



## **Charles River Laboratories to Present at Thomas Weisel Healthcare Conference**

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WILMINGTON, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Sept. 5, 2006--Charles River Laboratories International, Inc. (NYSE: CRL) announced today that Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer James C. Foster will present at the Thomas Weisel Partners Healthcare Conference in Boston, on Thursday, September 7th, at 10:20 a.m. ET.

A live webcast of the presentation will be available through a link that will be posted on the Investor Relations section of the Charles River Laboratories website, <http://ir.criver.com>. A webcast replay will be accessible through the same website approximately three hours after the presentation and will remain available through September 14, 2006.

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