



## These are the issues we keep an eye on for you:

- · What is the status of nosocomial infections?
- Which new pathogens pose challenges for us?
- What part do multidrug-resistant organisms play?
- Which coordinated measures can support you in your daily hygiene routine?

### You can find answers to these questions on our website:

- technical articles on hygiene (hands & surfaces), skin antisepsis and reprocessing of medical devices
- hygiene management for infectious diseases
- pathogen search from A to Z
- FAQs from one practitioner to another
- concentrate calculator for preparation of ready-to-use solutions
- expert interviews
- and much more ...

Discover valuable hygiene know-how at www.hartmann-science-center.com

# Knowledge on all channels

### Science-based expertise for You

One of the main tasks of the HARTMANN SCIENCE CENTER is to support you in your everyday practice. For this purpose, we gathered a wealth of knowledge to share it with you through direct knowledge exchange, whether it is at international congresses and during our events or by telephone, e-mail and on our website.

Benefit from our scientific know-how.

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# HARTMANN **SCIENCE CENTER**

Established expertise in hygiene and infection prevention and control









# Driving force for the healthcare sector

Infectious diseases are the leading cause of death worldwide. Every year, illnesses caused by nosocomial infections generate financial losses of approximately 7 billion euros. About 30% of these infections could be prevented simply by improving hygiene measures.

Since 2011, the BODE SCIENCE CENTER-the HARTMANN GROUP's center of competence-has been providing scientific expertise on key hygiene and infection prevention and control topics. In focus: implementing effective strategies for surface and hand hygiene, skin antisepsis and the reprocessing of medical devices. New evidence-based strategies are being developed by our experts, in cooperation with leading researchers and as part of studies and other collaborations. Our new name, the HARTMANN SCIENCE CENTER, further demonstrates our shared mission and passion for an optimised and practice-oriented health and hygiene management.

#### Identifying and removing barriers to compliance

We will continue to research for better protection of patients and healthcare workers in the future. Hand hygiene is one of the most effective measures for the prevention of nosocomial infections – and one that can be implemented immediately. A crucial first step is identifying and eliminating the barriers to compliance.

## The pillars of the HARTMANN SCIENCE CENTERS

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Transfer

The latest scientific findings and trends set the pace for our experts to conduct relevant studies carried out in collaboration with renowned researchers

... that inspire our team to develop new standards for practice-oriented infection prevention measures ...

... this results in symposia with renowned representatives from research and practice as well as publications. For our magazine DISINFACTS, our newsletter as well as our web Knowledge portal with constantly updated expertise...

... These measures are explained using clear, highguality trainings and eLearning tools that help to **Trainings** overcome compliance barriers and integrate new standards into everyday practice. We also regularly contribute with up-to-date information on all aspects of infection prevention...



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...that we pass on over the phone or via e-mail. Over the past 10 years, our expert team has answered more than 100,000 guestions from professionals.

Our team in the SCIENCE CENTER advises users on

- hygiene management
- application of products
- prevention measures
- clinically relevant pathogens

## What questions do you have?

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