

AMERICHEM TO SHOWCASE ENGINEERED COMPOUNDS FOR THE MEDICAL MARKET AT NPE2018

CUYAHOGA FALLS, Ohio (May 3, 2018) – <u>Americhem</u>, a globally recognized designer and manufacturer of custom color masterbatch, functional additives, engineered compounds and performance technologies, will be displaying a selection of biocompatible (USP Class VI, ISO 10993) materials for medical device manufacturing in Booth S17031 at NPE2018, taking place from May 7–11 in Orlando, Florida.

Among the materials showcased will be Americhem's proprietary line of medical compounds, ColorRx®, which features pre-selected biocompatible resins and medical/FDA-compliant pigments and additives. The line is produced under the company's ISO 13485 manufacturing certificate and is available globally through certified Americhem facilities in the U.S. and Asia.

All of Americhem's engineered materials for medical device manufacturing are developed in collaboration with customers to address functional and aesthetic needs while meeting all biocompatibility requirements. These materials are available as precolor or custom colored thermoplastic resin compounding, and short lead times.

Americhem's medical breadth provides customers access to manufacturing and support resources on the global and local level, and the ability to expediently support the needs of both small- and large-volume customers. Continued investment in manufacturing capabilities and resources have enabled the company to continue growing and adding new product lines while maintaining the high level of service customers have come to expect.

"We work with our medical device customers from the outset to develop formulations for applications that are often very small scale, and we support them through the entire life cycle process," explains Jim Figaniak, vice president and general manager, Americhem Engineered Compounds. "We work with our customers to compound a material of their choosing that meets their

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Phone: 330.463.5650 jodee.juarez@akhia.com biocompatibility requirements. Medical device OEMs and processors choose us because of our extensive range of capabilities, longstanding expertise in precolor compounding, and industry-leading service levels. Fundamentally, it's easy to do business with us."

For more information on Americhem's engineered compounds for the medical market, visit <u>Americhem.com/NPE</u>, or stop by Booth S17031 at NPE2018 to interact with the materials firsthand.

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With over a quarter century of experience in custom compounding, global reach and exceptional service, Americhem has established itself as a best-in-class specialty compounder of record for medical device OEMs worldwide. Learn more about out customizable, biocompatible compounds: https://bit.ly/1RI4WKb

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.@Americhem_Inc will be displaying its biocompatible, engineered compounds for medical devices at #NPE2018. Find out how we're helping OEMs find exactly the performance and look they need: https://bit.ly/1RI4WKb

About Americhem

Americhem is a globally recognized designer and manufacturer of custom color masterbatch, functional additives, engineered compounds and performance technologies. Our business is built around delivering Performance, Solutions and Trust through close collaboration with customers seeking to optimize their polymer products. All of the company's products are backed by complete technical support that ensures quality, reliability and value. Americhem operates 10 manufacturing plants and maintains sales offices throughout the world. Central research and development facilities and headquarters are located in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. For more information, visit Americhem.com or call 800.228.3476.

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