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Shaping the future of Cell and Gene Therapies together

### **Personalized therapies: Arvato Supply Chain Solutions and Hypertrust Patient Data Care establish network for future industry solution**

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**Gütersloh/Munich – Arvato Supply Chain Solutions and Hypertrust Patient Data Care (HPDC) join forces and launch the "Open X-CELLERATOR Community" with a joint event series. The intention is to bring together all stakeholders who play a crucial role in providing patients with advanced and personalized therapies.**

The development of advanced therapies, such as Cell & Gene Therapies (also called Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products, ATMP), brings with it a complexity of patient-specific processes as well as numerous stakeholders, that requires new supply chain strategies. For this reason, Arvato and HPDC have worked closely together to create a solution for the integrated orchestration of processes.

ATMPs, which are individually tailored to each patient, offer advanced options for treating serious and rare diseases. They are based on human genes, tissues, or cells with the aim of replacing non-functioning or defective cells in the human body or initiating processes for regeneration.

Arvato and HPDC are convinced that these advanced and personalized therapies require strong collaboration and trusted partnerships from a wide range of stakeholders to provide patients with the best possible care.

The vision of the "Open X-CELLERATOR Community" is to create an industry solution that enables access to ATMPs for more people while bringing together the right stakeholders. To achieve the common goal, Arvato and HPDC want to bring together all involved stakeholders along the patient journey and raise awareness for an industry solution.

The first community event will take place on September 23 at 4 pm (CET) as a virtual event. Here, experts and industry insiders will discuss their views and visions with an exclusive audience. The event consists of short keynote speeches and offers the opportunity to interact with the speakers as well as the community.

Speakers will be:

- Prof. Lutz Uharek, expert in Cell and Gene therapies, CEO, and founder of Xencura GmbH

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Further X-CELLERATOR community events are planned, which will take place regularly as live events. The hosts hope to expand their community and thus actively support the providing of advanced therapies to patients and the process behind them in the future.

Participation is free of charge. Interested parties can register here:  
<https://www.hypertrust-patient.com/x-cellerator>

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