



LifeGas Acquires Wesco Oxygen's Medical Gas Business

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CLEVELAND, Aug. 21 /PRNewswire/ -- LifeGas, a division of Linde Gas LLC, announced today its August 11, 2006 acquisition of the medical gas business of central New Jersey medical gases distributor Wesco Oxygen, Inc.

"We exclusively focus on the medical market," said LifeGas President Mike Walsh. "Adding the Wesco medical gas distribution assets to the LifeGas product and services portfolio will help us continue to cater to the growing healthcare industry in the Northeast." LifeGas currently operates a medical gas facility in Dayton, NJ.

Wesco Oxygen, Inc. operates a medical gas distributor business located in Central New Jersey offering a complete line of high quality medical gases and related respiratory equipment and accessories.

LifeGas specializes in providing premier medical gases and gas-enabled solutions to hospitals, clinics, nursing facilities, emergency management services and home healthcare providers. LifeGas is the medical gas business unit of the Gas and Engineering Division of Linde AG.

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