrhea in adults with HIV/AIDS on antiretroviral therapy. Jaguar family company Napo Therapeutics is an Italian corporation Jaguar established in Milan, Italy in 2021 focused on expanding crofelemer access in Europe and specifically for orphan diseases.

For more information about:

Jaguar Health, visit https://jaguar.health

Napo Pharmaceuticals, visit www.napopharma.com

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**About Mytesi®**

Mytesi (crofelemer) is an antidiarrheal indicated for the symptomatic relief of noninfectious diarrhea in adult patients with HIV/AIDS on antiretroviral therapy (ART). Mytesi is not indicated for the treatment of infectious diarrhea. Rule out infectious etiologies of diarrhea before starting Mytesi. If infectious etiologies are not considered, there is a risk that patients with infectious etiologies will not receive the appropriate therapy and their disease may worsen. In clinical studies, the most common adverse reactions occurring at a rate greater than placebo were upper respiratory tract infection (5.7%), bronchitis (3.9%), cough (3.5%), flatulence (3.1%), and increased bilirubin (3.1%).

See full Prescribing Information at Mytesi.com. Crofelemer, the active ingredient in Mytesi, is a botanical (plant-based) drug extracted and purified from the red bark sap of the medicinal *Croton lechleri* tree in the Amazon rainforest. Napo has established a sustainable harvesting program for crofelemer to ensure a high degree of quality and ecological integrity.

**Important Safety Information About Canalevia®-CA1**

For oral use in dogs only. Not for use in humans. Keep Canalevia-CA1 (crofelemer delayed-release tablets) in a secure location out of reach of children and other animals. Consult a physician in case of accidental ingestion by humans. Do not use in dogs that have a known hypersensitivity to crofelemer. Prior to using Canalevia-CA1, rule out infectious etiologies of diarrhea. Canalevia-CA1 is a conditionally approved drug indicated for the treatment of chemotherapy-induced diarrhea in dogs. The most common adverse reactions included decreased appetite, decreased activity, dehydration, abdominal pain, and vomiting.

**Caution:** Federal law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian. Use only as directed. **It is a violation of Federal law to use this product other than as directed in the labeling.Conditionally approved by FDA pending a full demonstration of effectiveness under application number 141-552.**

See full Prescribing Information at Canalevia.com.

**Forward-Looking Statements**

Certain statements in this press release constitute "forward-looking statements." These include statements regarding Jaguar's expectation that its intestinal failure program will continue to provide clinical proof-of-concept milestones, Jaguar's expectation that the company will apply for Breakthrough Therapy designation for crofelemer for the indication of MVID, and Jaguar's expectation that it will file an NDA with the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for this indication in the first half of 2027. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by terms such as "may," "will," "should," "expect," "plan," "aim," "anticipate," "could," "intend," "target," "project," "contemplate," "believe," "estimate," "predict," "potential" or "continue" or the negative of these terms or other similar expressions. The forward-looking statements in this release are only predictions. Jaguar has based these forward-looking statements largely on its current expectations and projections about future events. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this release and are subject to several risks, uncertainties, and assumptions, some of which cannot be predicted or quantified and some of which are beyond Jaguar's control. Except as required by applicable law, Jaguar does not plan to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements contained herein, whether as a result of any new information, future events, changed circumstances or otherwise.

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