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## DURECT to Participate in Upcoming Healthcare Conferences

CUPERTINO, Calif., Sept. 3, 2013 /PRNewswire/ — DURECT Corporation (Nasdaq: DRRX) announced today that management is scheduled to present at three upcoming healthcare conferences.

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- James E. Brown, President and CEO, will present at the Rodman and Renshaw Conference on Monday, September 9 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern time. The conference is being held at the Millenium Broadway Hotel in New York City. A live audio webcast of the presentation will be available by accessing <a href="http://www.com/webcast/rrshq23/DRRX">http://www.com/webcast/rrshq23/DRRX</a>.
- James E. Brown, President and CEO, will also present at the Stifel Nicolaus 2013 Healthcare Conference on Wednesday, September 11 at 3:15 p.m. Eastern Time. The conference is being held at the Four Seasons Hotel in Boston. A live audio webcast of the presentation will be available by accessing http://www.veracast.com/webcasts/stifel/healthcare2013/21112495487.cfm
- Matt Hogan, Chief Financial Officer, will also present at the BioCentury Newsmakers in the Biotech Industry Conference on Friday, September 27 at 2:30 pm Eastern Time. The conference is being held at the Millenium Broadway Hotel in New York City. A live audio webcast of the presentation will be available by accessing <a href="http://www.visualwebcaster.com/event.asp?id=95814">http://www.visualwebcaster.com/event.asp?id=95814</a>.

A live audio webcast of these presentations will also be available by accessing DURECT's homepage at <u>www.www.durect.com</u> and clicking "Investor Relations." If you are unable to participate during the live webcast, the call will be archived on DURECT's website under Audio Archive in the "Investor Relations" section.

## About DURECT Corporation

DURECT is a specialty pharmaceutical company developing innovative drugs for pain and other chronic diseases, with late-stage development programs including REMOXY<sup>®</sup>, POSIDUR<sup>TM</sup>, ELADUR<sup>®</sup>, and TRANSDUR<sup>®</sup>-Sufentanil. DURECT's proprietary oral, transdermal and injectable depot delivery technologies enable new indications and superior clinical/commercial attributes such as abuse deterrence, improved convenience, compliance, efficacy and safety for small molecule and biologic drugs. For more information, please visit <u>www.www.durect.com</u>.

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