



# OREGON'S LIFE SCIENCES INDUSTRY SNAPSHOT



Over 50% of jobs require less than 1-year of experience, and 1/3rd do not require a 4-year degree



One of Oregon's fastest growing industries, with a 69.5% increase in job postings in the last 4 years



Life Science jobs are present in every Oregon county



1,480 bioscience firms across the state, with an annual economic impact of \$15.7 billion



Directly and indirectly employ over 66,000 citizens



An average wage of \$88,440 – 50% higher than the average wage in OR



"We see a higher economic multiplier for both overall employment and income than most other industries in Oregon."

**- LIISA BOZINOVIC, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
OREGON LIFE SCIENCES ORGANIZATION**

For more information and resources on Life Sciences, visit [oregonlifesciences.org](http://oregonlifesciences.org)



# OREGON'S LIFE SCIENCES ECOSYSTEM

- Drugs & Pharma Manufacturing: Pharmaceutical, medicinal, biological, and botanical manufacturing
- Medical Devices/Equipment Manufacturing: Surgical and medical instruments, appliance and supply manufacturing, lab instruments, and more
- Bioscience-Related Distribution: Specialized technologies including cold storage, highly regulated monitoring and tracking, and automated drug distribution systems
- Research, Testing, & Medical Labs: Research and development, medical and testing labs, and more
- Bio-Ag: Agricultural fertilizer and fiber manufacturing, ag-chemicals, pesticides, research and processing

