

Healionics' subsidiary iSTAR Medical receives ISO 13485 Certification

Seattle, WA (June 1, 2012) – Healionics Corporation today announced that the company's Belgian subsidiary, iSTAR Medical SA, has achieved ISO 13485:2003, ISO9001:2008, and Directive 93/42/EEC certifications.

These internationally recognized quality standards are designed to ensure that medical device manufacturers have the necessary comprehensive quality management systems in place to safely design, develop, manufacture and distribute medical devices.

"ISO 13485 Certification represents a critical milestone toward the approval of our first device, STARflo™ Glaucoma Implant, for distribution in the European Union," said Michel Alvarez, CEO. He added, "I am proud of our team for the tremendous and intense effort over the past year."

About Healionics Corporation

Healionics develops and manufactures STAR® Biomaterials for implanted medical devices. The precisely controlled pore structure of the innovative STAR technology induces a favorable integrated healing response, overcoming fibrotic reactions and infection issues to enhance medical device performance and longevity. www.healionics.com

About iSTAR Medical

iSTAR Medical SA is a Belgium-based spinout of Healionics Corporation. Its mission is to improve the lives of patients suffering from eye diseases and disorders. iSTAR's initial focus is to develop ophthalmic implants made from STAR Biomaterial for treating glaucoma. www.istarmed.com

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