

Press Release

Heraeus Medical Expands Strategic Business Unit with Resorbable Biomaterials for Use in Regenerative Orthopedics – First presentation of "heracure" at DKOU 2025

Wehrheim, October 21, 2025 – With the acquisition of INNOTERE GmbH, Heraeus Medical, a leading manufacturer of bone cements and biomaterials for orthopedics and trauma surgery, expands its existing business and adds resorbable biomaterials for bone regeneration to its product portfolio.

The newly introduced brand by Heraeus Medical named "heracure" currently comprises two products: heracure one and heracure 3D. Both products will be presented for the first time by Heraeus Medical at the DKOU 2025 in Berlin at the Heraeus Medical company booth.

These products are innovative calcium phosphate-based biomaterials for bone substitution, which can be applied or filled into existing non-infected and non-load-bearing bone defects. The lead product, heracure *one*, is a paste prefilled in an application syringe and ready to use without any additional preparation steps. heracure 3D are small-sized shaped bodies of various sizes and designs, based on the heracure one paste and produced through a patented 3D printing process. Both products are fully MDR-certified.

The products are developed and manufactured by INNOTERE GmbH, based in Radebeul, Germany. The integration of INNOTERE into Heraeus Medical GmbH began at the start of 2025 and has consecutively been completed in the last months. INNOTERE will continue to operate from its location in Radebeul.

"With INNOTERE, we have found an ideal platform to continue our growth trajectory, whose high-quality, innovative product portfolio meets the essential needs of today's orthopedic patients and supports individualized therapy approaches," explains Andrew Williamson, Co-President of Heraeus Medical. "By complementing our proven product portfolio — bone cements for arthroplasty surgery — with the new product segment of resorbable biomaterials, we underscore our commitment to developing pioneering products that enable excellent treatment outcomes and foster growth in key therapeutic areas. Above all, we are delighted to welcome the entire INNOTERE team — highly skilled experts with extensive know-how in resorbable biomaterials — who will enrich Heraeus Medical's innovative strength. For the future, our joint goal with INNOTERE is to strengthen our competence and knowledge in the field of resorbable materials and to continuously expand our expertise in this area."

"We at INNOTERE are also very excited about the partnership we have joined with Heraeus Medical and look forward with great anticipation to the future paths we can now take together to improve therapy options in orthopedics and traumatology in the long term," adds Sascha Heinemann, Managing Director of INNOTERE. "Heraeus Medical's strong expertise in the training and education of orthopaedic surgeons, its extensive sales structure, and established market position make the company the ideal partner for INNOTERE to grow together and actively shape the development of innovative medical products for regenerative orthopedics."

Further information on the availability of heracure will be announced in due course.

heracure at DKOU 2025

heracure one and heracure 3D will be presented under the new brand name for the first time by Heraeus Medical at DKOU 2025 in Berlin at the Heraeus Medical company booth. Visit us at booth **B93**, **Level 2**.

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About Heraeus

Heraeus is a globally active, family-owned technology group. Based in Hanau, Germany, the company comprises 15 operating companies whose products and services span the Business Areas of Metals & Recycling, Healthcare, Semiconductor & Electronics, and Industrials. In fiscal year 2024, Heraeus generated revenues of €29.4 billion and employed roughly 15,200 people across 40 countries. This makes Heraeus one of the top ten largest family-owned enterprises in Germany. With deep expertise in advanced materials, Heraeus is a leader across key global industries. The group ranks among the foremost providers of precious metals, supplies quartz glass for the semiconductor and telecommunications sectors, and manufactures sensors for the steel industry. In addition, its materials and technologies for medical technology help improve the quality of life for millions of people worldwide. Innovation is the central driver of Heraeus's success. Each year, six percent of revenues (based on revenues excluding precious metals) are reinvested into research and development. Beyond that, the company partners with leading research and educational institutions around the world. At Heraeus, growth and sustainability go hand in hand: the company designs its own processes to conserve resources and supports its customers in operating more sustainably with innovative materials and solutions. The group's roots trace back to 1660, when Isaac Heraeus took over a pharmacy in Hanau. Since then, the company has stood for technological progress, sustainable growth, and responsible conduct — across generations.

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About Heraeus Medical

Heraeus Medical is a leader in the field of bone cements and biomaterials for surgical orthopedics and trauma surgery. In this way, the company makes a decisive contribution to supporting the surgeon and the surgical team to improving the surgical outcome. The core product PALACOS® is considered the gold standard among bone cements and has proven itself in clinical use with over 40 million procedures worldwide. Heraeus Medical is regularly recognized for its sustainability efforts and innovation initiatives. In 2024, the company once again received EcoVadis Gold status, and in 2025 for the third consecutive time the award as one of Germany's most innovative companies in the field of medical technology.

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