

PRESS RELEASE

## Amendia Announces Acquisition of Spinal Elements

Combined Company Brings a Comprehensive and Innovative Product Offering and Nationwide Geographic Coverage

**Marietta, GA** – April 13, 2017. Leading spinal solutions provider Amendia, Inc. is pleased to announce the acquisition of Spinal Elements, Inc., a Carlsbad, California based corporation.

"The acquisition of Spinal Elements brings a wealth of talent and a portfolio of exciting new products to the Amendia organization," stated Chris Fair, CEO and President of Amendia, Inc. "The combination of these two companies solidifies our position as one of the fastest growing and most comprehensive spine companies in the marketplace today," continued Fair.

Jason Blain, President of Spinal Elements, added, "Together, the company moving forward will provide a robust portfolio of spine products featuring titanium-coated PEEK interbody technology. We are thrilled about what lies ahead."

Spinal Elements' clinically proven Ti-Bond® porous titanium coating and upcoming product launches of the Lucent XP expandable cage and the Clutch interspinous process device, will complement Amendia's recent launches of the Overwatch pedicle screw system, Syzygy reduction screw system and the Ceres cervical product lines.

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### **About Amendia**

Headquartered in a state-of-the-art manufacturing facility in Marietta, Georgia, Amendia is a leading designer, developer, manufacturer and marketer of medical devices used in spinal surgical procedures. Amendia's mission is to exceed surgeon and patient expectations by creating balanced solutions with disruptive technologies for medical devices paired with biologics and instrumentation. Amendia's vertically-integrated strategy focuses on improving surgical outcomes and the lives of patients with spinal disorders. For more information, please visit [www.amendia.com](http://www.amendia.com).

## **About Spinal Elements**

Spinal Elements, headquartered in Carlsbad, CA, is a spine technology company for spine surgeons who demand innovative, extremely high quality surgical solutions. From the company's early work which helped make PEEK commonplace throughout the spine industry to recent advancements in Ti-Bond® porous titanium coated PEEK interbody implants and controlled delivery technology, Spinal Elements has built a reputation for being trustworthy, innovative and different. The company is focused on the development and marketing of progressive spinal treatment options and markets a complete portfolio of advanced spinal implant technologies. Additionally, the company distributes Hero® Allograft, the net proceeds from which are donated to charities benefitting children with life-threatening medical conditions. The company recently launched a warranty program for its Ti-Bond technology based on the success of over 10,000 devices implanted. For more information, please visit [www.spinalelements.com](http://www.spinalelements.com).