

For Immediate Release:

July 22, 2013

Contact:

HyGen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. 425-451-9178 or info@hygenpharma.com

HyGen Pharmaceuticals - Eastside's 3rd Fastest Growing Company

2013 List Released by Puget Sound Business Journal

Redmond, WA: HyGen Pharmaceuticals, Redmond based national distributor of generic prescription pharmaceuticals and over the counter products has once again been named as the Fastest Growing Private Companies by the Puget Sound Business Journal and ranked third among a list of the top 50 fastest growing companies in the Eastside. Established in 1993, the company excels in providing high quality generic pharmaceuticals at low prices. HyGen is a nationwide distributor of generics to independents, mail order, long term care, small chains and other types of pharmacies.

"It is an honor to be recognized by the Puget Sound Business Journal," said Nishit Mehta, CEO HyGen Pharmaceuticals. "This accolade is a tribute to our hard working team and our ongoing efforts to excel in customer service, technology, and innovation."

Companies that have made significant contributions to the region's economy and have achieved noteworthy revenue growth are selected by the Puget Sound Business Journal to be honored as the 50 Eastside Fastest Growing Companies. HyGen is an Inc.500 company, and was awarded the Minority Business of the Year Award by the University of Washington. The company has experienced tremendous growth over the last two years and expects to keep the pace in the coming years. In the past year, HyGen moved its headquarters from Bellevue to

Redmond to a new state of the art warehouse and office and has made substantial investments in highly automated systems to increase the company's distribution capabilities. The company has also expanded staffing at its headquarters and continues to increase its product and customer base.

HyGen is committed to leading the way to a secure drug supply chain and is one of the first and only independently owned pharmaceutical distributors to practice uni-directional flow of prescription drugs within the pharmaceutical supply chain. HyGen has implemented a sophisticated enterprise resource planning (ERP) system and deployed warehouse management systems (WMS) that include tracking of lot numbers and expiration dates, online pedigrees, electronic data interchange (EDI) and automated controls at every level in the operational process. HyGen continues to innovate at a rapid pace and is currently looking to expand.

The Fastest Growing Private companies program was launched in 1995 by the Puget Sound Business Journal to identify and recognize companies speeding to the top of their industries, with an additional program recognizing Eastside companies added in 2010. To be eligible, companies must have at least 500,000 in net revenues and show overall growth.

For more information on HyGen Pharmaceuticals, visit hygenpharma.com.

###