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New Evita Infinity V500 for Critical Care Ventilation

Wide range of treatment options to manage the needs of most any acutely ill patient

Telford, PA – Dräger Medical Systems, Inc., US headquarters of Dräger Medical AG & Co. KG, an international leader in the fields of medical and safety technology and a worldwide leader in mechanical ventilation, announced today that it has received 510(k) clearance from the FDA to market the Evita Infinity V500 in the US. The ventilator is Dräger’s latest and most advanced product in its ventilator product line.

The Evita Infinity V500 ventilator offers the latest technology in mechanical ventilation for critically ill or injured adult, pediatric, and neonatal patients. Its versatility and range of operation is well suited for acute care facilities as well as university medical centers.

The Evita Infinity V500 is a highly advanced ventilation unit for use in modern, acute care respiratory support. High-performance invasive and non-invasive ventilation, comprehensive monitoring and treatment functions, effective O₂-therapy – the V500 delivers advanced care to patients of all ages and acuity levels, including neonates.

“The V500 was developed in consultation with key physicians and respiratory therapists alike to offer clinicians a wide array of ventilation therapies required for critical care. Improvements in daily workflow, safety in the ICU, ease of use, and patient comfort are all realized with this new ventilator,” said Ed Coombs, MA RRT and Associate Director of Marketing for Respiratory Care Systems at Dräger Medical, Inc.

With a company-wide focus to provide exceptional product support services, Dräger customers will continue to receive support from both our field support teams and Intensive Care Online Network (ICON).

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Dräger Medical AG & Co. KG is the manufacturer of the Evita Infinity V500.

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The Drägerwerk AG & Co. KGaA is an international leader in the fields of medical and safety technology. Dräger products protect, support and save lives. Founded in 1889, in 2009 Dräger generated revenues of around EUR 1.9 billion. The Dräger Group is currently present in more than 190 countries and has about 11,000 employees worldwide. Please visit www.draeger.com for more information.

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