

UNITED STATES  
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**SCHEDULE 14A**

**Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Amendment No. )**

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Preliminary Proxy Statement

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Definitive Proxy Statement

Definitive Additional Materials

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**CORTEXYME, INC.**  
**(Name of Registrant as Specified In Its Charter)**

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Stockholder Meeting of

# CORTEXYME, INC.

To Be Held On:

June 8, 2020, at 11:00 A.M. local time

via live webcast at <https://web.lumiagm.com/102990699>

COMPANY NUMBER	
ACCOUNT NUMBER	
CONTROL NUMBER	

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting.

If you want to receive a paper or e-mail copy of the proxy materials you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. To facilitate timely delivery please make the request as instructed below before 5/29/20.

Please visit <http://www.astproxyportal.com/ast/22818>, where the following materials are available for view:

- Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders
- Proxy Statement
- Form of Electronic Proxy Card
- Annual Report on Form 10-K

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ONLINE: To access your online proxy card, please visit [www.voteproxy.com](http://www.voteproxy.com) and follow the on-screen instructions or scan the QR code with your smartphone. You may enter your voting instructions at [www.voteproxy.com](http://www.voteproxy.com) up until 11:59 PM Eastern Time the day before the cut-off or meeting date.

VIRTUALLY AT THE MEETING: Access "<https://web.lumiagm.com/102990699>" password: `cortexyme2020` (case sensitive) and follow the on screen instructions. Have your notice available when you access the web page, and use the Company Number and Account Number shown above.

TELEPHONE: To vote by telephone, please visit [www.voteproxy.com](http://www.voteproxy.com) to view the materials and to obtain the toll free number to call.

MAIL: You may request a card by following the instructions above.

1. To elect two Class I directors to hold office until the 2023 annual meeting of stockholders or until their respective successors are elected and qualified:

**NOMINEES:**

Margaret A. McLoughlin, Ph.D.  
Una Ryan, OBE, Ph.D.

2. To ratify the appointment of BDO USA, LLP as the independent registered public accounting firm of the Company for its fiscal year ending December 31, 2020.

**Note:** The proxies are authorized to vote in their discretion upon such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

Our Board of Directors recommends that you vote **FOR** the election of the director nominees named in Proposal One of the Proxy Statement and **FOR** the ratification of the appointment of BDO USA, LLP as our independent registered public accounting firm as described in Proposal Two of the Proxy Statement.

Please note that you cannot use this notice to vote by mail.

