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## **Veredus Laboratories wins BioSpectrum Editor's Choice Award for Emerging MedTech Company of Singapore 2008**

Singapore, March 9, 2009 – Veredus Laboratories, a leading molecular diagnostics company, today announced that it has received the Editor's Choice Award for Emerging MedTech Company of Singapore 2008 from BioSpectrum for the company's achievements in the biotechnology and life sciences industry.

Hosted by BioSpectrum Magazine, the inaugural awards were the first of its kind in Asia to recognize the most innovative players contributing to the growth of the biotechnology and life sciences industry.

Veredus was chosen for its innovative Lab-on-Chip technology, called VereChip™, that can detect, differentiate and identify various pathogens in a single test. Currently available from Veredus is the VereFlu™ chip for influenza and the VereThreat™ chip for bio-terrorism threat detection.

Dr. Rosemary Tan, Chief Executive Officer of Veredus Laboratories said, "We are proud to be named Singapore's Emerging MedTech Company of the Year. I congratulate our R&D team for their hard work and dedication to make this possible. This recognition will drive us to build upon our initiatives to look for newer ways to lead in our game-changing medical diagnostic technology.

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### **About BioSpectrum**

Launched in 2003 by Asia's leading specialty publishing company, CyberMedia India Ltd., BioSpectrum is India's and Asia-Pacific's most widely circulated and read Life Sciences media platform. It comes out in two monthly editions: India edition published from Bangalore and an Asian edition, printed and published from Singapore. The business-to-business magazine tracks the growth of life science companies, captures the emerging technological and entrepreneurial trends in the area of Life Sciences which include pharmaceutical, biotechnology, medical technology, bio-agriculture and bio-fuels. The combined readership of both the editions of the magazine, which is available in multiple formats as a fortnightly digital magazine, Web site, with updated daily news and daily electronic newsletter, is over 200,000. The readership includes the region's top policy makers, scientists, entrepreneurs, industry leaders, other influencers who are part of the Life Sciences ecosystem. The Web sites of the two editions have over 100,000 unique visitors.

### **About Veredus Laboratories Pte Ltd**

Founded in 2003, Veredus Laboratories Pte Ltd is a privately held, medical diagnostics company engaged in the development and manufacture of diagnostic assays for diseases. As a successful enabler for innovative technologies, products and services, Veredus is the partner of choice for academic and industrial research in Life Sciences, Diagnostics and Pharma. For more information, please visit [www.vereduslabs.com](http://www.vereduslabs.com).



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