



Press Release

100 new jobs: Freudenberg expands medical device manufacturing at Galway site

16 million catheters per year to be produced on 20,000 square meters at two sites in Ireland

More than 1000 employees in Ireland

CEO Dr Mohsen Sohi opens expanded site



are creating 100 new jobs at our expanded Freudenberg Medical site in Galway to support our future growth."

Dr Mark Ostwald, CEO of Freudenberg Medical, added: "Ireland is strategically important within our global manufacturing network. The country is a world leader in the life sciences sector and is seen as the epitome of excellence and innovation in medical devices. By investing in our new, expanded site and growing our team, we are building on our 25-year history and strengthening our presence in Ireland-wide."

Freudenberg Medical employs more than 1,000 people in Ireland and has a total production area of 20,000 square metres at its plants in Galway and Co. Leitrim. Together, the Irish operations manufacture more than 16 million complex catheters per year, serving a global customer base. Freudenberg Medical has sites in major medical technology centres in the USA, Europe, Asia and Costa Rica. The Irish sites were originally established as joint venture partnerships with Cambus Medical and VistaMed, which have now been integrated into Freudenberg Medical. The business group generated sales of around 327 million euros last year.

Steven Langan, Vice President and General Manager of Freudenberg Medical's Galway site, said, "The continued success and accelerated growth of our Galway site is a testament to our talented



seals, vibration control components, batteries and fuel cells, technical textiles, filters, cleaning technologies and products, specialty chemicals and medical products.

Innovation strength, strong customer orientation, diversity, and team spirit are the cornerstones of the Group. The 170-year-old company lives by its core values: a commitment to excellence, reliability and pro-active, responsible action. In 2022, the Freudenberg Group employed over 51,000 people in around 60

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About Freudenberg Medical

Freudenberg Medical is an innovative partner for the design, development and manufacture of medical devices and components that play a critical role in a variety of medical and pharmaceutical applications. With 11 manufacturing operations and more than 2,500 associates worldwide, Freudenberg Medical offers a wide range of capabilities for minimally invasive medical devices from complex catheters, hypotubes, needles, and balloons, to advanced drug/device