

## Press Release

# More Space at the Bio Business Park

## **Gemünden-based pharmaceutical and medtech service provider Activoris moves into new production building.**

Gemünden (Wohra), February 23, 2020 - Activoris Medizintechnik GmbH and GS Bio-Inhalation GmbH today announced the expansion of production and packaging capacities at the Gemünden (Wohra) site.

In recent years, Activoris has established itself as a competent partner for diagnostics and pharmaceutical companies in the field of contract packaging. Every day, several thousand diagnostic kits are packaged here, stored in a cool place and made ready for shipment.

Dr. Thomas Julien, Head of the Diagnostics & Pharma Services business unit: "Alongside the development of innovative medical products, contract packaging has become a mainstay of our business. As a dynamic partner to large companies, we handle orders competently, flexibly and quickly."

Investigational drugs for clinical trials also go from Gemünden to all of Europe. Activoris procures drugs for research companies, stores them and supplies study centers, for example in ophthalmology, for lung diseases or in pain therapy. The establishment of a sterile filling facility for clinical trial samples is under preparation.

For the realization of the building project, the long-standing cooperation with GS Bio-Inhalation was used. The company of the well-known aerosol specialist Dr. Gerhard Scheuch operates the Bio Business Park and also constructed the new production building. "Sustainable construction was very important to me here. We were able to show that medtech requirements can be realized with an innovative construction method," says Scheuch.



In the fresh air: the Activoris management team around the builder. From left to right: Axel Fischer, Dr. Stefan Degenhardt, Dr. Gerhard Scheuch (GS Bio-Inhalation), Dr. Thomas Julien, Günter Mahn.



A greeting also comes from Wiesbaden: Dr. Rainer Waldschmidt, who grew up in the region and is head of economic development for the state of Hessen, would have liked to come himself for the opening. Corona, however, is forcing everyone to reduce contacts. "Such positive news makes us happy, of course, especially at the present time. We accompany the development of the Gemünden entrepreneurs for a long time and wish the aspiring companies much success in the future. ", says Waldschmidt.

### **About Activoris Medizintechnik GmbH**

Activoris Medizintechnik GmbH in Gemünden (Wohra) is a service company for contract manufacturing, medtech development and strategic consulting for companies in the life science and pharmaceutical industry. The customers are established companies as well as innovative startups from the biotech, medtech and pharma industry. Activoris' outsourcing services enable them to achieve greater flexibility, cost efficiency and faster market access.

Activoris operates locations in Gemünden (Wohra) and Schwalmstadt.

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### **About GS Bio-Inhalation GmbH**

GS Bio-Inhalation GmbH consults in the field of inhaled drug delivery and aerosol medicine. Dr. Gerhard Scheuch worked for 18 years at Helmholtz Zentrum Munich and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on research into the effects of inhaled aerosols on the lungs. He published well over 150 articles in the field of aerosol research (aerosols play a critical role in corona virus infection). Scheuch was president of the International Society for Aerosols in Medicine (ISAM). He has received research awards from the American Association for Aerosol Research (AAAR) and ISAM.

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