

## Press Release

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### **Getinge Group partner in ‘Value-based Healthcare’ Executive Seminar, hosted by Business Sweden and The Swedish Embassy in France**

Getinge Group announces today its partnership in the ‘Value-based healthcare’ Executive Seminar, organised by Business Sweden in collaboration with The Swedish Embassy in France. This prestigious event will take place at the Cercle Suédois in Paris on June 13<sup>th</sup> and is planned in conjunction with an official visit to France by the Swedish Minister for Health Care, Public Health and Sport, Mr. Gabriel Wikström.

The seminar is gathering key stakeholders from the healthcare sector in France and Sweden, policymakers, patient associations and management of pharmaceutical and medical technology companies, and will provide a forum to exchange best practice and strengthen the dialogue regarding the important field of value-based healthcare. Both France and Sweden share similar challenges and opportunities within healthcare and through presentations and informative panel discussions, this event will enable the participants to discuss and debate such topics as health outcomes, increasing efficiency and innovation through collaboration.

Stéphane Le Roy, Managing Director France/President South Europe Getinge Group commented, ‘We are proud to be partnering with Business Sweden and the Embassy to organize this event. Getinge Group, headquartered in Sweden, has a high successful presence in France since the 1980s, partnering with healthcare providers and research institutions. We employ 1400 people and operate 4 manufacturing plants in the country, exporting innovative medical technology solutions worldwide. This French-Swedish executive seminar is an ideal collaboration opportunity whereby our mix of cultures and expertise come together. Exchanging with key healthcare stakeholders from both countries will be extremely informative and beneficial”.

#### **About Getinge Group**

Getinge Group is a leading global provider of innovative solutions for operating rooms, intensive-care units, Hospital wards, sterilization departments, elderly care and for life science companies and institutions. With genuine passion for life we build quality and safety into every system. Our unique value proposition mirrors the continuum of care, enhancing efficiency throughout the clinical pathway. Based on our first-hand experience and close partnerships, we are able to exceed expectations from customers – improving the every-day life for people, today and tomorrow.

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