



Cernostics Acquisition

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Castle Biosciences to Acquire Cernostics

Fuels mid- and long-term growth with TissueCypher® platform enabling GI franchise



Fuels growth and value creation for shareholders while expanding our areas of expertise

Is aligned with our commitment to using innovative technology to answer clinical problems and guide disease management



TissueCypher platform complements our GEP dermatologic franchise, adding a first-to-market predictive test in Barrett's Esophagus

With six validation and performance studies completed, TissueCypher builds on our history of being an evidence-driven company



Opportunity to accelerate our impact on improving patient outcomes through clinically actionable precision diagnostics

Castle's Revenue Growth Story

2021

2022

2025

Dermatologic Franchise

Cutaneous Melanoma
Suspicious Pigmented Lesions

Decision Dx
MELANOMA
(Expanded LCD effective Dec 2020)

myPath
Melanoma
(Acquired in May 2021; LCD in effect)

Cutaneous Melanoma
Squamous Cell Carcinoma
Suspicious Pigmented Lesions

Decision Dx
MELANOMA

Decision Dx·SCC
(Potential LCD effective in 2022)

myPath
Melanoma
Decision Dx® DiffDx-Melanoma
(Potential LCD effective in 2022)

Cutaneous Melanoma
Squamous Cell Carcinoma
Suspicious Pigmented Lesions
Additional Tests for Dermatologic Conditions

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Pipeline Expansion
(Expected launches ~2025)

Gastrointestinal Franchise*

Barrett's Esophagus

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BARRETT'S ESOPHAGUS ASSAY

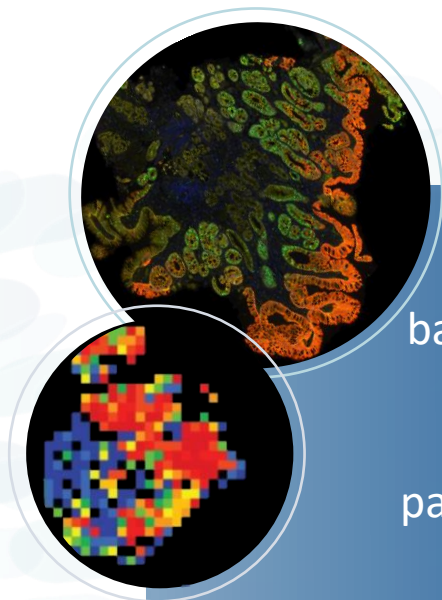
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Pipeline Growth Opportunities

About Cernostics

Harnessing spatial biology to inform decisions in the treatment of Barrett's Esophagus



Cernostics is a leader in tissue-based diagnostic testing, delivering solutions designed to provide deeper tissue insights, better patient outcomes and lower cost of care. Cernostics applies spatial biology and biologically-aware AI to tissue diagnostics, delivering clinically actionable, precision diagnostic information to physicians and patients.

- Pittsburgh-based
- Proprietary TissueCypher (TC) platform
- First-to-market predictive test for Barrett's Esophagus (BE)
 - Six validation and performance studies
 - ~\$1B estimated U.S. TAM
- Medical advisory board consists of leading GI KOLs
- GIs are receptive to the use of TC for BE patients

Transaction and Transition Snapshot

\$30 million in cash or cash and stock due at closing¹

Up to an additional \$50 million payable in cash and/or stock¹, based on the achievement of certain milestones based on 2022 performance²

Expected close prior to year end 2021³

Expect Cernostics CEO and other staff to join Castle

Expect to hire a GI commercial team with 13-15 outside sales territories; reporting to Castle's Chief Commercial Officer

TissueCypher (TC) Platform Has the Potential to Answer Clinical Problems in GI and Other Diseases

Starting with TissueCypher Barrett's Esophagus Assay



The Platform

TC is designed to bring together all the key elements of biologically-aware artificial intelligence (AI) to deliver the spatialomics revolution to the clinician and enable individualized, patient-centric decision-making.

How It Works

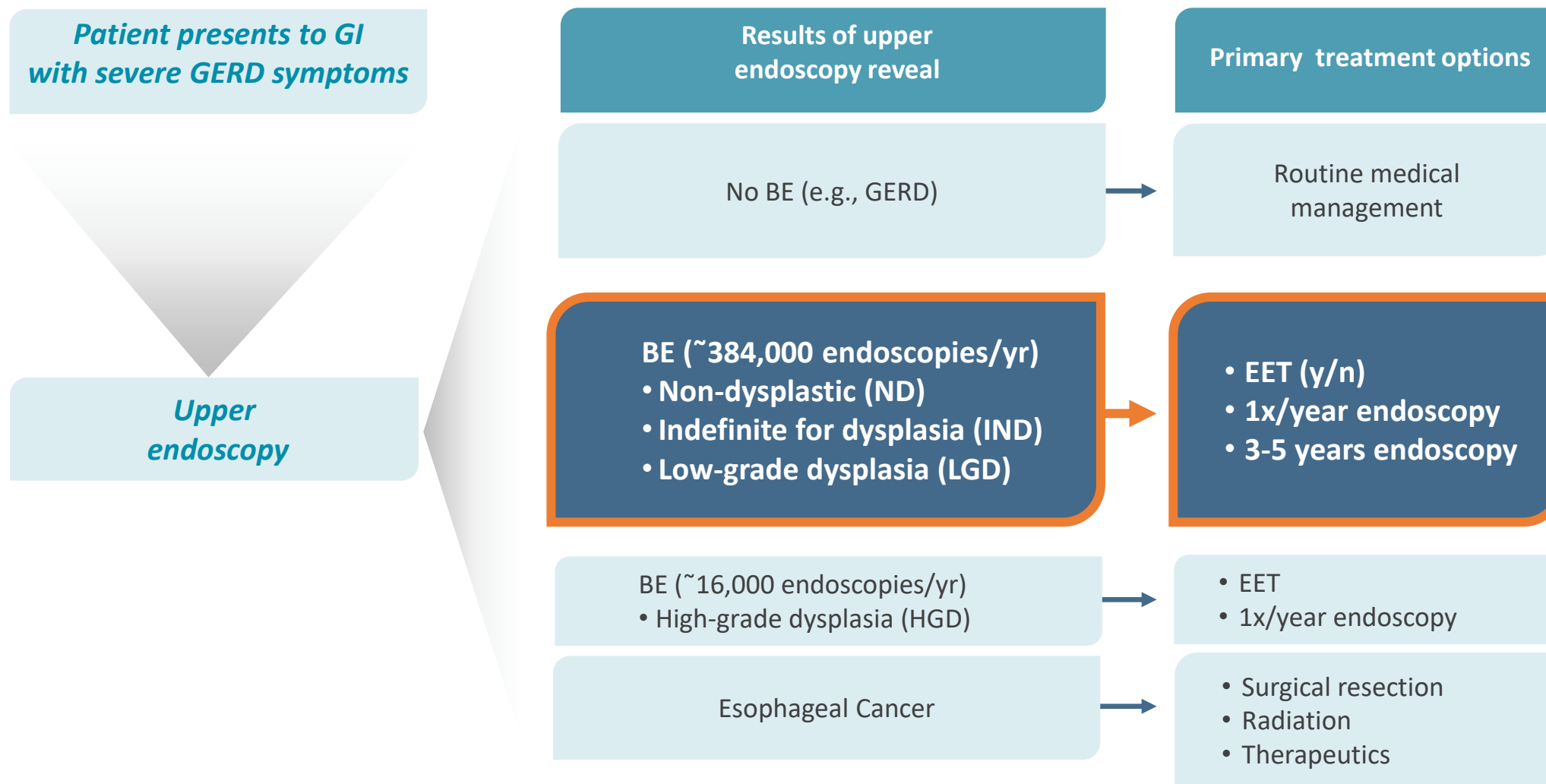
TC employs validated AI-driven algorithms designed to objectively quantify multiple biomarkers in the context of tissue structure to help physicians make more informed decisions on patient management.

Peer-Reviewed Publications

Six scientific publications support the performance of TC to objectively and independently predict the development of esophageal cancer in patients with Barrett's Esophagus.

Patient Journey for Diagnosis and Treatment of Barrett's Esophagus (BE)

- TissueCypher is indicated for BE patients with ND, IND or LGD



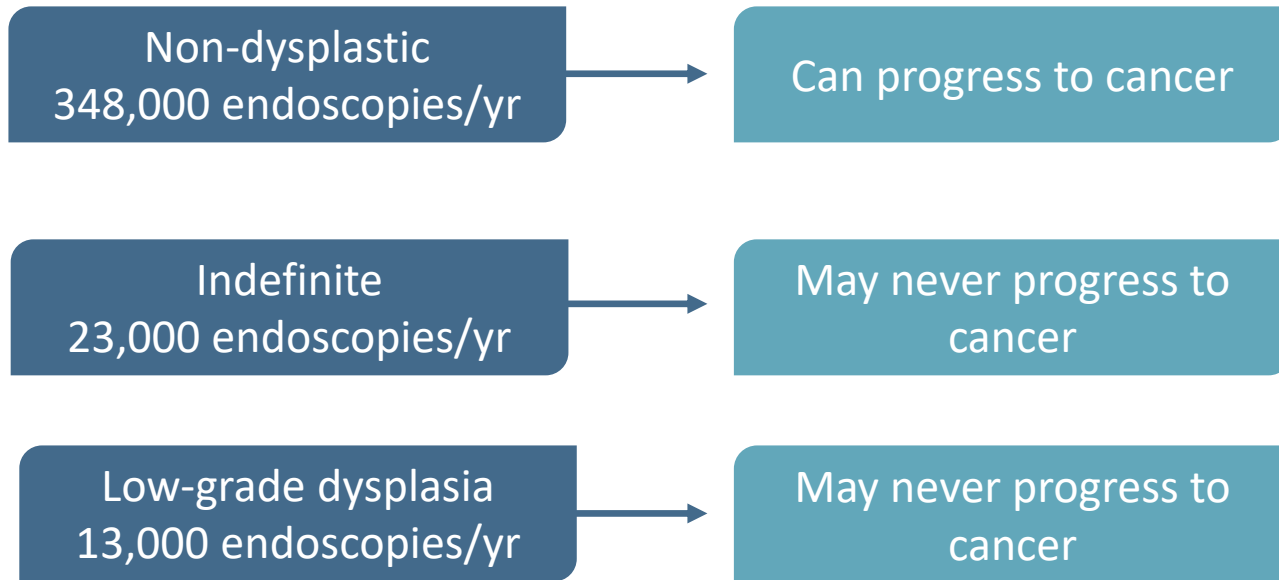


Current BE Grading Systems are Limited in Predicting BE Progression

- These limitations are a significant clinical issue, as BE progression risk informs treatment decisions
- High inter-observer variability
 - Observer variability caused inconsistencies in natural history studies and confusion regarding optimal management¹
 - Variability persists among experts
- Prevalent high-grade dysplasia (HGD)/cancer can be missed on endoscopy
 - 25% of HGD/cancer diagnoses occurred within one year of endoscopy²
- Patients with non-dysplastic Barrett's Esophagus (ND BE) progress during surveillance intervals
- Patients with low-grade dysplasia (LGD) may be overgraded
 - 73-85% of LGDs are downgraded upon expert review^{3,4}
- What is needed:
 - An objective method to improve risk-stratification in patients with BE

TissueCypher Improves Risk-stratification in Patients Diagnosed with ND, IND or LGD Barrett's Esophagus

The problem...



The solution...



TissueCypher Risk-stratifies BE Progression

Probability of developing Esophageal Cancer
post endoscopy in Non-Dysplastic BE patients¹

	Year 1	Year 5	Year 10
TissueCypher® High Risk	1.5%	15.9%	44.8%
Pathology – Expert	0.3%	1.9%	4.2%
Pathology – Community	0.2%	2.3%	5.0%
TissueCypher® Low Risk	0.2%	1.3%	2.7%

1. TissueCypher Probability in NDBE, Pathology Expert and Community in NDBE patients, prevalence adjustment constant 0.5%/year, derived from KM curves at 1, 5 and 10 years

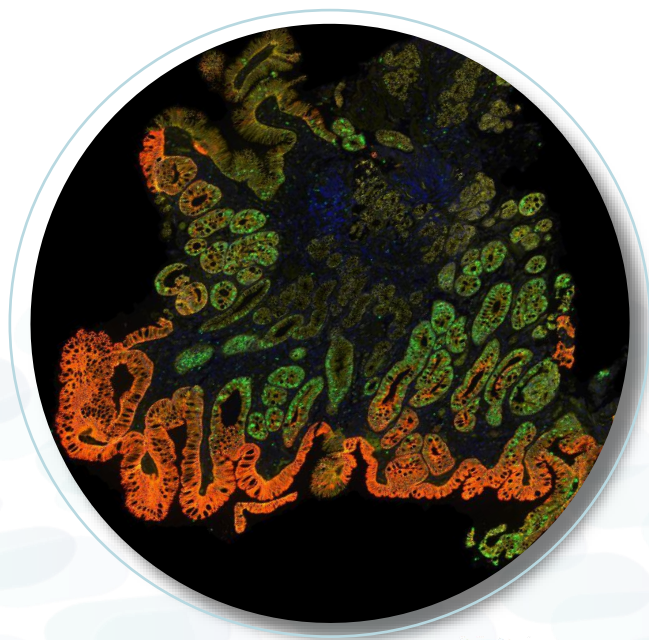
TissueCypher **High Risk**: increased probability of progression to cancer

- 5-fold at 1 years
 - 10-fold at 10 years
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- **Increase surveillance**
 - **Ablate to cure**

TissueCypher **Low Risk**: increased probability of progression to cancer

- 46% ↓ in probability of progression
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- **Reduces surveillance**
 - **Saves \$**

In Summary



- Acquisition of Cernostics brings a first-to-market risk stratification test for use in patients with Barrett's Esophagus that has
 - Significant evidence: 6 validation and performance studies with TissueCypher
 - Medicare paid with a Clinical Laboratory Fee Schedule rate of \$2,513
 - Clinical use study demonstrates more than 50% change in patient management
 - Increases Castle's estimated U.S. TAM by ~\$1 billion¹
- In addition, Cernostics adds spatial biology technology for use in additional GI and other diseases



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