



## Cardiac Science wins AED contract in Latin America *Cardiac Science to deploy AEDs in Medellín, Colombia*

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The wholly owned subsidiary of Opto Circuits (India) Ltd., Cardiac Science Corporation, a global leader in automated external defibrillator (AED) and diagnostic cardiac monitoring devices, has been awarded a contract to deploy Powerheart® AEDs in the metropolitan area of Medellín, home to 3.5 million Colombians. These AEDs will be placed in Metro de Medellín transportation stations and buildings to protect commuters against sudden cardiac arrest.

Cardiac Science and a valued partner, Ingenieria Hospitalaria, worked together to win the Metro de Medellín contract. Established as one of the first modern mass transportation projects in Colombia, the Metro de Medellín now moves over 400,000 passengers each day through 34 different stations.

“We are pleased to partner with Ingenieria Hospitalaria to provide AEDs that will protect the Medellín community,” said Dave Marver, Cardiac Science Chief Executive Officer. “We believe our fully automatic Powerheart AED G3 Plus is the best solution for any large-scale public access defibrillation (PAD) program.”

### **About Cardiac Science**

Cardiac Science, a wholly owned subsidiary of [Opto Circuits \(India\) Ltd.](#), develops, manufactures, and markets a family of advanced diagnostic and therapeutic cardiology devices and systems, including automated external defibrillators ([AED](#)), electrocardiograph devices ([ECG/EKG](#)), cardiac [stress treadmill](#) and systems, [PC-based diagnostic workstations](#), [Holter monitoring systems](#), hospital defibrillators, [vital signs monitors](#), [cardiac rehabilitation](#) telemetry systems, and [cardiology data management](#) systems (informatics) that [connect with hospital information](#) (HIS), [electronic medical record \(EMR\)](#), and other information systems. The company sells a variety of related products and consumables and provides a portfolio of training, maintenance, and support services. Cardiac Science, the successor to the cardiac businesses that established the trusted [Burdick®](#), [HeartCentrix®](#), [Powerheart®](#) and [Quinton®](#) brands, is headquartered in Bothell, Washington. With customers in almost 100 countries worldwide, the company has operations in North America, Europe, and Asia. For information, call 425.402.2000 or visit <http://www.cardiacscience.com>.

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Opto Circuits (India) Ltd. (OCI) is an MNC in the business of design, development, manufacture and marketing of healthcare equipment and medical interventional products. The product profile includes USFDA-listed, CE-marked cardiac and vital signs monitoring systems, anesthesia and respiratory care equipment, automated external defibrillators, stents, catheters, body implants and consumables. Some of OCI's well-known brands are [Cardiac Science](#), [Criticare](#), [Eurocor](#), [Ormed](#), [Mediaid](#) and [Unetixs](#). The company's key markets are North America, Europe and BRIC countries.

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