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## **ProTrials Cracks the Top Ten in Silicon Valley's Women-Owned Businesses Ranking**

*Company jumps to seventh based on increased revenues*

**Mountain View, CA – July 16, 2008** – ProTrials Research, Inc.<sup>TM</sup>, a leader in the clinical research organization industry, today announced the *Silicon Valley/San Jose Business Journal* has chosen it as one of the area's Top 50 Women-Owned Businesses for 2008. ProTrials placed seventh on the list that ranks area public and private women-owned companies according to revenue.

“Jumping from number nine on last year's list to seventh this year correlates to ProTrials' accelerated business momentum and its ability to achieve significant milestones,” commented Jodi Andrews, ProTrials co-founder and CEO. “Our commitment to providing the best clinical trial services to our clients is key to this growth, and has resulted in higher visibility and increased sales. We are pleased that the *Silicon Valley/San Jose Business Journal* continues to recognize ProTrials' success.”

ProTrials is the only clinical research organization to make the *Silicon Valley/San Jose Business Journal* top 50 and is one of only a handful of women-owned and operated CROs worldwide. It recently attained certification by the Women's Business Enterprise National Council, an elite group of women-owned and operated businesses. In 2007, ProTrials achieved a ranking on the Inc. 5000, a list that recognizes the fastest-growing private companies in the United States.

### **About ProTrials Research, Inc.**

Founded in 1996, ProTrials Research, Inc. is a specialized clinical research organization (CRO) with regional clinical research associates and project managers based throughout North America, Canada, and Europe. The company works with clients in the pharmaceutical, biotechnology and medical device industries, providing cost-effective site monitoring, project management and associated clinical operations services. ProTrials is headquartered in Mountain View, California. For more information, visit [www.protrials.com](http://www.protrials.com) or call (650) 864-9180.

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