

Acuvi announces strategic collaboration in AI for Human IVF

Acuvi AB today announces that its subsidiary Sensapex, part of the Acuvi Life Science Instrumentation business unit (LSI), has entered into strategic collaboration agreement with IVF2.0, a pioneering provider of AI software for assisted reproductive technology (ART). Purpose of the collaboration is to further bring AI assisted and enhanced intracytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI) solutions to the human in vitro fertilization (IVF) market.

"We are looking forward to collaborating with the IVF2.0 team consisting of highly experienced and recognized IVF experts. IVF2.0 has developed the most advanced AI software for the assisted ICSI sperm selection, which we will integrate with the Sensapex cell manipulation and imaging platform. AI is a key ingredient towards complete ICSI automation, which is our long-term vision for the IVF market. Ultimately, the aim with automations is to improve consistency, precision and outcomes for IVF clinics and patients", said Dr Mikko Vähäsöyrinki, VP of LSI.

"Sensapex is a perfect match for us as we enhance our AI software offerings", said Dr Andrew Drakeley, CEO of IVF2.0. *"Their unique and proprietary automated cell manipulation and imaging platform will provide the specialized instrumentation needed to implement our AI guidance smoothly and effectively in real-world IVF workflows".*

The announced collaboration is part of the Sensapex go-to-market plan for the IVF market, which is one of the strategic growth initiatives for the LSI. Further information on the LSI strategy and IVF market entry will be provided at the upcoming Acuvi Capital Markets Day 12th of October 2023.

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