



Cooperation with IVF Hartmann: Speed Care Mineral GmbH expands tactical operations medicine portfolio

Through the production and distribution of special pressure bandages such as the HARTMANN TRAUMA BANDAGE, IVF HARTMANN is one of the few recognized Swiss experts in the application field of tactical emergency medicine. Speed Care Mineral GmbH is a young German company with expertise in the field of hemostasis, especially in preclinical emergency care. Therefore, both companies have decided to cooperate in the field of tactical emergency medicine.

«The HARTMANN TRAUMA BANDAGE and the SpeedM[®] emergency haemostatic dressing from Speed Care Mineral are unique in their areas of application and complement each other perfectly. Both products were developed with the requirements of combat casualty care in mind. In combination, they offer our customers a high-quality and substantial portfo-lio in Tactical Combat Casualty Care», explains Mathias Weber, Sales and Marketing Mana-ger at IVF HARTMANN.

For the time being, the two companies will support each other in developing the market and conduct joint marketing activities. Speed Care Mineral GmbH and IVF HARTMANN AG are striving for ambitious growth targets in the market for tactical emergency medicine.

The market for products for tactical emergency medicine is a dynamic growth market. The wounded are treated under challenging conditions and are usually not treated by nurses and doctors, but by soldiers or first responders who are exposed to very high physical and psychological stress. The demands placed on the products therefore differ from those used in traditional human medicine. The care of life-threatening hemorrhages is in the foreground. Emergency hemostasis compresses and pressure bandages are therefore among the most widely used products in the field of tactical emergency medicine.

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About Speed Care Mineral GmbH

Speed Care Mineral GmbH is a high-tech company based in Neubrandenburg, Germany, that conducts research into mineralogical technologies for hemostasis. The company uses its knowledge of halloysite primarily for the development, production and sale of medical products in the field of hemostasis. The company uses its knowledge of halloysite primarily for the development, production and distribution of hemostasis medical products, but also provides valuable enabling technologies to other life science manufacturers. Development and production for global distribution take place 100% at sites in Germany. For more information go to: http://speedcaremineral.de/

About the IVF HARTMANN Group

IVF HARTMANN is one of the leading Swiss companies in the field of medical consumables with headquarters in Neuhausen am Rheinfall. Since 1993, it has been part of the international HARTMANN GROUP based in Heidenheim, Germany, and employs around 300 people. The broad product range includes high-quality products for wound treatment (including tactical emergency medicine), incontinence care, surgical supplies and disinfection, as well as first aid and home care products. Other product segments such as absorbent cotton and plasters containing active ingredients are also offered. For more information go to: <u>www.ivf.hartmann.info</u>

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