

## Q-linea signs agreement with logistics partner for the American market

Q-linea AB (publ) (OMX: QLINEA) names Uniphar Logistics USA as its third-party logistics supplier in the US.

As part of Q-linea's market preparation activities for the American market, the company has signed a logistics agreement with Uniphar Logistics USA. The collaboration enables a professional logistics service of Q-linea's products for the entire US market.

"It was an easy decision to partner with Uniphar Logistics as our third-party logistics supplier as we ready ourselves for commercial launch in the US. Not only do they have the expertise to facilitate imports from our Swedish headquarters, they were also able to customize a solution to meet our needs now and into the future as we grow our presence in the US. Being able to service and support our US customers is our top priority," stated Jim Kathrein, VP of US Commercial Operations.

### About ASTar Instruments and ASTar BC G-Kit

ASTar Instrument and ASTar BC G-Kit already deliver the broadest answer regarding the combination of the number of antibiotics and the number of double dilution steps of each antibiotic, in a single analysis for gram-negative bacteria. The test enables the analysis of gram-negative bacteria, including difficult-to-grow so-called fastidious bacteria, which satisfies the need for rapid and comprehensive results to support optimal treatment decisions.

ASTar Instrument and ASTar BC G-Kit are CE-marked but not FDA 510(k)-cleared and not available for sale in the United States.

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### About Q-linea

Q-linea is an innovative infection diagnostics company that primarily develops instruments and disposables for rapid and reliable infection diagnostics. Our vision is to help save lives by ensuring antibiotics continue to be an effective treatment for future generations. Q-linea develops and delivers preferred solutions for healthcare providers, enabling them to accurately diagnose and treat infectious disease in the shortest possible time. The company's lead product ASTar<sup>®</sup> is a fully automated instrument for antibiotic susceptibility testing (AST), giving a susceptibility profile within six hours directly from a positive blood culture. For more information, please visit [www.qlinea.com](http://www.qlinea.com).

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