

Stryker to Present at Investor Conferences

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Kalamazoo, Michigan - August 25, 2011 - Stryker Corporation (NYSE:SYK) announced today that it will participate in the following investor conferences:

September 7, 2011 - 10:55 a.m. Eastern Time
Stifel Nicolaus Healthcare Conference 2011
Boston, Massachusetts

September 13, 2011 - 8:00 a.m. Eastern Time
Morgan Stanley Global Healthcare Conference
New York, New York

A simultaneous webcast of the Company's presentations will be available on Stryker's website at www.stryker.com. The presentations will be archived for 30 days.

Certain statements made in these presentations may contain information that includes or is based on forward-looking statements within the meaning of the federal securities law that are subject to various risks and uncertainties that could cause the Company's actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in such statements. Such factors include, but are not limited to: weakening of economic conditions that could adversely affect the level of demand for the Company's products; pricing pressures generally, including cost-containment measures that could adversely affect the price of or demand for the Company's products; changes in foreign exchange markets; legislative and regulatory actions; unanticipated issues arising in connection with clinical studies and otherwise that affect U.S. Food and Drug Administration approval of new products; changes in reimbursement levels from third-party payors; a significant increase in product liability claims; resolution of tax audits; changes in financial markets; changes in the competitive environment; and the Company's ability to integrate acquisitions. Additional information concerning these and other factors are contained in the Company's filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, including the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K and Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q.

Stryker is one of the world's leading medical technology companies and is dedicated to helping healthcare professionals perform their jobs more efficiently while enhancing patient care. The Company offers a diverse array of innovative medical technologies, including reconstructive, medical and surgical, and neurotechnology and spine products to help people lead more active and more satisfying lives. For more information about Stryker, please visit www.stryker.com.

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