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Arch Therapeutics to Provide Corporate Update at the Maxim Group - Haitong Securities Healthcare Investor and Partnering Conference

FRAMINGHAM, MA -- (Marketwired) -- 02/27/17 -- Terrence Norchi, MD, CEO of Arch Therapeutics, Inc. (OTCQB: ARTH) ("Arch" or the "Company"), developer of novel liquid, gel and solid hemostatic and wound care devices, will present at the Maxim Group - Haitong Securities Healthcare Investor and Partnering Conference taking place from March 6-7, 2017 at the Park Hyatt Shanghai in Shanghai, China.

Dr. Norchi is scheduled to participate in a panel discussion called "Launching into Existing Markets" on March 6, 2017 at 3:30 PM local time (GMT+8) followed by an Arch Therapeutics corporate update at 4:20 PM.

Dr. Norchi will meet with institutional investors and strategic Chinese enterprises who are signed up to attend the two-day conference. Arch Therapeutics presentations are available for download at <http://ir.archtherapeutics.com>.

About Arch Therapeutics, Inc.

Arch Therapeutics, Inc. is a medical device company developing a novel approach to stop bleeding (hemostasis) and control leaking (sealant) during surgery and trauma care. Arch is developing products based on an innovative self-assembling materials technology platform with the goal of making surgery and interventional care faster and safer for patients. Arch's flagship development stage product candidates, known as the AC5 Surgical Hemostatic Device™ and AC5 Topical Hemostatic Device™, are being designed to achieve hemostasis during surgical, wound and interventional care. Find out more at www.archtherapeutics.com.

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