

## Radisens Diagnostics

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Founded in 2009 and led by CEO and founder Jerry O'Brien, Radisens, a private venture-backed diagnostics company, is breaking new ground in the decentralisation of routine blood testing from central reference laboratories into physician offices, outpatient clinics, pharmacies and other near-patient test settings. With a finger-prick of blood, this multi-mode diagnostic device will return laboratory-grade results instantly within a patient's physician visit.

Radisens' initial menu concentrates on panels for those suffering with high-burden chronic disease resulting in improved patient outcomes and more efficient healthcare management. By integrating immunoassay, clinical chemistry, cell counting and other test modes, this near-patient device will finally open blood testing access to all with instant diagnosis and monitoring. The fear of needles, the many anxious days or weeks of waiting for results, the multiple physician visits, will all be things of the past.



*“CorkBIC, through their extensive network, have made valuable introductions for Radisens resulting in various commercial and investment deals.”*

Most recently in June, 2015 Radisens Diagnostics announced that it has been awarded a €4.5m grant from the European Commission's SME Instrument initiative. As part of the EC's Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation programme, the €3bn SME Instrument hand-picks potentially disruptive businesses to invest and support. *“We are delighted with this significant endorsement from the EC, in support of our vision of instant testing of any high-burden chronic disease anywhere”*, commented Radisens' CEO, Jerry O'Brien.

### CorkBIC and Radisens Diagnostics

- Radisens first approached CorkBIC in 2007 for assistance with their business plan and investor readiness
- In 2009, CorkBIC presented Radisens Diagnostics at the Sophia Business Angels Venture Academy in Sophia Antipolis, in the South of France. The result of this was an equity investment in Radisens Diagnostics by the Sophia Business Angels.
- CorkBIC and Sophia Business Angels also assisted Radisens in securing a contract with the National Health Service (NHS) East of England