

Verastem to Present at the 2013 Wedbush Life Sciences Management Access Conference

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CAMBRIDGE, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Aug. 7, 2013-- Verastem, Inc. (NASDAQ: VSTM), focused on discovering and developing drugs to treat cancer by the targeted killing of cancer stem cells, announced that the Company will present at the upcoming Wedbush Life Sciences Management Access Conference on Wednesday, August 14th at 3:40 p.m. Eastern Time. The conference will take place at Le Parker Meridien hotel in New York City.

A webcast of the presentation can be accessed by visiting the investors section of the Company's website at www.verastem.com. A replay of the webcast will be archived on the Verastem website for 30 days following the presentation date.

About Verastem, Inc.

Verastem, Inc. (NASDAQ: VSTM) is discovering and developing drugs to treat cancer by the targeted killing of <u>cancer stem cells</u>. Cancer stem cells are an underlying cause of tumor recurrence and metastasis. Verastem is developing small molecule inhibitors of signaling pathways that are critical to cancer stem cell survival and proliferation: FAK, PI3K/mTOR and Wnt. For more information, please visit <u>www.verastem.com</u>.

Forward-looking statements:

Any statements in this press release about future expectations, plans and prospects for the Company constitute forward-looking statements. Actual results may differ materially from those indicated by such forward-looking statements. The Company anticipates that subsequent events and developments will cause the Company's views to change. However, while the Company may elect to update these forward-looking statements at some point in the future, the Company specifically disclaims any obligation to do so.

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