

**Welcome to our Newsletter 2/2006**

In this special **MEDICA Newsletter**, we would like to inform you about a unique event: the MEDICA MEDIA workshop "**Practical Clinical Decision Support Systems**" organized by Professor Klaus-Peter Adlassnig, PhD.

**Medexter Healthcare—Providing solutions for medical decision support.**

**About Medexter Healthcare**

**Structure & business segments**

Medexter Healthcare develops and markets knowledge-based systems for medical decision support. The aim of these high-tech software solutions is to enhance quality assurance in diagnosis, therapy, prognosis, and patient management. In July 2006, Medexter Healthcare was divided into three interconnected business segments.

**Medical Content** builds the core of our activities. We offer medical knowledge modules that can be integrated into different information systems, as well as complete stand-alone medical decision support systems. Our **Technical Frameworks**—rule engines, reminder systems, and guideline systems—enable customers to successfully operate medical content in different forms and diverse technical settings. In addition, we provide value-added **Medical Services** that help our customers to fully utilize the benefits of our products and solutions.

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**Workshop program**

The complete workshop program can be downloaded at [www.messe-duesseldorf.de/medicamedia](http://www.messe-duesseldorf.de/medicamedia).

10:35 – 10:55 a.m.: **Artificial-intelligence-augmented clinical medicine**; Klaus-Peter Adlassnig, PhD, Medical University of Vienna, Austria

10:55 – 11:25 a.m.: **Terminology server and medical decision support**; Daniel Diekmann, ID – Information und Dokumentation im Gesundheitswesen GmbH, Berlin

11:25 – 11:55 a.m.: **Decision support at clinical workstations**; Sven Tiffe, PhD, Agfa HealthCare, Trier

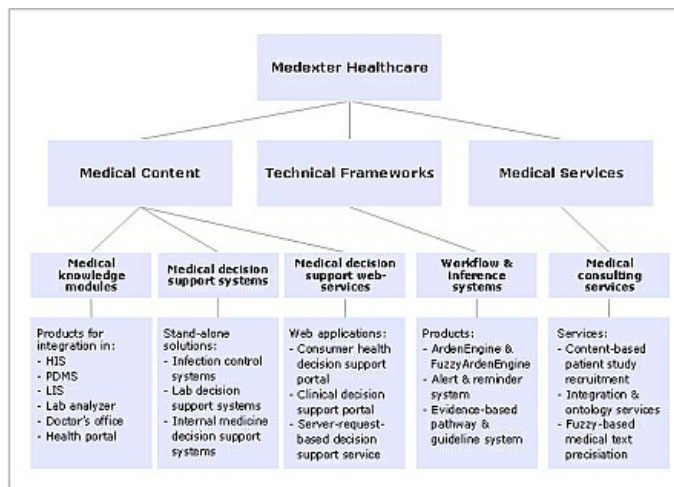
11:55 – 12:25 p.m.: **Clinical decision support with Soarian**; Maik Fleischer, MSc, Siemens Medical Solutions, Erlangen

12:25 – 12:55 p.m.: **Knowledge-based services—added value for the clinician**; Dominik Deimel, MD, Business Development Director, ISOFT Deutschland GmbH, Mannheim

12:55 – 1:25 p.m.: **Knowledge-based recognition and automated monitoring of nosocomial infections in neonatal and adult ICU patients**; Walter Koller, MD, Medical University of Vienna, Austria

**Workshop: location and time**

The workshop will be held on November 17 at the Exhibition Hall 16 (Workshop Room) of MEDICA MEDIA, starting at 10:30 a.m. All visitors to MEDICA may participate and attendance is free of charge. You don't need to register in advance—just stop by.



**News flash**

**Exhibitions and conferences**

We look forward to meeting you personally at one of the next exhibitions and conferences we will be attending in 2006:

**MEDICA**, Düsseldorf, Germany, November 15-17;

**International conference on computational intelligence for modeling, control, and automation**, Sydney, Australia, November 28 – December 1.

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