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Terumo Interventional System's new 2.4 French Progreat™ Microcatheter further enhances the Terumo embolotherapy solution.

Somerset, NJ – Known for providing physicians with interventional tools to improve procedural success, Terumo Interventional Systems has expanded its microcatheter line to include the .018" coil compatible Progreat 2.4 Fr Microcatheter.

"The 2.4 Fr Progreat Microcatheter provides greater capabilities in interventional procedures. With its optimal lumen size and sustainable lumen integrity, this new 2.4 Fr microcatheter delivers unsurpassed performance in the delivery of embolic agents, particularly .018" coils," said Susan Anderson, Marketing Manager for Terumo Interventional Systems' Lesion Access Team.

The entire Terumo Progreat product line, which includes the new 2.4 Fr Progreat Microcatheter, boasts a unique kink-resistant tungsten coil construction, which is ideal for maintaining luminal integrity and providing superior trackability. And with a polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) inner layer, the Progreat is optimal for the smooth delivery of embolics, such as coils and other agents.

When partnering the new 2.4 Fr Progreat Microcatheter with the AZUR™ Peripheral HydroCoil® Embolization System, this product solution offers clinicians superior performance for coil embolization procedures.

"By calling on the specific features of the Progreat Microcatheter to deliver the expanding technology of AZUR, physicians are able to experience efficiency and procedural success in the occlusion of challenging vascular lesions," Anderson added.

For more information, customers can contact Terumo Interventional Systems by calling its Inside Sales Customer Care Team at 800-862-4143 or by visiting www.terumo/is.com.

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Terumo Interventional Systems

Terumo Interventional Systems (TIS), a strategic business unit of Terumo Medical Corporation, directly markets a full line of guidewires, catheters, introducer sheaths, guiding sheaths and embolization products for use in a multitude of different interventional procedures.

Interventional Radiologists, Interventional Neuroradiologists, Interventional Cardiologists and Vascular Surgeons are among the medical professionals who depend upon TIS products to access and cross difficult-to-reach lesions thereby allowing therapeutic intervention in previously unreachable vascular beds.

Terumo Medical Corporation

Founded in 1972 as a Terumo Corporation subsidiary, Terumo Medical Corporation (TMC) develops, manufactures and markets high-quality medical devices used in a broad range of applications in numerous healthcare markets. TMC manufactures a broad portfolio of IV catheters and syringes, entry-site management products, and a line of sterile connection devices used in hospitals and blood banks worldwide.

Terumo Corporation

Tokyo-based Terumo Corporation is one of the world's leading medical device manufacturers with \$3.0 billion in sales and operations in more than 160 nations. Founded in 1921, the company develops, manufactures and distributes world-class medical devices including products for use in cardiothoracic surgery, interventional procedures, and transfusion medicine; the company also manufactures a broad array of syringe and hypodermic needle products for hospital and physician office use. Terumo contributes to society by providing valued products and services to the healthcare market and by responding to the needs of healthcare providers and the people they serve. Terumo Corporation's shares are listed on the first section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (No. 4543, Reuters symbol <4543.T>, or Bloomberg 4543:JP) and is a component of the Nikkei 225, Japan's leading stock index.

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