

Other news to note

Earlysense Inc., of Ramat Gan, Israel, reported new orders for the company's medical systems grew more than 400 percent in 2017 compared to 2016. Additionally, Earlysense almost tripled the number of beds being monitored at the end of 2017 compared to the total combined number of beds in the previous 12 years since the company's founding. Earlysense estimates that its installed systems helped global medical institutions collectively save more than \$100 million in 2017.

Helius Medical Technologies Inc., of Newton, Pa., together with the U.S. Army Research Laboratory (ARL), has executed a Cooperative Research and Development Agreement establishing a platform for collaborative research programs. Subsequently, Helius and ARL executed a Joint Work Statement, launching a research program to investigate Helius' Portable Neuromodulation Stimulator for the enhancement of cognitive, emotional and physical readiness and response through mindfulness and meditation training.

Launchpad Medical LLC, of Lowell, Mass., said it has successfully used his Tetranite in animal testing to stabilize dental implants, and also for multiple orthopedic uses such as spinal fusion and bone fracture repair in the cranium and extremities. Launchpad Medical's new Tetranite biomaterial is the subject of a cell culture experiment – in space and on earth – with the results to compare any differences in key biomarkers linked to new bone generation. This experiment is studying the impact of Tetranite on bone generating cells called "osteoblasts" and how they produce new bone in a microgravity environment that simulates the conditions to cause osteoporosis.

Precision Nanosystems Inc., of Vancouver, is providing the Nanoassemblr technology as part of a collaboration with The Cancer Center at Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center and the recently opened Non-Coding RNA Precision Diagnostics

and Therapeutics Core Facility. This new facility is dedicated to the study of non-coding RNAs, which play an important role in regulating gene expression and are important for understanding, detecting, and treating disease.

Appointments and advancements

Pompano Beach, Fla.-based **Biostem Technologies Inc.**, a pharmaceuticals and regenerative medicine company, reported Jennie Sandqvist has joined the company's board of directors and audit committee. Sandqvist is a neurologist in Sweden, but maintains a residence in Ft. Lauderdale and has served as a shareholder and advisor to the company for more than a year.

St. Paul, Minn.-based **Cardiovascular Systems Inc.** an interventional peripheral and coronary artery disease treatment medical device company, appointed Rhonda Robb as COO. She will report to Scott Ward, CSI chairman, president and CEO. Robb brings experience in transcatheter and surgical valve businesses where she built teams, product portfolios, and worked to improve patient care.

CHF Solutions Inc., of Eden Prairie, Minn., appointed Vitaliy Epshteyn as vice president, operations and engineering. Epshteyn brings two decades of leadership, management, and engineering experience in the medical device and related industry. Epshteyn holds two U.S. patents for manufacturing methods and medical device development.

Our email address has changed!

Send your feedback and story ideas to newsdesk@bioworldmedtech.com

BioWorld MedTech

BioWorld MedTech (ISSN# 1541-0617) is published every business day by Clarivate Analytics.

Opinions expressed are not necessarily those of this publication. Mention of products or services does not constitute endorsement.

© 2018 Clarivate Analytics. All rights reserved. Republication or redistribution of Clarivate Analytics content, including by framing or similar means, is prohibited without the prior written consent of Clarivate Analytics. Clarivate and its logo are trademarks of the Clarivate Analytics group. (GST Registration Number R128870672)

Our newsroom

Lynn Yoffee (News Director), Holland Johnson (Executive Editor), Mark McCarty (Regulatory Editor), Andrea Gonzalez (Production Editor)

Staff writers: Omar Ford, Katie Pfaff, Bernard Banga, John Brosky, David Godkin, Stacy Lawrence, Alfred Romann, Tamra Sami

Business office

John Borgman, Director of Commercial Competitive Intelligence,
Donald R. Johnston, Senior Marketing Communication Director, Life Sciences

Contact us

newsdesk@bioworldmedtech.com

John Borgman, (831) 462 2510 | Donald R. Johnston, (678) 641-0970 | Lynn Yoffee, (770) 361-4789 | Holland Johnson, (470) 252-8448 | Andrea Gonzalez, (470) 236-3994 | Omar Ford, (770) 342-8468 | Mark McCarty, (703) 966-3694 | Katie Pfaff, (267) 270-7054

Practical information

For Sales Inquiries: <http://clarivate.com/products/bioworld-medtech>. NORTH AMERICA, Tel: +1-855-260-5607. Outside of the U.S. and Canada, Tel. +44-203-684-1797. For Customer Service Inquiries, NORTH AMERICA, Tel: +1-800-336-4474. Outside of the U.S. and Canada, Tel. +44-203-684-1796.

For ad rates & information, contact Chris Venezia toll free at (855) 260-5607 or, outside the U.S. and Canada, at (646) 522-6243, email christopher.venezia@clarivate.com.

For photocopy rights or reprints, please contact Chris Venezia toll free at (855) 260-5607 or, outside the U.S. and Canada, at (646) 522-6243, or by email at christopher.venezia@clarivate.com.

Send all press releases and related information to newsdesk@bioworldmedtech.com.

