



Press release

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Bactiguard wins tender for Stockholm

Bactiguard has won a tender for urinary catheters for the Stockholm county council, which enables healthcare providers in both primary and secondary care to purchase Bactiguards' anti-infective urinary catheters. The contract is valid for 2 years and can be extended for another 2 years.

"The Stockholm county council is Sweden's largest region and this is the largest tender for urinary catheters in the country. Several other regions have already included our products in their tenders, and the fact that Stockholm now also has taken this decision is an important milestone and acknowledgement of our work in Sweden" says Nina Nilsson, SVP Sales and Marketing at Bactiguard.

"It is also positive that the tender covers both primary and secondary care, as many long-term catheterized patients move between the two. This way, patients who have received Bactiguard catheters at the hospital, can continue using them after they have been discharged."

The contract runs for two years from 6 November, 2017 and comprises BIP Foley Catheter in latex, BIP Foley Catheter Silicone and BIP Foley Tiemann.

In accordance with Swedish tender law, the Stockholm county council will execute the formal contract once the appeal period has expired, on 29 May 2017.

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About Bactiguard

Bactiguard is a Swedish medtech company with a global presence, offering a solution that prevents healthcare associated infections caused by medical devices. By preventing infections, we contribute to a reduced use of antibiotics and the spread of multi-resistant bacteria, which is a growing problem worldwide. We save lives, increase patient safety and significantly reduce the cost for the healthcare and society. Our technology is well-proven, safe and tissue friendly and consist of a thin layer of noble metals that prevents bacterial growth. The coating can be applied on almost all medical devices. Bactiguard-coated urinary catheters are market leading in the US and Japan and the company has also its own product portfolio consisting of Foley catheters, central venous catheters and endotracheal tubes. Bactiguard is a growth company, focused on markets in Europe, Middle East, Asia and Latin America. The company has about 60 employees worldwide, mainly at the headquarters in Stockholm and the production facility in Malaysia and is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm. Read more about Bactiguard at www.bactiguard.com