# THE NEXT CHAPTER OF PROTON THERAPY



MEDAUSTRON COMPACT 200+

### System in development

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A MedAustron compact **ion system** provides you with a cost-effective addition of **modern** cancer therapy.

#### Our purpose is to cure cancer and prolong lives.

MedAustron International (MAI) is a construction & project company for the installation of high-end ion therapy centers. MAI is an international technology leader in the field of ion therapy with multi-ion facilities that can utilize both proton and carbon ions and - in the near future - helium ions.

With the extensive experience and know-how of our highly qualified staff, we can support leading cancer centers worldwide and provide high-end installations of new and advanced ion therapy equipment as well as support in staff training and operation.

Your aim is to treat patients with a radiation therapy that has few side effects?

YOU

You are looking for a **compact** system, ready to use without a rebuild or new construction?

Your goal is to offer

advanced cancer therapy.

You want to establish an additional radiotherapy method **quickly** and cost-effectively?

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## SERVICES FOR YOUR PARTICLE THERAPY PROJECT

From concept to operational support, we are your one-stop shop for ion treatment systems for cancer therapy. You benefit from our many years of experience as a manufacturer and user and gain a partner for your research & development endeavors.





Concept & Planning



#### Maintenance & Service

**Commissioning & Operation** 



Certification

Training



**Radiation Protection** 

## PROTONS IN CANCER TREATMENT

Radiotherapy with charged particles allows better sparing of healthy tissue around the tumor compared to conventional radiotherapy. This is possible due to the physical attributes of these particles and the effect of the Bragg Peak. As a result, such therapy carries a **lower risk of side effects and late effects**.

This ensures a better quality of life for those affected and can thus reduce the costs in the health system in the long term.

Currently, **protons** are predominantly used in particle therapy and are already used as standard for many indications.



Schematic representation of the Bragg Peak of proton beams compared to the dose profile of photon beams.

### MEDAUSTRON COMPACT 200+ TREATMENT SYSTEM

A synchrotron-based **proton** particle accelerator forms the core of the system, which is small enough to be **retrofitted into existing treatment rooms** in a clinic. It is easy to operate and comes with a **rotating chair** patient positioning system. Together with the intelligent placement of subsystems such as injector and power converters, this results in a compact system whose footprint is smaller than ever before. The MedAustron Compact 200+ treatment system is currently in the design process.



**Compact 200+**: from a Linac to a single or multi-room proton treatment system

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#### **TECHNICAL DETAILS**

Field Size: 26 x 30 cm (ongoing development) Beam Energy: Protons up to 220 MeV **Spot Size:** Lowest distance between nozzle and patient for lowest scattering effects

#### FEATURES

Small enough to be retrofitted into existing LINAC rooms

Installed on a turnkey basis

Simple to operate without a large team

Minimal investemt for **expansion up to 3** treatment rooms

**Rotating chair** for treatments in sitting position

Cost-effective solution

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