Takeda Research & Development Fact Sheet

At Takeda, we are a forward-looking, world-class R&D organization that unlocks innovation and delivers transformative therapies to patients. By focusing R&D efforts on four therapeutic areas and other targeted investments, we push the boundaries of what is possible in order to bring life-changing therapies to patients worldwide.

Our Focus Areas

ONCOLOGY
We endeavor to deliver novel medicines to patients with cancer worldwide through our three strategic pillars: hematologic malignancies, lung cancer and immuno-oncology (I/O).

RARE DISEASES
We aspire to transform the treatment of rare immunology, rare hematology and lysosomal storage disorders and expand our focus to bring transformative or curative therapies to other rare diseases.

NEUROSCIENCE
Our mission is to bring innovative medicines to patients suffering from neurologic and psychiatric diseases for whom there are no treatments available.

GASTROENTEROLOGY (GI)
We work to restore Life to Living for patients suffering with GI diseases across our core disease areas: inflammatory bowel disease, celiac and other luminal gut diseases, motility disorders and liver diseases.

A Diverse & Dynamic Pipeline

~40 NEW MOLECULAR ENTITY CLINICAL STAGE ASSETS
~50% PIPELINE WITH ORPHAN DRUG DESIGNATION

MODALITY-DIVERSE RESEARCH PROJECTS
Our Research engine is investing in next-generation technologies beyond small molecules to bring a new wave of innovative treatments to patients.

~70% Small Molecules
~70% Biologics
~70% Cell & Gene Therapies
~70% Peptides & Oligonucleotides
~70% Microbiome & Other Modalities

PUTTING PATIENTS FIRST
Takeda’s R&D patient access programs, knowledge sharing and capacity building programs have been recognized as Industry Best Practices by the Access to Medicine Foundation.

R&D ESTABLISHED:
20+ PARTNERSHIPS
50+ INITIATIVES

with non-governmental organizations since 2015 to support local R&D and healthcare capacity building in underserved countries and communities.

EXTERNALLY ORIENTED MINDSET
We seek innovation and partner to nurture it, wherever it resides. We have diverse partnership models, each created with aligned incentives and designed to leverage what we each do best - together.

Since FY16

200+ Active Partnerships
45+ Venture Investment Financings
25+ New Company Creations

1 Pipeline as of February 4, 2020
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Our Global Footprint

SAN DIEGO, CA
GI, Neuroscience, Discovery Technologies

BOSTON, MA
R&D Center, Oncology, GI, Rare Diseases

SHONAN, JAPAN
Neuroscience, Takeda & the Center for IPS Cell Research & Application, iPark

OSAKA, JAPAN

TOKYO, JAPAN

SHANGHAI, CHINA

SINGAPORE

ZÜRICH, SWITZERLAND

VIENNA & ORTH, AUSTRIA

*Each regional center also has a secondary support team in the general vicinity to support local regulatory engagement and sustain other R&D activities.

LOCAL SITES
Takeda operates in additional countries for specific R&D functions and/or based on legal requirements.

R&D Employees Globally
~4,500

R&D Leadership Team

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