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Astarte Medical Selected to Exhibit NICUtrition® at Vizient Innovative Technology Exchange

YARDLEY, PA, June 14, 2022—Astarte Medical has been selected to exhibit NICUtrition®, a clinical decision support platform to support feeding and nutrition management in the neonatal intensive care unit, at the Vizient Innovative Technology Exchange. [Vizient, Inc](#), the nation’s largest member-driven health care performance improvement company, will hold the Exchange on October 17 in Dallas.

The annual Innovative Technology Exchange offers selected suppliers the unique opportunity to demonstrate their technologies to supply chain and clinical leaders from Vizient’s member hospitals and subject matter experts who serve on their supply councils. Each technology will showcase how it improves clinical outcomes, enhances safety or drives incremental improvements to health care delivery or business models.

NICUtrition is a real-time clinical decision support tool designed to address the challenges clinicians face with feeding practices and nutrition management, like malnutrition, suboptimal growth, poor outcomes, and racial disparities in care. NICUtrition provides real-time feedback pertaining to the implementation of enteral feeding protocols and compliance monitoring. NICUtrition directly interfaces with the electronic medical record and provides an intuitive presentation of feeding, nutrition, and growth-related data allowing for the calculation and visualization of milestones and metrics in real time that have previously only been available in large, time-consuming retrospective studies.

“We are very excited to bring NICUtrition to the Vizient Innovative Technology Exchange,” said Tracy Warren, CEO, Astarte Medical. “We look forward to talking with clinical leaders about how NICUtrition can reduce practice variability, improve patient safety, increase operating margins, and reduce burnout, while providing a better communication tool for clinicians.”

“The Exchange is an exciting part of the Vizient Innovative Technology Program, which results in Innovative Technology contract awards for qualified products. This signals healthcare providers of a product’s unique qualities,” said Kelly Flaharty, director of contract process, Vizient. “With only a select number of suppliers invited to demonstrate their products, it’s an honor to be invited.”

The annual Innovative Technology Exchange is part of Vizient’s [Innovative Technology Program](#) that includes product review of supplier-submitted technologies by member-led councils and task forces. Since 2003, Vizient has reviewed over 1,600 product submissions as part of its Innovative Technology Program.

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About Astarte Medical

Astarte Medical is a clinical intelligence company providing digital solutions to support nutrition and feeding practices and protocol-driven care across pediatric populations. Its first product, NICUtrition® improves growth and clinical outcomes for preterm infants and impacts critical performance metrics for hospitals. Visit [astartemedical.com](#) and [nicutritions.com](#) for more information.