

PRESS RELEASE

Room for rescuers: InflaTec Easy

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Self-supporting air-chamber tent system for mobile treatment center

Fulda – In the event of disasters involving mass casualties or in catastrophic and crisis areas, quickly set up treatment centers are often critical for timely and effective medical care of victims. The Hamburg-based medical technology company Weinmann offers a professional solution with its self-supporting inflatable tent system InflaTec Easy. The tents can be set up fast to function as makeshift triage stations and emergency treatment rooms or as complete hospitals equipped with OPs and intensive care units.

Set-up in just a few minutes

With the help of compressed air from a cylinder or with an electric blower, two people can easily put up the InflaTec Easy in just a few minutes. Made of robust, high-quality polyester with double-sided PVC coating, the tents can be combined to make larger spaces. Various sizes (20m², 30m² and 40m²) are available and each tent has two entrances. The central or connecting tent has four entries and floor space of 16 or 36 square meters. Quickly erected, the complex tent cities and/or hospital tents fulfill the requirements of rescue services or aid organizations and the needs of civilian and military users.

Customized color variations available

"Our tents are available in standard colors of red and gray. Of course we can also deliver other colors as requested and provide customized printed banners," said Thomas Böhme, junior product manager for Emergency and Disaster Medicine at Weinmann. Because the tents are delivered with heating and cooling systems and can be equipped with additional insulated inner tents, the InflaTec Easy tents are suitable for use in all climatic conditions.

Interior equipment by Weinmann

"Weinmann also has plenty of interior equipment for the tents on offer," added Böhme. "Decades of experience in emergency and rescue medicine make us the ideal partner when you need robust devices for ventilation and monitoring, suction pumps or transport containers." Weinmann's regular customers are national and international rescue services, aid organizations and military services, including the armies of Germany, Denmark, France, Italy, the Netherlands, Spain and Switzerland.

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Background: Weinmann

Weinmann Geräte für Medizin GmbH + Co. KG concentrates on its product lines Homecare, Emergency and Diagnostics. In these areas the Hamburg-based family business offers diagnostic, therapeutic and also life-saving devices and system solutions of the highest quality. Today it is in the hands of the Griefahn and Feldhahn families and its headquarters have been located in Hamburg-Stellingen since 1977.

Today the company has about 500 employees. With more than 100 patent families and 90 trademarks, Weinmann is among the leading providers of medical devices for home care, diagnostics and emergency medicine in Germany. Sales in 2006 were 63.2 million Euros. Weinmann's Production, Logistics and Service Center was established in Henstedt-Ulzburg close to Hamburg in 2006. Weinmann does business in more than 50 countries and operates branch offices in France, Switzerland, Thailand, China, Australia, New Zealand and Venezuela.

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