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# Innovation Environment Of The Institute Of Health Carlos III

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CENTRO DE  
INVESTIGACIÓN  
BIOMÉDICA EN RED

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The **Spanish National Cancer Research Centre (CNIO)** ranks among the top ten monographic cancer research centres in the world and second in Europe. The fundamental mission of the CNIO is to gain knowledge and apply it to prevent, diagnose and treat cancer and aging-related diseases.

At CNIO, our research is organized into programmes: Molecular Oncology, Structural Biology, Human Cancer Genetics and Clinical Research. A strategy to accommodate different partnership models with industry and facilitate knowledge transfer is at the core of our goals. In particular, we have a dedicated drug discovery programme: Experimental Therapeutics Programme supported by our unique research with genetically-modified mouse models, our state-of-the-art technology platforms and core units that make up the Biotechnology Programme.

In this framework of innovation, the CNIO strives to foster technology transfer, partnerships with life science companies and start-up creation through licensing and collaborative research opportunities. Link to our technological portfolio:

[www.cnio.es/en/research-innovation/innovation/  
portfolio-technological-offer/](http://www.cnio.es/en/research-innovation/innovation/portfolio-technological-offer/)

The **Centro Nacional de Investigaciones Cardiovasculares Carlos III (CNIC)** is a leading international research center dedicated to understanding the basis of cardiovascular health and disease and to translating this knowledge into improved patient care.

The CNIC has a portfolio of inventions in the fields of cardiovascular disease, inflammatory diseases, and cancer, among others. The CNIC's intellectual property assets include biomarkers, vaccines, diagnostic tools, medical devices, animal models, and therapies for a host of diseases.

The CNIC is always on the lookout for potential investors and companies interested in valorizing research projects at various stages of development and partners for international consortia.

[www.cnic.es/en](http://www.cnic.es/en)

## INNOVATION ENVIRONMENT OF ISCIII

The **Institute of Health Carlos III (ISCIII)** is the main public research body in Spain in the field of health sciences. ISCIII activity is focused on four areas:

- Biomedical Research
- Funding
- Scientific-Technical Services
- Training

The ISCIII has several centres that carry out research and innovation activities in various branches of biomedicine and health sciences (infectious diseases, tropical diseases, rare diseases, chronic diseases, public health, determination of environmental factors affecting health, application of information technologies in health, epidemiology, global health and doping control).

The ISCIII Technology Transfer Office (TTO-ISCIII) provides support to all the activities carried out in the ISCIII centres with the main objective of ensuring that the results obtained by these centres are exploited to the maximum and that the knowledge and technological capacities developed by the ISCIII reach the National Health System (NHS) and society in general.

In recent years, the ISCIII has implemented a programme of activities aimed at promoting innovation in the NHS and reinforcing public-private collaboration, with the creation of centres as CNIO and CNIC, consortia as CIBER and platforms as ITEMAS, all of them funded by the ISCIII and which work in the field of innovation.

More information:

<https://www.isciii.es/QueHacemos/Innovacion/OTRI>



- **CIBER, center for excellence in biomedical research**
- **Integrate more than 100 Spanish health institutions**

The **Consortio Centro de Investigación Biomédica en Red (CIBER)** is a public research consortium created at 2014 at initiative of the ISCIII, that promotes research of excellence in Biomedicine and Health Sciences. CIBER is organized in 13 thematic areas, including more than 500 research groups and more than 800 hired people.

The main objective of CIBER is to solve health problems, promoting the collaboration of multidisciplinary groups, strengthening and creating new strategic alliances for the development of research projects and fostering the transfer of results to society and to the productive sector.

[www.ciberisciii.es/en/technology-transfer/  
technology-offer](http://www.ciberisciii.es/en/technology-transfer/technology-offer)

- **Support and transfer platform for high-impact projects**
- **Integrate more than 100 Spanish health centers**

ITEMAS, **the Platform for the Dynamization and Innovation of the industrial capacities of the National Health System (SNS)** and its effective transfer to the productive sector, is one of the ISCIII platforms to support R&D&i in Biomedicine and Health Sciences.

Our objective is to effectively energise the industrial capacity generated from the SNS and the actual transfer of research results carried out within the SNS to the productive fabric. To this end, we have an innovation support program whose objective is to accompany high-impact projects to accelerate industrialization and the adoption of innovations arising from the centers of the National Health System.

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