

Stryker to Host Conference Call on April 24, 2013

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Kalamazoo, Michigan - March 27, 2013 - Stryker Corporation (NYSE:SYK) announced that it will host a conference call on Wednesday, April 24, 2013 at 4:30 p.m., Eastern Time, to discuss the Company's operating results for the quarter ended March 31, 2013 and provide an operational update. Final operating results for the quarter ended March 31, 2013 will be released at 4:00 p.m. that day.

To participate in the conference call dial (866) 436-9172 (domestic) or (630) 691-2760 (international) and be prepared to provide confirmation number 34454633 to the operator.

A simultaneous webcast of the call will be accessible via the Company's website at www.stryker.com. The call will be archived on this site for 90 days.

A recording of the call will also be available from 7:30 p.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, April 24, 2013, until 11:59 p.m., Eastern Time, on Wednesday, May 1, 2013. To hear this recording you may dial (888) 843-7419 (domestic) or 630-652-3042 (international) and enter the passcode 34454633#.

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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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