

# Verona Pharma

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## Verona Pharma's chief medical officer to quit at the end of the month

Respiratory specialist Verona Pharma PLC (LON:VRP, NASDAQ:VRNA) said its chief medical officer, Kenneth Newman, is quitting the company at the end of the month to "pursue other opportunities".

The search is already underway for his replacement.

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Chief executive Jan-Anders Karlsson thanked Newman for his "outstanding service" over the past three years.

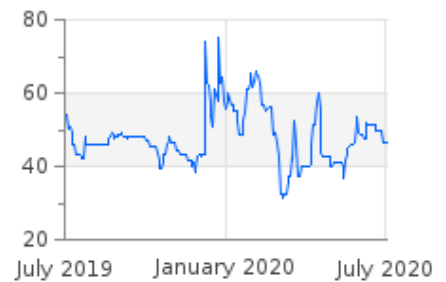
This included the acceleration into phase IIb clinical trials of Verona's chronic obstructive pulmonary disease drug candidate.

In total, Newman oversaw seven clinical trials and played an instrumental role in establishing the drug developer's US presence.

**Price:** 46.5

**Market Cap:** £49.51 m

### 1 Year Share Price Graph



### Share Information

**Code:** VRP

**Listing:** AIM

<b>52 week</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Low</b>
	102	28.6

**Sector:** Pharma & Biotech

**Website:** [www.veronapharma.com](http://www.veronapharma.com)

### Company Synopsis:

*Verona Pharma plc is a clinical stage biopharmaceutical company focused on the development and commercialization of innovative prescription medicines to treat respiratory diseases with significant unmet medical needs, such as COPD, cystic fibrosis and asthma.*

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