

CASE STUDY

Lifebrain chooses ELGA as water specialist partner for new COVID-19 Laboratory

Vienna, Austria

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About the Lifebrain Group

[The Lifebrain Group](#), a medical diagnostic laboratory group, is one of the largest providers of clinical laboratory tests in Europe and is well known for its extensive experience in COVID-19 tests as well as its broad expertise in laboratory analysis in the healthcare and food sector.



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Lifebrian creates additional COVID-19 test capacity in Austria

Founded by CEO, Univ.-Prof. Dr. Michael Havel and CFO Mag. Bernhard Auer in 2013, its roots are in Italy, however in the autumn of 2020 they created one of the most modern PCR-COVID-19 laboratories in Austria. The new laboratory was created in close cooperation with the City of Vienna and can perform 60,000 PCR tests per day. The laboratory runs 24 hours a day, 7 days a week delivering essential COVID test- diagnostics.

The laboratory in Austria was not planned, it was set up in just four weeks, and Lifebrian needed a reliable water purification specialist who would be able to provide them with their pure water requirements under extremely urgent timelines.

[ELGA labwater](#) together with our Austrian business partner BVS Wassertechnik were the specialists to win the project, installing two [MEDICA® Pro RE 120](#) water purification systems in the four week timeline. The MEDICA Pro systems are ideal for the needs of Lifebrian, delivering CLRW Standard water in high volumes for high performing clinical diagnostic analyzers. With the high volumes of daily testing the MEDICA systems produce up to 120 liters of water per hour each and ensure that Lifebrian can continue daily with its important work, creating enormous additional COVID-19 test capacities in Austria, at affordable prices and of the highest quality.

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