



## Welcome Message to the participants of the Russian Health Care Week 2022

I am happy to welcome the exhibitors and visitors to Russian Health Care Week 2022 at the hospitable venue of EXPOCENTRE Fairgrounds.

The Week is rightly considered in the medical community to be one of the country's main federal congress and exhibition events in medicine. It is organised by the State Duma of the Russian Federal Assembly, the Russian Ministry of Health Care and EXPOCENTRE AO. Russian Health Care Week is supported by the Federation Council of the Russian Federal Assembly and the Russian Ministry of Industry and Trade. The Week is held under the auspices of the Russian Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Russian Health Care Week covers almost the entire medical industry, bringing together on one platform such leading industry exhibition projects as Zdravookhraneniye, Healthy Lifestyle, MedTravelExpo. Medical Clinics. Health and Spa Resorts, the PharmMedProm exhibitions and conferences, and major industry events with an extensive conference and scientific programme.

This year's Week focuses on summing up the results of the first year of the Decade of Science and Technology in Medicine. EXPOCENTRE AO is a participant in the Decade's programme of events and through exhibitions, including those devoted to medicine, actively involves developers in solving the country's priority technical tasks, participates in attracting talented young people to the sphere of scientific research, and is engaged in popularising Russian scientific achievements.

The sheer scale of the Week, which includes around 700 companies from 9 countries, will enable representatives of the medical industry to receive the expected orders for their products, while the relevant federal ministries and agencies, leading clinics, medical research institutes and higher educational institutions will be able to hold broad professional discussions on the most pressing issues of the national health care system and jointly develop strategies, approaches and solutions to ensure its sustainable functioning in the context of external challenges.

This year's exhibition particularity is that it will feature a record number of regional exhibits created with the help of business support funds. There will be a total of 45 of them. For the first time, Made in Russia will feature group stands of medical technology and equipment manufacturers organised by the Russian Export Centre.

The diverse and eventful conference programme of Russian Health Care Week 2022 will comprise over 70 significant industry congress events including the 14th Russian Assembly of Professionals in the Pharmaceutical and Medical Industries, Strategy Session on the Decade for Science and Technology: Medicine, Human Resources, Laws, 2nd Interdisciplinary Forum 'THE YOUNG MEDICINE', 17th SportMed 2022 International Conference, 4th Congress on Health Resort Industry. Science. Results. The Week days will include meetings of the profile commissions of the Russian Ministry of Health Care, as well as various thematic conferences, roundtables, panel discussions and presentations for professionals.

I sincerely wish the exhibitors and visitors to Russian Health Care Week 2022 fruitful communication with colleagues and business partners, new contracts and new opportunities!

**Alexey Vyalkin**  
Director General  
EXPOCENTRE AO

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Vyalkin', written over a light blue horizontal line.