



## **NEWS RELEASE**

### **Tristel Life attracts attention at Barcelona congress** ***Safe, effective surface & instrument decontamination in IVF setting***

**26 September 2008: Newmarket, UK:** Infection control company Tristel unveiled an exciting new product range at the 2008 European Society of Human Reproduction and Embryology (ESHRE) Congress, which took place in Barcelona in July. **Tristel Life** is a new line of infection control products designed specifically for use in the field of reproductive healthcare. Importantly, these achieve high level disinfection of surfaces and instruments while being non-toxic to eggs, sperm and embryo.

“Until now only a very limited number of products have been available for use in the IVF environment, and professionals working in this area have expressed a great deal of interest in the new range,” said Julija Shabanova, International Marketing Manager for Tristel. “We have worked very closely with leading specialists in IVF and reproductive healthcare to develop Tristel Life and have gained a detailed understanding of the demanding environment of the IVF clinic and the laboratory. The new product line takes account of the needs of both.”

The Tristel Life range comprises a variety of different products. These include disinfectants for surfaces in the IVF laboratory and puncture room, as well as systems for the decontamination of ultrasound probes and hysteroscopes. Each has been extensively trialled and tested and shown to be rapidly biocidal yet non-toxic to eggs, sperm and embryo. All are quick and easy to use, and have excellent health and safety profiles.

For full details of the Tristel Life range visit Tristel’s new website  
[www.tristel.com/ivf.html](http://www.tristel.com/ivf.html)

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**Caption:** Tristel Life 5



**About Tristel**

Tristel uses proprietary chlorine dioxide chemistry to create instrument and surface disinfectants. With its origins as a healthcare business specialising in infection control products, Tristel has recently extended its operations to include legionella control in water supplies and contamination control in the food and pharmaceutical industries.

The company is creating applications for its chemistry that address the four routes of transmission of infection and contamination – surfaces, instruments, water and people.

Tristel plc has its headquarters in Newmarket, UK and a network of distributors around the world. The company was admitted to trading on AIM on 1 June 2005. Its stock exchange symbol is TSTL.

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