

## GPI: NEW CONTRACT AWARD IN THE UK

### LEIGHTON HOSPITAL CHOOSES RIEDL AS ITS PHARMACY AUTOMATION SYSTEM

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**GPI (GPI:IM)**, a company listed on the MTA market, a leading company in IT Solutions and Healthcare and Social Services, listed on the MTA market of Borsa Italiana (the Italian Stock Exchange), has been awarded by the Mid Cheshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust the international contract for the supply of a pharmacy automated dispensing solution to **Leighton Hospital** (England). Thanks to **Riedl Phasys**, the **robotized system designed for the management of drugs** in major institutions, Gpi has achieved an order amounting to 300.000 Euros, in addition to the one of Prince Charles Hospital in Wales dating back to February this year.

The provision includes the installation of an automated system for the storage and delivery of drugs, as well as the assistance and maintenance services. The robot to be supplied (10,768 meters long - 1,606 meters wide - 2,819 meters high) is made up of 2 multi-picking grippers having a speed of **5 meters per second**, an additional automatic loading system and a box refilling system for the provision of drugs to wards. As for products dispensing in the central pharmacy, the automated warehouse is connected to a delivery system, which consists in conveyor belts covering a total length of 36 meters and reaching 7 workstations, thus enabling pharmacy operators to attend 7 out-patients at a time at the counter.

This Riedl Phasys can store more than **22.000 packs** and can dispense **up to 1.500 packs per hour** using the multi-picking mode.

Leighton Hospital is located in the town of Crewe in the county of Cheshire. It includes more than 30 wards and units and it has been recognised several national achievements for best patient experience and quality services.

This new contract award acknowledges Gpi automation's top quality as well as its flexibility, paving the way to new business opportunities in the healthcare context all over the world as shown by the most recent operations in China, Austria and Wales during the last 6 months.

## GPI GROUP

Gpi is the partner of reference for software, technologies and services dedicated to health care, social care and public administration. Founded over 30 years ago in Trento, Italy, GPI has grown thanks to significant investments in M&A (in Italy and abroad) and R&D, carried out in partnership with the main Italian universities and research organizations with the aim of transferring scientific, technological, functional and process know-how applied to the e-health, e-welfare, well-being sectors. Thanks also to the solutions and the specialised expertise passed on from companies who became part of the Gpi ecosystem, the Group has managed to translate emerging needs from health care into cutting-edge technological solutions and new service models capable of optimizing prevention processes, diagnosis and treatment, improving people's quality of life.

The products combine specialist expertise in IT and consultancy and design skills, which allow Gpi to operate in different business areas: Software, Care, Automation, ICT and Pay.

In 2019 the Company delivered consolidated revenues of 241 million Euros, over 5,300 employees and more than 2,200 customers spread over 60 countries.

In 2016 Gpi was listed on Borsa Italiana AIM market and graduated to MTA market in 2018.

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