

FEATURE...

## ENTERA HEALTH CHOOSES PTI TO BLEND, PROCESS & PACKAGE RX ENTEROPATHY TREATMENT



Pharma Tech Industries has been chosen by biotherapeutics provider Entera Health, Inc. to handle blending, processing and packaging for EnteraGam™, a medical food for the clinical dietary management of enteropathy (intestinal disorder). PTI, which had already been working with Entera Health to support clinical trials, will now move forward with all blending, processing, and packaging operations toward expanded trials and broader market introduction.

PTI will package EnteraGam™ in 10-gram unit-dose sachets grouped in secondary cartons containing 30 sachets as commercial units and three for physician samples. Primary packaging operations will be performed via Bartelt form-fill-seal equipment, which is widely regarded as among the most efficient and reliable machinery for pouching food and other products. PTI has customized the equipment to meet the stringent requirements for pharmaceutical products required by the FDA and other regulatory agencies.

## UPDATE ON EXPANSION AND ENHANCEMENT OF UNION, MO FACILITY

Work continues on the expansion of Pharma Tech Industries' facility in Union, Missouri. The multi-million-dollar investment will add approximately 55,000 square feet of manufacturing space to PTI's operations in Union, bringing its total area to 155,000 square feet. Pharma Tech Industries also has a 270,000-square-foot facility in Royston, Georgia.



The new space will be used primarily for the production of ingestible powders, and will include a production room built to International Organization for Standardization Class 8 ISO8/100,000 clean room standards. Another addition will be a 20,000-square-foot building housing a new Analytical and Micro Lab and additional warehousing space. PTI now owns three adjacent buildings in Union, providing a campus-like atmosphere such as centralized quality, operations and management resources.

## PTI PROMOTES BRYAN COX TO DIRECTOR OF TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER



Pharma Tech Industries, has promoted industry veteran Bryan Cox to the position of Director of Technology Transfer. In his new role, he will oversee all commercialization activities for the transfer of technology and integration of new customers at all of the company's manufacturing sites. Mr. Cox originally joined PTI in October 2010 as a Staff Engineer and, in 2012, was promoted to Plant Manager of the company's facility in Royston, GA.

"During his tenure with Pharma Tech Industries, Bryan has consistently demonstrated success managing a diverse roster of projects effectively," said Tee Noland, Chairman and CEO of Pharma Tech Industries. "As PTI continues to add new services and take on new customers, Bryan will play an instrumental role in leading the technology transfer process to ensure flawless execution during the hand off between sales and commercial production."

Mr. Cox holds a degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of South Carolina, and a Masters in Business Administration from Clemson University. He is also a member of the Society of Professional Engineers.



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