



ScienceBased Health Welcomes New Members to its Optometry Clinical Advisory Panel

Optometric Thought Leaders Will Strengthen the Company's Efforts to Educate the Optometric Community About the Role of Nutrition in Eye Care

Houston, TX – September 28, 2021 – ScienceBased Health® (SBH), a leading provider of premium evidence-based nutraceuticals for eye health, announces the addition of Melissa Barnett, OD, FAAO, and Selina McGee, OD, FAAO, to its Optometry Clinical Advisory Panel.

For more than 20 years, SBH has been committed to helping eye care practitioners enhance their level of patient care through product innovation, leadership, education and support. The company's products are distributed and recommended by thousands of optometrists and ophthalmologists nationwide.

"We're honored to welcome these distinguished practitioners to our Optometry Clinical Advisory Panel," said Alain Magro, President and Chief Executive Officer of ScienceBased Health. "We look forward to collaborating with them to capitalize on their knowledge, expertise and influence as we continue to educate the optometric community on the importance of nutrition in eye care."

Melissa Barnett, OD, FAAO, FSLs, FBCLA is a principal optometrist at the University of California, Davis Eye Center. She is an internationally recognized key opinion leader, specializing in dry eye disease and specialty contact lenses. Dr. Barnett lectures globally and publishes extensively on topics including dry eye, anterior segment disease and contact lenses. She is currently serving on the Tear Film & Ocular Surface Society (TFOS): A Lifestyle Epidemic Ocular Surface Disease Workshop.

Selina McGee, OD, FAAO, is the Founder and Owner of BeSpoke Vision, a boutique-style eyecare practice that specializes in dry eye disease, specialty contact lenses, and aesthetics. Increasingly recognized as an optometric leader, Dr. McGee is currently the Vice President of the Intrepid Eye Society, the Past President of the Oklahoma Association of Optometric Physicians and a SECO Trustee. Dr. McGee regularly shares her expertise in lectures and articles.

Drs. Barnett and McGee join SBH's Optometry Clinical Advisory Panel members that include: Douglas K. Devries, OD; Tracy Doll, OD, FAAO; Steven G. Ferrucci, OD, FAAO; I. Ben Gaddie, OD, FAAO; Scott Hauswirth, OD, FAAO; Paul M. Karpecki, OD, FAAO; Katherine M. Mastrotta, MS, OD, FAAO; Jim Owen, OD, FAAO; Diana Shechtman, OD, FAAO; Kirk L. Smick, OD, FAAO; Justin Schweitzer, OD, FAAO; William Townsend, OD, FAAO; and Walter O. Whitley, OD, MBA, FAAO.

The Optometry Clinical Advisory Panel complements the work of SBH's Ophthalmology Clinical Advisory Panel.

About ScienceBased Health

ScienceBased Health[®], a privately held company founded in 1997, develops and markets evidence-based nutraceuticals for eye health. The Company's formulations include: HydroEye[®], a clinically tested, patented oral formulation for dry eyes; OcularProtect[®], a comprehensive multinutrient for eyes and overall body health; MacularProtect Complete[®], a powerful formulation to preserve macular and whole body health, based on AREDS, AREDS2 and other advanced research; OmegaAdvance[®], a premium quality omega-3 supplement; OpticNerve Formula[®], a clinically tested, powerful formulation to protect optic nerve health; DiaVis[®], a specialized formulation to support retinal circulation; and other high quality products. The formulations are based on the latest science, made from premium ingredients and manufactured according to highest quality NSF[®] certified facilities. For more information, contact ScienceBased Health at: (888) 433-4726 or visit: www.SBH.com.