

Sunesis to Host Conference Call on November 2nd to Discuss Third Quarter 2017 Financial Results and Recent Highlights

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SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Oct. 27, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Sunesis Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Nasdaq:SNSS) today announced that it will host a conference call on Thursday, November 2, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time to discuss corporate updates and financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2017.

The call can be accessed by dialing (844) 269-7720 (U.S. and Canada) or (574) 990-1148 (international), and entering passcode 1071001.

To access the live audio webcast, or the subsequent archived recording, visit the "Investors and Media - Calendar of Events" section of the Sunesis website at <http://ir.sunesis.com>. The webcast will be recorded and available for replay on the company's website for two weeks.

About Sunesis Pharmaceuticals

Sunesis is a biopharmaceutical company focused on the development and commercialization of new oncology therapeutics for the future treatment of solid and hematologic cancers. Sunesis has built an experienced cancer drug development organization committed to improving the lives of people with cancer. The Company is focused on advancing its novel kinase-inhibitor pipeline, with an emphasis on establishing proof of concept that its oral non-covalent BTK-inhibitor, SNS-062, treats ibrutinib-resistant chronic lymphocytic leukemia. SNS-062 is currently being evaluated in a Phase 1b/2, open-label, sequential-group, dose-escalation and cohort-expansion study in adults with chronic lymphocytic leukemia, Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia and mantle cell lymphoma that have progressed after prior therapies. Beyond the development of SNS-062, the Company has two other kinase inhibitor programs, including the Takeda-partnered pan-RAF inhibitor TAK-580, which is in a Phase 2 solid tumor trial, and its proprietary preclinical PDK1 inhibitor SNS-510, which is completing non GLP toxicology studies.

For additional information on Sunesis, please visit <http://www.sunesis.com>.

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