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## Everdrone and VGR expand world-first drone emergency care network in Sweden

Everdrone is pleased to announce the renewal and significant expansion of its collaboration with Region Västra Götaland (VGR), one of Sweden's largest regional health authorities. This strengthened partnership will allow Everdrone's Drone Emergency Medical Services (DEMS) to reach more people than ever before—delivering faster, smarter care in critical moments when every second counts.



The renewed agreement extends through December 2026 and sets the stage for a broader rollout of Everdrone's autonomous drone network as Everdrone and its partners aim to expand to 10 strategically located Skybases throughout the region over the next 7 months, covering approximately 25% of the population in VGR. Each Skybase functions as an operational hub, designed to ensure faster access to emergency medical support—especially in areas where traditional EMS response times are limited by geography or congestion.

“This is a major step forward for prehospital care in Sweden,” says Mats Sällström, CEO, Everdrone. “With the support of VGR, we're able to make drone-enabled care a real, reliable part of daily emergency response—and bring meaningful benefit to the people of Västra Götaland.”

The expanded service will continue to focus on out-of-hospital cardiac arrests (OHCA), delivering automated external defibrillators (AEDs) directly to the scene. The project is part of a clinical trial led by Karolinska Institutet and VGR, making it the first of its kind to scientifically evaluate the impact of drone deliveries in real-world, life-threatening situations at this scale.

But the system goes further: Everdrone's latest-generation DEMS system features integrated LiveView functionality, delivering real-time video feeds directly to emergency services and dispatch centers. This capability gives emergency services a clear picture of the scene even before the first responder arrives—enabling early triage, improved resource allocation, and better-informed decisions during critical events.

“Through this expansion, we're combining two of the most powerful tools in emergency response—speed and visibility,” says Jonatan Green, Project Manager at Sjukvårdens

Larmcentral. “It’s not just about getting there faster, but about knowing more when you do.”

This milestone represents more than a technological advancement—it’s a working model for how regions can modernize emergency care through public-private collaboration, data-driven planning, and field-tested innovation. The ongoing collaboration with Region Västra Götaland, alongside clinical evaluation led by Karolinska Institutet, demonstrates how drone-enabled emergency support can be implemented responsibly and at scale.

Learn more about the VGR project (link in Swedish):

<http://www.vgregion.se/ov/innovationsplattformen/varden/innovationsprojekt/dronare2/>

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**About Everdrone**

Everdrone AB is a pioneering provider of autonomous drone systems for emergency response and healthcare, headquartered in Gothenburg, Sweden. Its proprietary technology enables emergency services to access critical medical equipment, such as automated external defibrillators (AEDs), at the scene, along with real-time video support. Known for safe, regulatory-compliant operations in urban areas, the company collaborates with public authorities to integrate its systems with existing emergency infrastructure. Everdrone’s work has been featured in leading medical journals, including *The Lancet* and *The New England Journal of Medicine*, and gained international attention as the first to save a life using an autonomous drone. The company is expanding internationally, with pilot programs and collaborations across Europe. For more information, visit [everdrone.com](http://everdrone.com) and follow Everdrone on [LinkedIn](#).