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## Extremity Medical, LLC (Parsippany, NJ) announced that April 3rd, 2015 marked the implantation date of the 15,000th IO FiX device. The IO FiX System launched globally in June of 2011.

April 3, 2015 – The IO FiX System is a unique fixation platform that enables surgeons to generate high peak compression over a large surface area. The ability to generate compression coupled with the zero profile nature of this intraosseous device makes IO FiX an ideal choice for joint fusions of the foot and ankle. These features combined with the ease of delivery have contributed to the rapid adoption of the IO FiX device by foot and ankle surgeons.

Thomas Harris, MD (Chief, Foot and Ankle Surgery, Department of Orthopaedics - UCLA Harbor Medical Center) stated, "I have used IO FiX for over four years with great clinical success. With the superior biomechanics, I have been able to change my post-op weight bearing protocol and decrease the time my patients need to be immobilized. It is my go-to device for talo-navicular fusions."

Extremity Medical, LLC is an orthopedic device company specializing in the development of next generation systems addressing unmet needs for the extremity surgeon. The company currently has 10 products released globally which include specialized fixation and advanced arthroplasty systems for the lower and distal upper extremities. The company's products are covered by an extensive portfolio of existing and pending patents.

