

8. Responsibilities to Shareholders and Investors

Terumo is making every effort to achieve “Open Management” through communication with shareholders and investors. We implement fair information disclosure to maintain a high level of management transparency, and make various other efforts to ensure Terumo’s business and products, as well as general healthcare topics, can be comprehensively understood. As a good corporate citizen, we consistently aim for high-quality communication that is easy to understand.

Winning support at our General Meeting of Shareholders

At the ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held in June 2009, we showed a film titled *TERUMO Activity* that gave an overview of our initiatives in the previous fiscal year. In addition to presenting our financial results to our shareholders, we explained how our products and technologies are contributing to better healthcare. We also created a display section for our products so that attendees could view them up close.



Displaying our products at the General Meeting of Shareholders

Disclosing IR information to help investors make better investment decisions

Terumo discloses IR information on its Web site. We are striving to provide financial information in as concise and easy-to-understand manner as possible to help individual investors make sound investment decisions.

▶ URL

<http://www.terumo.co.jp/English/ir/index.htm>

Holding seminars for individual investors

We hold seminars for non-institutional investors in Hiroshima and Himeji in 2009. Many participants commented that they had high expectations for the company.

In 2008, we participated in the “Tokyo Stock Exchange IR Festa 2008” hosted by Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. By putting our medical devices and equipment on display, we were able to provide visitors to our section with a good understanding of what we do.