

## PRESS RELEASE

### Process management in communal catering

## Keros Consult optimises merchandise management for the foundation Eichhof-Stiftung Lauterbach



Düsseldorf, 19/03/2023 – Starting immediately, Keros Consult, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Klüh Group, is supporting the Eichhof-Stiftung Lauterbach with the optimisation of its ordering and production processes in the area of communal catering. Established in 1877, the foundation manages the Eichhof hospital and other care facilities in the Vogelsberg district of central Hesse and the surrounding area.

Within the framework of the contract, Keros Consult relies on its digital merchandise management system *DigiSupply*. This replaces the customer's previous manual ordering process and enables all the necessary steps from ordering to stocktaking to be controlled. As the basis for the collaboration, the current purchasing and production processes were analysed. This meant that together, we were able to transparently identify savings and improvements and draw up an implementation plan. Alongside the improved purchasing conditions and the benefits of a comprehensive merchandise management system, the Eichhof foundation now has over 8,000 tried and tested recipes and menus at its fingertips.

"We are delighted that with Keros Consult we have found a reliable partner for the optimisation of our merchandise management. The pragmatic and straightforward approach of the Keros consultants and the advantages of the merchandise management system *DigiSupply* convinced us", explains Thomas Faust, Commercial Director of the Eichhof-Stiftung Lauterbach.

With its consulting services and software solutions, Keros Consult addresses all sectors that provide communal catering. Alongside company restaurants, these include hospitals and clinics, old people's and nursing homes, school and pre-school caterers, as well as industrial kitchens that supply catering for events and the to-go sector in the food retail trade. With their many years of expertise in operations management and lean management consulting, as well as in the purchasing of favourable conditions, the staff of Keros Consult can quickly identify potential for improvement and thus implement effective concepts for digital process optimisation which are always practical and beneficial for the everyday business of their clients.

### **About Keros Consult:**

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