

THE NETHERLANDS: EUROPE'S MOST ATTRACTIVE AND INNOVATIVE (BIO)PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY ENVIRONMENT

The Netherlands is the perfect place for (bio)pharmaceutical innovation in Europe.

The Netherlands is home to many leading pharmaceutical companies, outstanding universities and is a fertile breeding ground for game-changing innovations.



Health~Holland
SHARED CHALLENGES, SMART SOLUTIONS



5 reasons to invest in the Netherlands



THE WORLD'S MOST CONCENTRATED LIFE SCIENCES & HEALTH CLUSTER

Within a 120 mile radius:

- 12 Universities engaged in biomedical research
- 8 University medical centers
- More than 2500 life sciences companies, among which 420 (bio)pharmaceutical companies



GATEWAY TO EUROPE

The Netherlands is located in the centre of Europe, which makes it the perfect place for access to major European markets. Its high quality highways, airports and seaports such as Amsterdam Schiphol Airport and the Port of Rotterdam ensure that markets all over the world can be served.



PLENTY OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS

It is in the Dutch DNA to work together, which is why collaboration between science, industry, citizens and government is common in the Netherlands. Recent examples of successful Dutch public-private partnerships: Health-RI (research infrastructure for prevention, personalised treatment and health), Oncode Institute (understanding cancer and translating research into practice) and RegMed XB (developing regenerative medicine solutions to health challenges).



UNITED KINGDOM

DENMARK

BELGIUM

GERMANY

FRANCE

SWITZERLAND



OUTSTANDING RESEARCH & EDUCATION AND WELL TRAINED PROFESSIONALS

The Netherlands is home to outstanding research and an excellent research and digital infrastructure in several areas such as oncology, vaccination and antibiotic resistance. Outstanding patient records give ample opportunities for big data analysis. Twelve Dutch universities are listed among the top 200 universities in the world. Furthermore, the Netherlands has a highly educated and multilingual workforce with a high productivity rate.



EUROPEAN MEDICINES AGENCY (EMA) MOVES TO AMSTERDAM

In November 2017 the European Union member states decided to relocate the European Medicines Agency (EMA) to Amsterdam. This puts the Netherlands on the map and offers huge opportunities to attract new (bio)pharmaceutical and service providing companies to the Netherlands.

120 miles

300 miles

What more does the Netherlands has to offer?

- Excellent quality of life
- Superior logistics infrastructure
- Number 1 health care system in Europe
- Fifth-largest exporter of goods in the world
- Advantageous tax incentives for R&D activities
- Number 3 best country for business in the world



PharmInvestHolland

Powered by Health~Holland

- PharmInvestHolland is a public-private initiative that focuses on
- enhancing the business and R&D climate for (bio)pharmaceutical companies in the Netherlands,
 - earlier availability of medicines for patients.

PharmInvestHolland is powered by:



AmCham

The Pharmaceutical Committee of the American Chamber of Commerce in the Netherlands.



Association Innovative Medicines

The Dutch industry association for innovative pharmaceutical companies.

Health~Holland 

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The Top Sector Life Sciences & Health.



HollandBIO

The industry association for the Dutch biotech sector.

lygature

Lygature

Non-profit organisation that drives public-private collaboration between academia, industry and society for the development of new medical solutions for patients.



Ministerie van Economische Zaken
en Klimaat

Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate Policy

The Ministry promotes the Netherlands as a country of enterprise with a strong international competitive position and an eye for sustainability.

INVEST IN
HOLLAND



Netherlands Foreign Investment Agency

The NFIA is the national agency that assists businesses to invest in the Netherlands.

VNO-NCW

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The Confederation of Netherlands Industry and Employers (VNO-NCW) is the largest employers' organisation in the Netherlands.



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