

Press release

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Handicare Group announces new Executive Vice President Human Resources

Handicare Group today announces that Mattias Hakeröd, currently SVP Human Resources & Internal Communications at Fingerprint Cards, has been appointed as the new Executive Vice President Human Resources for the Handicare Group.

Mattias Hakeröd has been with Fingerprint Cards since 2017 and spent last 20 years in the field of human resources, always with a strong business focus. Mattias brings extensive experience from international leadership roles in both MedTech as well as other industries such as Technology and Pharma.

"I truly look forward to welcoming Mattias to Handicare and our Group Leadership Team, I know this will be an injection for our growth program as Mattias has significant experience in change management and organizational development. He also stands for leadership, high energy level and integrity", says Staffan Ternström, CEO Handicare Group.

"I'm very excited of coming back into MedTech as an industry and to start this exciting journey with Handicare.

A key deliverable will be to create growth through the great people, values and culture but also getting the mix right in terms of the new capability elements needed", says Mattias Hakeröd.

Mattias will join Handicare's Executive Leadership Team where he will be responsible for Leadership & organizational development as well as Talent & Succession mgmt. Mattias starts at January 7th, 2019.

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About Handicare

Handicare offers solutions to increase the independence of disabled or elderly people, and to facilitate for their care providers and family. The offering encompasses a comprehensive range of curved and straight stairlifts, transfer, lifting and repositioning aids, vehicle adaptations and medical equipment. Handicare is a global company with sales in more than 20 countries and is a market leader in this field. The head office is in Stockholm, Sweden and manufacturing is located at six sites distributed across North America, Asia and Europe. In 2017 revenue totalled MEUR 284,3. Employees numbered around 1,200 and the share is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm. For more information, see www.handicaregroup.com.