



BIOCRYST TO HOST CONFERENCE CALL ON JUNE 25, 2002

BioCryst to Host Conference Call on June 25, 2002 at 8:30 am EDT

Birmingham, Alabama - June 25, 2002 - BioCryst Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Nasdaq NM: BCRX) will sponsor a conference call at 8:30 a.m. EDT. Interested investors can listen to the call live over the Internet from the investor relations website at www.biocryst.com or by dialing 1-800-289-0496, and providing the passcode number 381421.

What: BioCryst Pharmaceuticals Conference Call

When: Tuesday, June 25 2002, 8:30 a.m., EDT

Where: <http://www.videonewswire.com/event.asp?id=6122>

How: Live over the Internet -- Simply log on to the web at the address above, or Live conference call -- Dial 1-800-289-0496, passcode 381421.

BioCryst Pharmaceuticals, Inc. designs, optimizes and develops novel drugs that block key enzymes essential for viral, cardiovascular and oncologic disease processes. BioCryst integrates the necessary disciplines of biology, crystallography, medicinal chemistry and computer modeling to effectively use structure-based drug design to discover and develop small molecule pharmaceuticals.

For those unable to listen at the designated time, the webcast will remain available for replay over BioCryst's investor relations website until July 17, 2002. A conference call replay will also be available from approximately 12:30 p.m. EDT on Tuesday, June 25, 2002 through midnight Thursday, June 27, 2002 by dialing 1-888-203-1112 and entering passcode 381421.

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