

# Avacta Group PLC

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## Avacta firmly focused on first-in-human Affimer therapeutic trial

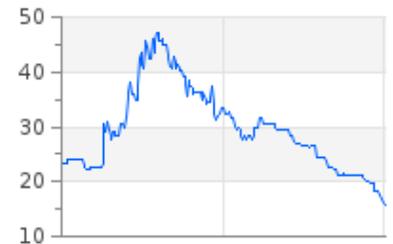
Alastair Smith, chief executive of Avacta Group PLC (LON:AVCT) tells Proactive London's Andrew Scott all is on track to begin a Phase I clinical trial of its first Affimer therapeutic candidate next year.

The company is soon to start manufacturing its PD-L1 inhibitor - called AVA004-251 - which will then allow it to file a clinical trial application, asking regulators to let it test the drug on humans.

**Price:** 16.25

**Market Cap:** £18.88 m

### 1 Year Share Price Graph



October 2018    April 2019    October 2019

### Share Information

**Code:** AVCT

**Listing:** AIM

<b>52 week</b>	<b>High</b>	<b>Low</b>
	49.8	15.5

**Sector:** Pharma & Biotech

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

### Company Synopsis:

At Avacta we have developed Affimer technology, an engineered alternative to antibodies. Based on a small protein, Affimer technology can be quickly developed to bind with high specificity and affinity to a wide range of targets. Affimer proteins can be developed as therapeutic molecules and can be used in a wide range of other life sciences applications in research and diagnostics.

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