Robotimize and St Luke’s Hospital Unite to Advance Rehabilitation Centre of Excellence

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Professor Tan Boon Yeow, Kerry Guo and Zen Koh officiate the signing of the Memorandum of Understanding between Robotimize and St Luke's Hospital.

SINGAPORE, September 18, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Robotimize Group and St Luke’s Hospital have signed a Memorandum of Understanding to advance a technology-enabled Rehabilitation Centre of Excellence, formalised during the MotusAcademy × REHACARE Asia Leadership Forum at Medical Fair Asia 2026 in Singapore. The partnership marks a significant step for both organisations, bringing together a health technology company and an established community hospital around a shared focus on making rehabilitation technology part of everyday, sustainable care rather than a one-off pilot. For Robotimize, it also extends a growing network of healthcare partnerships across the region into one of the most established community hospitals in Singapore.

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The MOU was signed during “From Pilot to Practice: Closing Asia’s Rehabilitation Technology Adoption Gap,” a leadership forum organised by MotusAcademy and chaired by Zen Koh, Scientific Advisor at Robotimize Group. The session examined why many rehabilitation technologies show early promise in pilot settings but struggle to become routine, sustainable care, bringing together clinical, health-system, research, community and innovation perspectives from invited speakers including Adjunct A/Prof Loh Yong Joo, Professor Tan Boon

Yeow, Dr Hsiao-ju (Rita) Cheng and Ms Goh Shi Min. It was against that backdrop that Robotimize and St Luke's Hospital chose to formalise their own partnership, rather than treating the forum purely as a discussion exercise.



Speakers and delegates at the MotusAcademy × REHACARE Asia Leadership Forum, "From Pilot to Practice: Closing Asia's Rehabilitation Technology Adoption Gap.


Professor Tan Boon Yeow and Kerry Guo seal the new partnership with a handshake, marking the official start of the collaboration between Robotimize and St Luke's Hospital.

The collaboration is aimed at advancing a technology-enabled Rehabilitation Centre of Excellence, supporting more intensive and personalised rehabilitation while developing new approaches intended to benefit patients across the wider community. Its scope includes capability-building, research and technology adoption, with applications spanning day rehabilitation, gym-based programmes, frailty, neurological conditions and post-acute deconditioning, areas that already sit close to the core of what St Luke's Hospital provides. Rather than centring on a single device or pilot programme, the MOU sets out a broader, longer-term basis for the two organisations to work together across multiple areas of rehabilitation care, with the expectation that lessons learned in one area can inform how the partnership develops in another.

"Technology earns its place when it helps someone do what actually matters to them. Adoption depends on people and systems as much as it depends on the device itself," said Zen Koh, Scientific Advisor at Robotimize Group

That philosophy sits close to why this particular partnership matters to Robotimize. A recurring theme at the forum, raised during the session by Dr Rita Cheng, was that rehabilitation technology only succeeds when the wider ecosystem around it works: workflow integration, clinician and care-partner support, financing, service models and evidence of real-world value all matter as much as the technology itself. For Robotimize, the MOU is a chance to put that thinking into practice directly, working alongside St Luke's Hospital to understand what is needed for technology to be implemented, used consistently and sustained well beyond an initial pilot,

rather than treating a signed agreement as the end point of the collaboration.

Capability-building and workforce readiness are expected to sit alongside the introduction of any technology under the partnership, reflecting the emphasis both organisations placed on sustainable adoption throughout the forum. For St Luke's Hospital, the collaboration offers a structured way to expand what a technology-enabled rehabilitation service can look like within a community hospital setting, building on decades of experience already earned in caring for older persons and patients recovering from stroke, surgery and falls. For Robotimize, it offers a chance to work through the practical, less visible parts of adoption, from clinical protocols to everyday workflow, alongside a healthcare provider with a long-standing reputation in rehabilitation and elderly care.



Zen Koh addresses attendees at the MotusAcademy × REHACARE Asia Leadership Forum, held during Medical Fair Asia 2026.

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Robotimize is grateful to the organisers, speakers and partners who contributed to the forum, and looks forward to strengthening this new collaboration with St Luke's Hospital in the months ahead. Moving rehabilitation technology from pilot to lasting practice remains an ecosystem challenge rather than a single-technology one, and this MOU reflects an intent at Robotimize to work through that challenge directly, alongside a committed healthcare partner, rather than at a distance from it.

About St Luke's Hospital

St Luke's Hospital, named after the patron saint of the medical profession, was the first hospital in Singapore dedicated to the care of older persons. Today, it operates as a community care provider, spanning inpatient, outpatient, home care and community-based programmes, with specialised areas of care in rehabilitation, dementia, wound care and palliative care. As an Institution of a Public Character, St Luke's Hospital cares for more than 7,200 patients and

beneficiaries each year, regardless of race, language or religion, guided by a Clinical, Social, Pastoral care model that supports people holistically, beyond physical health alone.

About Robotimize Group
Robotimize Group is a health technology company headquartered in Singapore, specialising in intelligent rehabilitation robotics and digital neurotechnologies. Through VivantePlexus™, its integrated rehabilitation technology ecosystem, and ACE™, its strategic partnerships portfolio, Robotimize develops and distributes technologies designed to support clinician-led rehabilitation, functional training, and technology-enabled care pathways across institutional and community settings. Product availability, indications, and use are subject to applicable regulatory approvals and local clinical requirements.

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