

# NEWS RELEASE

## Ocumetics Clinical Study Protocol Submission and Site Initiation on Schedule for Summer 2025

## **For Immediate Release**

Calgary, Alberta – May 22, 2025 - Ocumetics Technology Corp. ("Ocumetics" or the "Company") (TSXV: OTC) (OTCQB: OTCFF) (FRA: 2QBO), a leader in advanced ophthalmic technology, is pleased to announce the submission of its first-in-human (FIH) clinical study protocol for IRB approval. This development represents a critical step in the advancement of the Ocumetics Lens toward clinical trials planned for summer 2025, designed to assess safety, effectiveness, and performance of Ocumetics' innovative lens technology in human subjects for the first time.

Dean Burns, CEO of Ocumetics, stated: "The development of our first-in-human study protocol is a major step forward and reflects our commitment to scientific rigor and patient safety. With the protocol and study endpoints now in place, we are preparing for regulatory submission and study site initiation. We are excited to move into the clinical phase of development with strong partners and a clear path forward."

The FIH study protocol was developed in collaboration with Ocumetics' Chief Medical Officer and a U.S.-based regulatory partner specializing in ophthalmic medical device trials. The study will evaluate overall safety, visual outcomes, accommodative functionality, and lens stability.

Dr. Doyle Stulting, Ocumetics' Chief Medical Officer, commented: "Establishing a robust clinical protocol with well-defined endpoints is essential to ensure meaningful outcomes in a first-in-human study. We are excited to bring this novel technology forward and are confident that our study design will provide valuable insights into the lens' potential to transform the field of vision restoration."

With the study protocol completed, Ocumetics is currently preparing to submit its FIH study package to regulatory authorities and is working with clinical sites in anticipation of study initiation, planned for summer 2025. The Company's goal remains steadfast: to deliver a game-changing accommodative intraocular lens that restores the eye's natural focusing ability and offers freedom from conventional corrective lenses.

#### **About Ocumetics**

Ocumetics Technology Corp. (TSXV: OTC) (OTCQB: OTCFF) (FRA: 2QBO) is a Canadian research and product development company that is dedicated to developing advanced vision correction solutions that enhance the quality of life for patients. Through innovative research and development, Ocumetics aims to transform the field of ophthalmology with state-of-the-art intraocular lenses and other vision-enhancing technologies.

Ocumetics is in the preclinical study stage of a game-changing technology for the ophthalmic industry. Ocumetics has developed an intraocular lens that fits within the natural lens compartment of the eye potentially to eliminate the need for corrective lenses. It is designed to allow the eye's natural muscle activity to shift focus from distance to near, providing clear vision at all distances without the help of glasses or contact lenses.

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