# Brompton Global Healthcare Income & Growth ETF

# TSX:HIG

# **FUND PROFILE**

AS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

TSX Symbol	CAD Hedge	d HIG		
	USD	HIG.U		
CUSIP	HIG	11222T105		
	HIG.U	11222T204		
Inception Date	HIG	Sept. 24 , 2015		
	HIG.U	Aug. 12, 2019		
NAV	HIG	\$9.15		
	HIG.U	\$9.36		
Distribution Rate <sup>1</sup>	HIG	6.6%		
	HIG.U	6.3%		
Distribution Frequ	Monthly			
Total Assets		\$52 million		
Management Fee		0.75%		
Management Styl	nagement Style Actively Managed			
Manager/PM	Brompton Funds Limited			
Registered Account Eligibility Yes				
Risk Rating		Medium		

# THIS ETF IS FOR INVESTORS WHO ARE:

- Seeking capital appreciation
- Seeking enhanced income and lower
  volatility through covered call strategies
- Comfortable with equity risk

ESG SCORE<sup>2</sup>

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# **Overview**

This ETF provides high monthly distributions and the opportunity for capital appreciation through an investment in an actively managed portfolio of large cap global Healthcare companies selected by Brompton, complemented by a proprietary covered call options program.

Our PM team first uses top-down analysis to identify attractive sub-sectors. Rigorous fundamental analysis focuses the portfolio on 15 to 30 global Healthcare companies which offer a combination of growth and value characteristics. The PMs then actively set the level of covered call writing (up to a maximum of 33%), with the goal of optimizing distributable cash and total returns while reducing portfolio volatility.

# **Investment Highlights: Healthcare Sector**

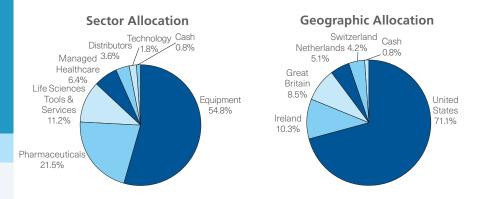
Strong historical earnings growth and stable relative share performance.

Under-represented sector in the Canadian equity market; diversification benefits.

#### Long term trends are supportive of healthcare equities:

- **Demographics:** Aging world population is expected to result in increased demand for healthcare products and services
- Emerging Markets: Rising incomes should lead to higher healthcare spending
- Innovation: Opening up new frontiers for services, equipment and therapies
- Mergers & Acquisitions: Potential for added value for investors

# Portfolio: September 30, 2019



Top 10 Holdings % of Po	
Zoetis Inc.	5.8%
Danaher Corp.	5.6%
Edwards LifeSciences Corp.	5.3%
Steris PLC	5.2%
Medtronic PLC	5.2%
Stryker Corp.	5.1%
Koninklijke Philips N.V.	5.1%
Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.	5.0%
Abbott Laboratories	4.9%
Boston Scientific	4.7%
Total	51.9%

# Portfolio Manager and Manager: Brompton Funds Limited



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Michael Clare BComm (Hons), CPA, CA, CFA Vice President and Portfolio Manager Brompton Funds, a division of Brompton Group which was founded in 2000, is an experienced investment fund manager with over \$2 billion in assets under management<sup>3</sup>. Brompton's investment solutions include TSX listed closed-end funds and exchange-traded funds.

### Historical Performance: September 30, 2019

Annual Compound Returns <sup>4</sup>	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	Since Inception
Brompton Global Healthcare Income & Growth ETF	13.3%	2.9%	7.4%	6.3%
MSCI World Health Care Index	8.9%	(1.3%)	8.6%	6.8%
S&P/TSX Composite Index	19.1%	7.1%	7.4%	8.9%

<sup>(1)</sup> Distribution rate is based on market price on September 30, 2019. Source: Thomson Reuters.

<sup>(2)</sup> Source: Thomson Reuters as at September 30, 2019. Reflects the weighted average ESG Score of the companies held in the portfolio. The ESG Score is an overall score of a company based on the reported information in the environmental, social and corporate governance pillars. Letter grades range from D-for the lowest ESG scores to A+ for the highest scores. See https://www.refinitiv.com/content/dam/marketing/en\_us/documents/methodology/esg-scores-methodology.pdf for more information.

<sup>(3)</sup> Please visit www.bromptongroup.com for further information.

<sup>(4)</sup>Returns are for the periods ended September 30, 2019. The following table shows the ETF's compound return compared for each period indicated compared with the MSCI World Health Care Index ("Health Care Index") and the S&P/TSX Composite Index ("Composite Index"). The Health Care Index represents the healthcare industry group of the MSCI World Index. The Composite Index tracks the performance, on a market weight basis, of a broad index of large-capitalization issuers listed on the TSX. The ETF's portfolio is expected to invest in at least 15 healthcare companies. It is not expected that the ETF's performance will mirror that of the benchmark indices, since the Health Care Index contains a substantially larger number of companies and the Composite Index is more diversified across multiple industries. Further, the benchmark indices are calculated without the deduction of management fees, fund expenses and trading expenses, whereas the performance of the ETF is calculated after deducting such fees and expenses.

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