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# Health Care Position Monitor Update

Liquid Biopsy Check, AMN Trackers, NEO Claims Analysis, Earnings Previews



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# Health Care Position Monitor

### For Week of October 26, 2020

Best Ideas LONG	s - Longs	Price	Mkt Cap (\$B)	Trend	Tail	Best Ideas - Shorts <u>SHORT</u>	Price	Mkt Cap (\$B) Trend	Tail
Active Lor	ngs					Active Shorts			
ONEM	1Life Healthcare, Inc.	\$ 31.91	\$4.0B	٧	V	AMN AMN Healthcare Services, Inc.	\$ 66.51	\$3.1B ×	×
TXG	10x Genomics Inc Class A	\$ 142.27	\$11.1B	V	V	EXAS Exact Sciences Corporation	\$ 109.70	\$16.5B ×	×
GH	Guardant Health, Inc.	\$ 104.71	\$10.4B	V	V				
TDOC	Teladoc Health, Inc.	\$ 216.32	\$17.6B	V	V				
Long Bias						Short Bias			
NTRA	Natera, Inc.	\$ 71.19	\$6.0B			HRC Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc.	\$ 92.38	\$6.2B	
ILMN	Illumina, Inc.	\$ 323.55	\$47.4B			MASI Masimo Corporation	\$ 244.77	\$13.4B	
						AMWL American Well Corporation Class A	\$ 32.52	\$6.4B	
						NVTA Invitae Corp.	\$ 45.26	\$6.7B	

#### Note

Active Longs/Shorts are high conviction ideas that we've either presented a Black Book for already or have one in the works (similar to other Hedgeye teams). Bench or Bias ideas are ones in which we've done the bulk of the work, but there may be another question we need to answer to move it over the line. All active positions are higher conviction than bench ideas. We rank active versus active and bench versus bench.

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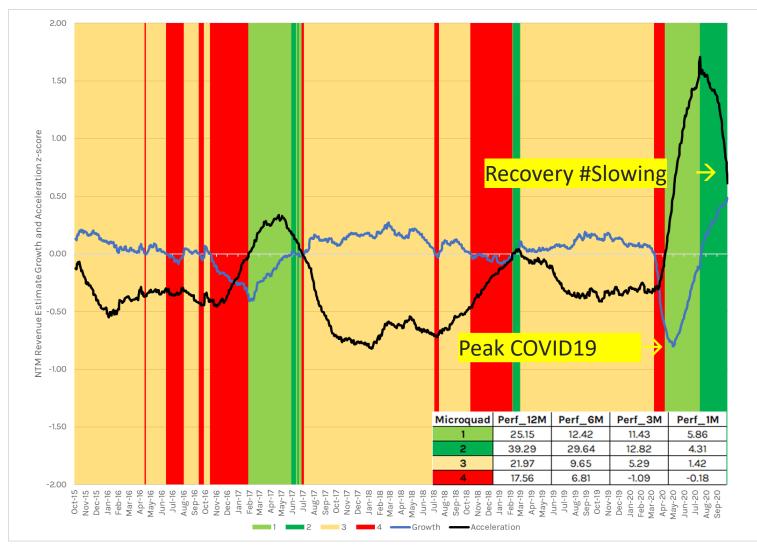
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# Estimate Revision Trend is Decelerating

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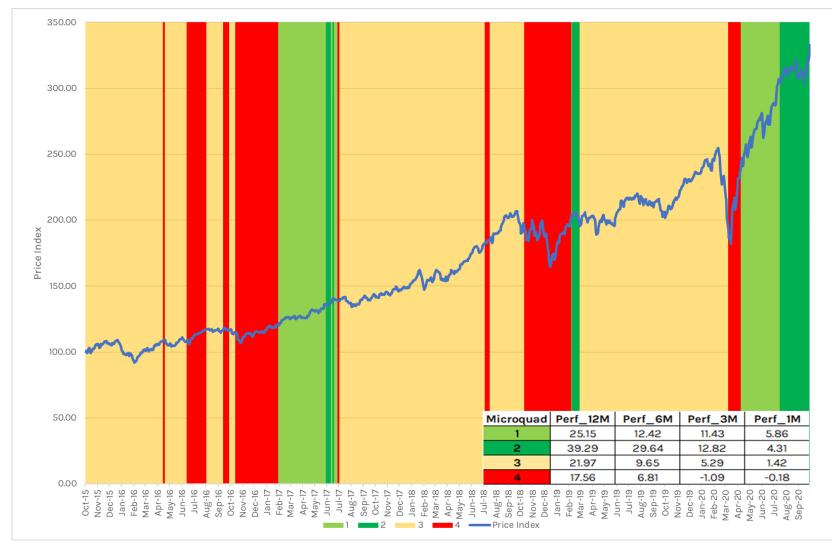
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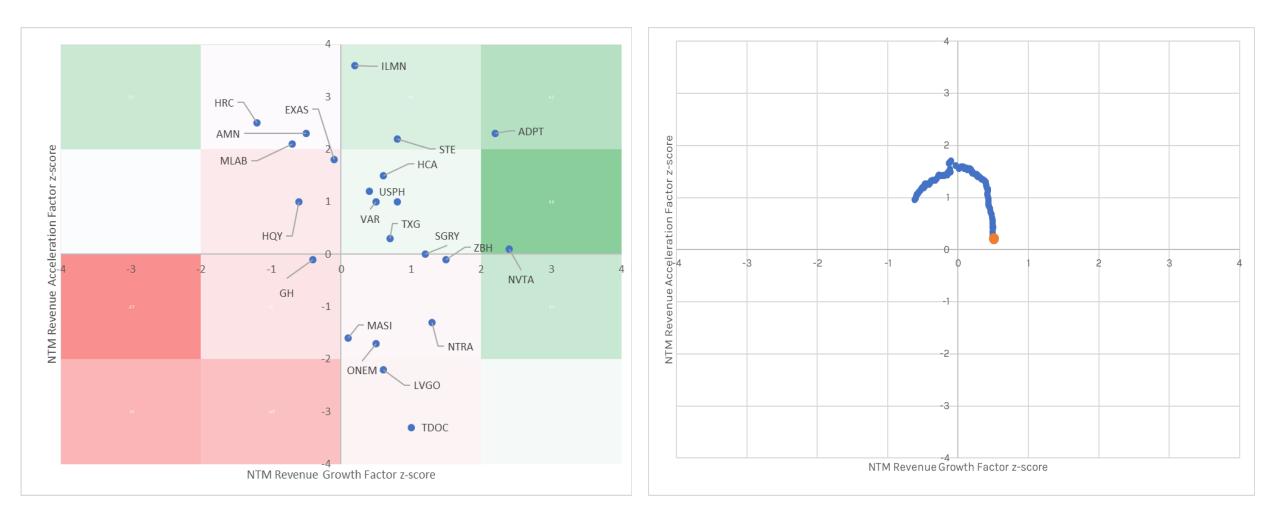
# Microquad Screen | October 26, 2020



Microquad1 (MQ1)	Microquad2 (MQ2)	Microquad3 (MQ3)	Microquad4 (MQ4)
AMGN RMD	A HCA PODD	ABBV LVGO RGEN	ANTM
AMN SEM	ABMD IART STAA	ABT MASI TMO	BDX
CHE	ALGN ICUI STE	BIO MEDP TNDM	BIOS
EXAS	AMED ILMN SYK	CVET MTD WST	CRL
HAE	BAX IRTC TECH	DGX NEO	ENSG
HMSY	BSX ISRG TFX	DXCM NEOG	GH
HRC	CERN LLY TXG	GILD NTRA	VRTX
ним	CNMD MDT UNH	HOLX OPK	
LHCG	COO MMSI VEEV	IDXX ΡΚΙ	
PRAH	EHC MRK WAT	IQV Q	
PRGO	EW OMCL ZTS	JNJ QDEL	
RCM	GMED PDCO	LH REGN	

# Position Monitor | October 26, 2020

### Sigma Positioning - Current



Sigma Positioning – Current Universe Average

# Microquad Expected Return

### Microquad average returns based on revenue estimate vectors

POSITION M	ONITOR 10/23/2020	Metrics				Sales					
Ticker	Name	Price	EV	МСАР	Correlation	Growth	Acceleration	Sales Quad	Perfromance 1M Actual	Expected 1M Performance	Expected 1M Performance Forward
AMN	AMN Healthcare Services, Inc.	66.99	4190.90	3147.70	0.82	-0.46	2.26	1	19.00%	1.76%	-0.53%
EXAS	Exact Sciences Corporation	103.32	15942.28	15515.29	0.80	-0.13	1.83	1	16.32%	2.94%	2.30%
HRC	Hill-Rom Holdings, Inc.	89.53	7795.69	5963.23	0.96	-1.25	2.48	1	13.81%	-0.59%	1.77%
ILMN	Illumina, Inc.	326.31	46916.88	47758.86	0.93	0.17	3.61	2	13.01%	3.24%	2.99%
NVTA	Invitae Corp.	47.03	5972.24	6976.75	0.82	2.39	0.13	2	5.97%	7.66%	0.45%
TXG	10x Genomics Inc Class A	163.70	15864.22	12776.10	0.85	0.69	0.35	2	17.19%	2.30%	1.67%
LVGO	Livongo Health, Inc.	141.92	13469.54	14417.00	0.95	0.65	-2.19	3	5.84%	-0.41%	0.86%
MASI	Masimo Corporation	237.30	13153.86	13039.18	0.97	0.11	-1.57	3	12.31%	1.67%	2.13%
NTRA	Natera, Inc.	71.08	5325.80	5974.59	0.91	1.34	-1.35	3	9.73%	2.80%	-0.20%
ONEM	1Life Healthcare, Inc.	30.53	3583.51	3853.89	0.35	0.50	-1.69	3	17.40%	0.34%	1.28%
TDOC	Teladoc Health, Inc.	221.29	16601.64	17975.05	0.93	1.02	-3.32	3	6.07%	2.36%	2.44%
GH	Guardant Health, Inc.	101.00	8859.04	10061.31	0.68	-0.43	-0.12	4	-1.59%	0.96%	1.45%
AMWL	American Well Corporation Class A	35.54	8688.16	7042.76	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00%	1.74%	0.64%

The sigma chart coordinates for growth/acceleration (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Derivative) is associated with a forward price return over the following 1M and 3M basis. For each of our Position Monitor stocks, we've calculated the average forward return within 0.5 STDEV of the stocks most recent estimate growth and acceleration positioning. We can also compare the actual and expected stock performance over the trailing 1 month to look for instances of over or undershooting the probable outcome.

### Negative Revision Trends

### **Bottom 20 revenue revision trends**

Rank	Ticker	Market-Cap	Sales Correlation	Sales Estimate Change	Growth	Acceleration	Microquad Expected Return	1W-Return	1M-Return	3M-Return	1Y-Return
1	ттоо	171.13	-25%	-4%	1.23	-1.73	0.35%	0%	16%	-13%	-44%
2	EVH	1,195.20	-43%	-3%	-1.06	1.09	1.85%	-3%	-6%	0%	54%
3	HRC	7,795.69	96%	-3%	-1.25	2.48	1.88%	3%	14%	-21%	-6%
4	MD	2,836.67	18%	-3%	-0.04	3.90	0.68%	-2%	-5%	-26%	-35%
5	BIIB	48,545.11	25%	-3%	-2.13	2.00	0.42%	-5%	-2%	-7%	-7%
6	TRHC	1,097.82	68%	-2%	-0.98	2.10	1.59%	-4%	2%	-30%	-22%
7	SPNE	335.47	35%	-2%	1.53	1.30	1.30%	-5%	6%	41%	24%
8	VAR	15,595.35	30%	-2%	0.51	1.01	1.41%	0%	0%	30%	37%
9	ITGR	3,055.45	-65%	-2%	0.61	0.61	1.48%	-2%	16%	-6%	-13%
10	HNGR	1,242.90	47%	-1%	-	-	-	8%	18%	9%	-14%
11	VCRA	947.27	83%	-1%	1.35	-1.52	0.37%	0%	21%	39%	34%
12	BDX	83,756.22	89%	-1%	-0.16	-0.53	0.81%	1%	9%	-13%	-2%
13	TCMD	688.26	67%	-1%	-0.23	3.29	0.76%	7%	25%	2%	-12%
14	ABBV	223,502.69	56%	-1%	0.21	-3.66	1.28%	-2%	-2%	-13%	10%
15	RCM	3,674.34	95%	-1%	-0.36	0.87	1.32%	0%	11%	29%	72%
16	WAT	14,558.14	87%	-1%	0.87	1.17	2.18%	5%	17%	-2%	3%
17	MMSI	3,096.56	69%	-1%	0.07	0.70	0.83%	2%	20%	10%	62%
18	HCSG	1,622.46	30%	-1%	0.07	1.13	0.78%	-1%	14%	-12%	0%
19	HQY	4,759.73	37%	-1%	-0.56	0.95	1.97%	6%	25%	6%	4%
20	RGEN	8,811.12	94%	-1%	0.59	-1.66	1.37%	3%	26%	28%	126%

- The Microquads start with revision trends in the short term.
- HRC estimates have been falling in recent weeks. On balance, the environment for Health Care Capital spending should be anticipated to be weak.

### **Positive Revision Trends**

### Top 20 positive revenue revision trend

Rank	Ticker	Market Cap	Sales Correlation	Sales Estimate Change	Growth	Acceleration	Microquad Expected Return	1W-Return	1M-Return	3M-Return	1Y-Return
1	QDEL	11,230.24	92%	19%	0.91	-3.36	2.49%	-3%	29%	-4%	309%
2	PHR	1,184.20	-	10%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	ADPT	6,059.81	37%	9%	2.22	2.35	3.26%	-4%	8%	31%	90%
4	ARAY	395.87	33%	8%	0.71	3.54	1.21%	-1%	33%	34%	13%
5	ISRG	84,411.81	93%	6%	0.79	1.02	1.49%	-2%	12%	7%	34%
6	CUTR	306.58	61%	6%	0.77	0.76	1.40%	10%	22%	60%	-24%
7	ANGO	441.04	33%	5%	0.65	1.38	0.96%	-4%	13%	26%	-23%
8	REGN	69,781.05	63%	5%	1.88	-0.58	2.41%	-3%	4%	-9%	90%
9	соо	19,529.35	96%	5%	0.23	2.73	1.11%	1%	8%	24%	26%
10	LMNX	937.18	50%	5%	1.20	-2.76	0.95%	-3%	-14%	-43%	5%
11	AXGN	463.22	-	5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	мон	11,250.02	34%	4%	1.10	-2.15	1.42%	1%	39%	17%	76%
13	PFE	254,288.05	10%	4%	0.66	-1.85	1.06%	1%	7%	2%	5%
14	TDOC	16,601.64	93%	4%	1.02	-3.32	1.74%	-2%	6%	2%	217%
15	CMD	2,834.62	-18%	4%	0.10	1.55	0.76%	10%	18%	3%	-25%
16	INI	406,582.33	82%	4%	1.38	-0.02	0.51%	-2%	0%	-1%	14%
17	NSTG	1,470.34	65%	4%	1.49	-0.33	1.08%	-10%	-15%	-1%	66%
18	TXG	15,864.22	85%	3%	0.69	0.35	1.22%	-13%	17%	48%	150%
19	тмо	201,975.82	94%	3%	1.49	-2.08	1.08%	2%	15%	16%	64%
20	UNH	304,147.80	95%	2%	0.16	2.19	1.10%	0%	13%	11%	35%

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- Estimates have been trending higher for TDOC in recent weeks.
- TXG positive revision likely tied to the closing of recent acquisitions.

# Upcoming Field Work | October 26, 2020



We've been vetting subject matter experts in key coverage areas, namely NGS, Liquid Biopsy, and Telehealth/Remote Patient Monitoring (RPM).

#### Liquid Biopsy & NGS

- We had an introductory/exploratory discussion with a group based in Australia to check compliance and gauge areas subject matter expertise around their studies involving liquid biopsy.
  - We look forward to following up with them in more detail over the coming week(s) due to

     their collective experience studying circulating tumor cells and cell-free DNA to screen for
     melanoma, ovarian cancer, etc.
  - The initial feedback from Down Under echoed the sentiment from here in the U.S., including:
    - Challenges w/ early detection.
    - Concern/suspicion regarding Grail/Galleri's data (it's a "black box").
    - Interest in Guardant360's trajectory
- We're having another intro discussion with a Canadian thought leader this week and hosting a live event on the outlook for liquid biopsy on November 3.
- Questions/discussion topics include, but are not limited to:
  - Overall outlook for liquid biopsy tests like Guardant360, Galleri, and Thrive's, among others.
  - Natera's Signatera differentiated and defensible moat?
  - Is any of the data released thus far differentiated?
  - What are the hurdles to demonstrating a clinical benefit in cancer screening?
  - Should we expect test developers to run a long-term trial to show survival benefit, or are there intermediate markers that can demonstrate meaningful utility?
  - "End markets" like early detection, companion diagnostics/therapy selection, and recurrence monitoring/residual disease.

companies. We'll be publishing Field Notes on these discussions.

- Core RPM and telehealth names: TDOC/LVGO, AMWL, MASI (2/3 are reporting this week).
- "New" to the public market: HCCO/SOC Telemed, OAC/Hims, and GoodRx are all fair game too.
- Prior field work helped to shape our "Convergence" theme, as it's become clearer that everyone in healthcare is battling for ownership of the patient relationship, and patients' data.
- We have a call with Amnon Gavish, former Amwell and TytoCare, on Friday the 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### • Questions/discussion topics include, but are not limited to:

- End market dynamics hospitals and health plans saturated?
- Room for reacceleration of telehealth utilization given COVID spikes?
- How much room is there to grow/expand within a given account? Why?
- Who is winning the battle for the patient/consumer? Who is losing?
- Are DTC options competitive or a separate market?
- Teladoc/Livongo synergies make sense?
- Reimbursement for telehealth/remote monitoring.
- M&A / partnership activity.

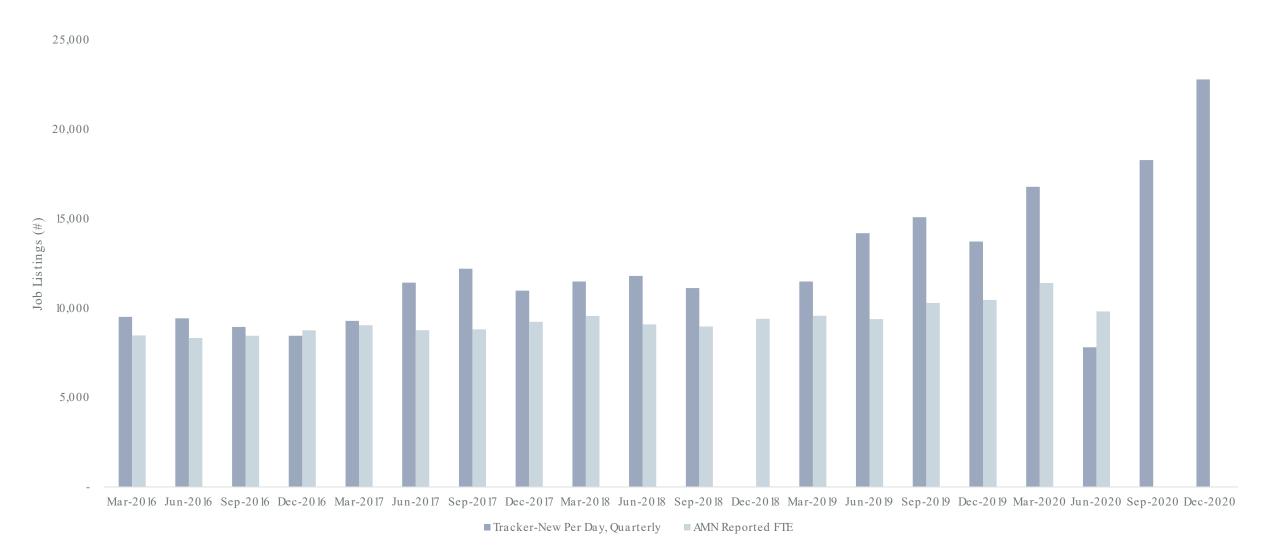
#### Telehealth & RPM

• We have calls lined up this week with vetted executives at privately held telehealth/telemedicine

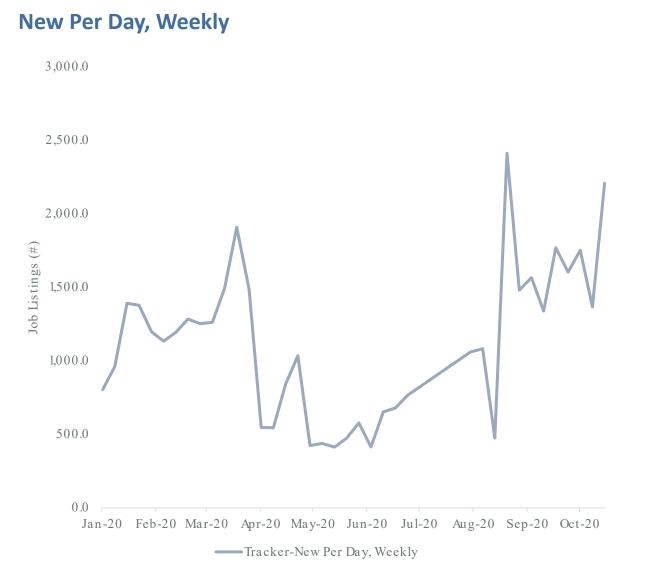
# AMN Tracker | October 2020



Tracker continues to improve sequentially and alongside the share price pushing higher every day...



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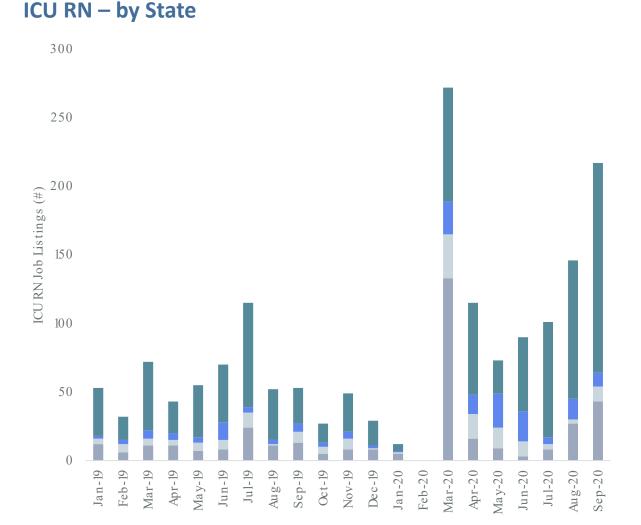


### New Per Day, Rolling 4 Week



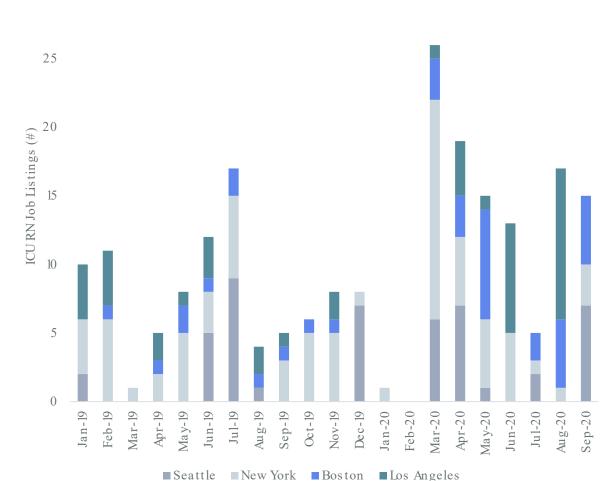
# ICU RN | Job Listings Tracker





ICU RN – by City

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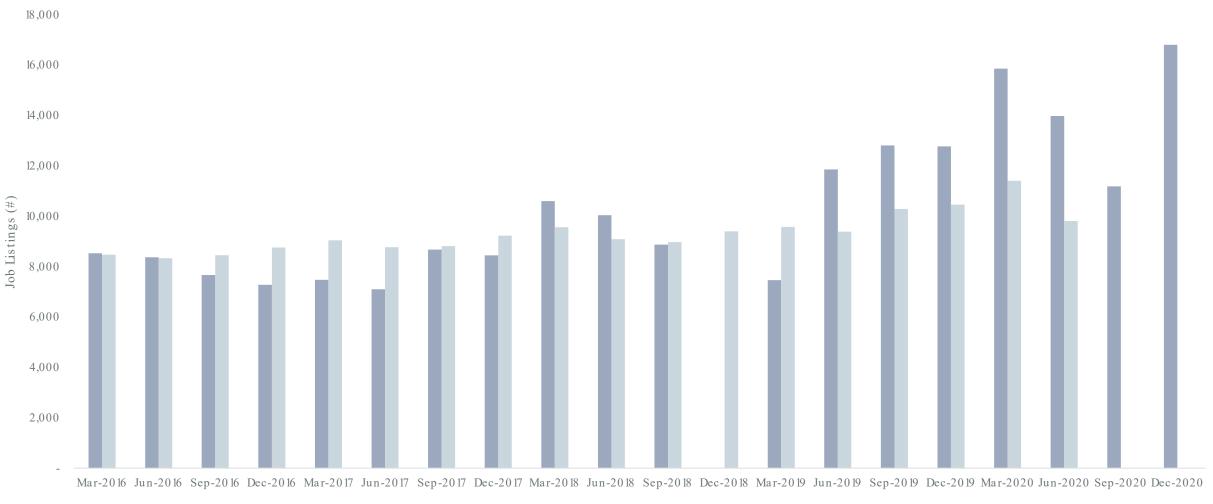
### **Major Cities v National Listings**



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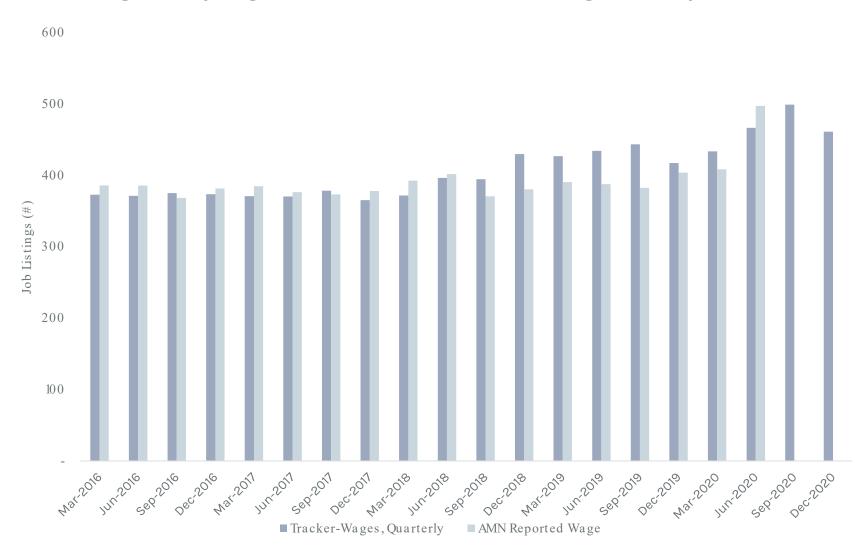


■ Tracker-Active ■ AMN Reported FTE

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# Wages Tracker | October 2020

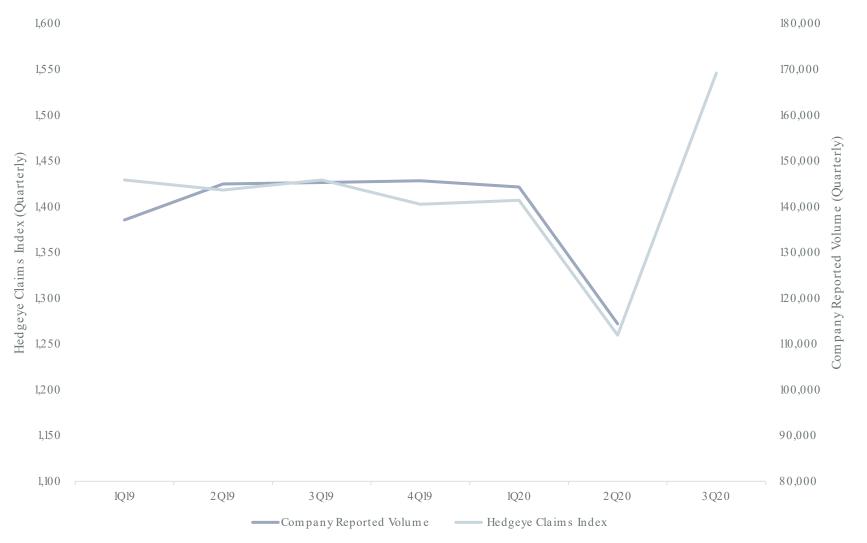
### The average hourly wage of travel nurses has risen throughout the year



	Low, Hourly	High, Hourly	Average, Hourly
Mar-2016	\$30.06	\$36.23	\$32.65
Jun-2016	\$30.14	\$35.76	\$32.51
Sep-2016	\$30.43	\$37.60	\$32.84
Dec-2016	\$30.65	\$36.96	\$32.71
Mar-2017	\$29.69	\$36.53	\$32.48
Jun-2017	\$29.69	\$35.75	\$32.42
Sep-2017	\$30.42	\$37.13	\$33.14
Dec-2017	\$29.69	\$34.94	\$31.99
Mar-2018	\$30.37	\$37.69	\$32.54
Jun-2018	\$32.71	\$38.12	\$34.71
Sep-2018	\$31.31	\$38.56	\$34.54
Dec-2018	\$36.15	\$39.84	\$37.63
Mar-2019	\$35.53	\$40.20	\$37.38
Jun-2019	\$34.66	\$42.67	\$38.02
Sep-2019	\$36.56	\$42.81	\$38.82
Dec-2019	\$34.03	\$39.27	\$36.54
Mar-2020	\$34.51	\$51.13	\$37.96 🕇
Jun-2020	\$35.91	\$61.46	\$40.85 个
Sep-2020	\$39.00	\$60.30	\$43.69 个
Dec-2020	\$36.14	\$45.33	\$40.37

# NEO | Claims Data Tracker

### **Claims Index versus company reported volume**



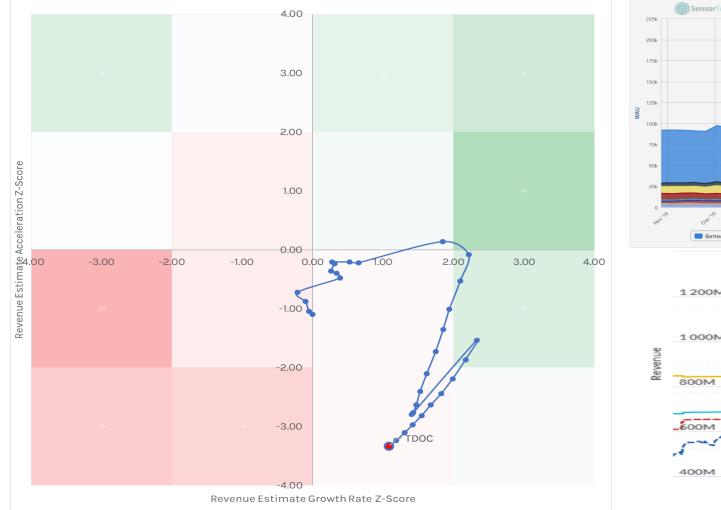
"Based on current trends, we now expect to report organic revenue growth in excess of 20% for quarter 3. This growth will be driven by a combination of modest year-over-year organic revenue growth in core oncology testing as well as a boost from COVID-19 testing." -2Q20 Earnings Call

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# TDOC 3Q20 | COVID-19 Re-Accelerating



### Weekly Users remains strong for BetterHelp

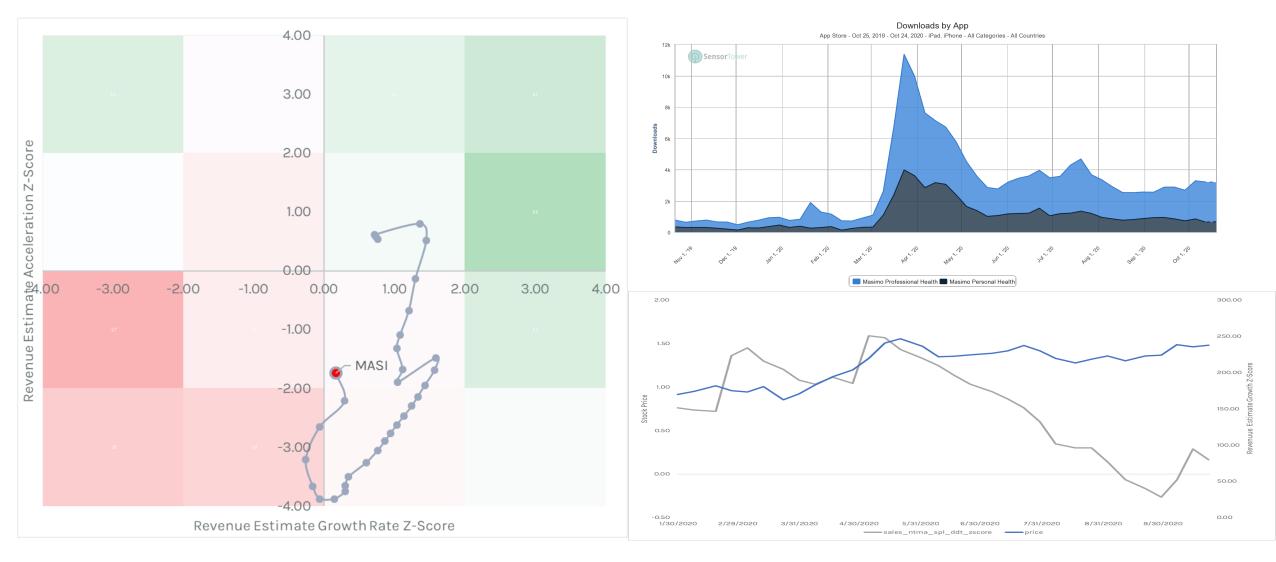




# MASI 3Q20 | COVID-19, CapEx, Commodity

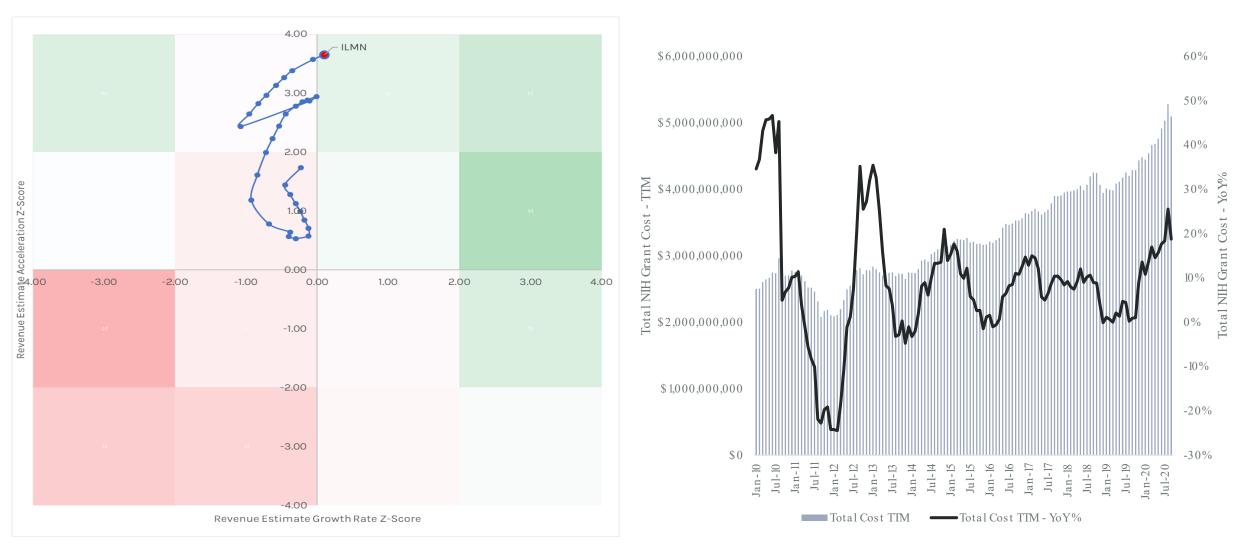


### App downloads sequentially flat, positive year over year, COVID is a tailwind vs Hospital Capex



# ILMN 3Q20 | NIH Tailwind

### Capital raising in 'Genomics' and strong NIH grant trend, Grail/Galleri questions building



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