

# BioCT Fact Sheet

## About BioCT

BioCT serves as the bioscience cluster of Connecticut, a diverse community of small and large life and healthcare sciences companies, ranging in scope from therapeutics, to healthcare technology, to medical devices. We educate, cultivate entrepreneurship, support the build of bioscience companies and collaborate to ensure a sustainable, high-value bioscience and healthcare community that improves our quality of life and keeps the Connecticut community strong.

## What BioCT Does

### GOVERNMENT ADVOCACY

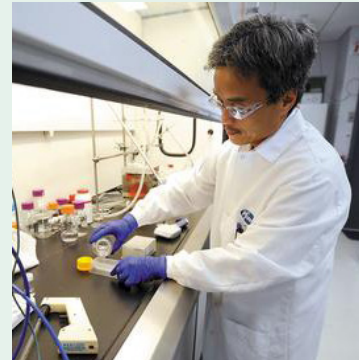
Our Government Affairs Committee, comprised of BioCT board members, industry experts and business advisors, has deep expertise in those areas of critical importance to our members. The mission of the committee is to provide education and advocacy for bioscience and life science communities to ensure synergy of action and alignment of state and federal initiatives.

### EDUCATION

We have a long history of community and educational outreach in partnership with the state's top-tier academic and research institutions. Additionally, we work with our members and serial entrepreneurs to



Located in Groton CT, BioCT's Innovation Commons offers commercial-grade labs, offices, co-working and special event spaces at cost-effective prices and flexible lease terms. A bench program allows for proof of concept experiments and entrepreneurial resources and experienced mentors are available to help companies grow their ideas.



showcase the unique and diverse expertise to be found in the bioscience community. Through a variety of program formats and events, we provide opportunities to network, share skills, build relationships and learn from peers and mentors.

### ENTREPRENEURSHIP

BioCT links together the pharmaceutical, bioscience, medical device, healthcare and emerging digital health community in the state. We support the growth of emerging companies and start-ups, as well as the recruitment of new companies and industry

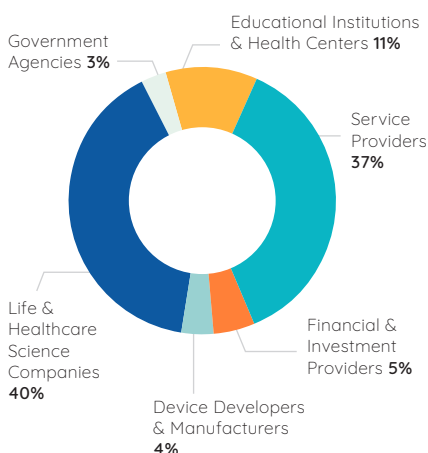
services, to continue to expand our ecosystem and the strength of our state economy.

### MENTORING

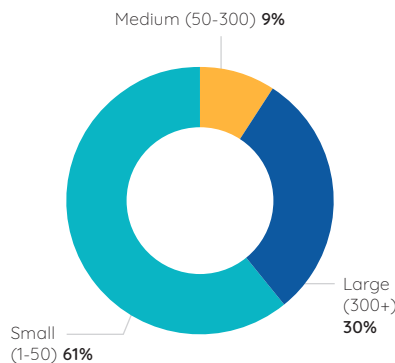
On an informal or formal basis, there are a myriad of mentoring opportunities available to our members. Connecticut's strong, experienced talent pool and serial entrepreneurs are an invaluable resource to the community, working alongside our state partners to seed success and support innovation. As a connector, we are able to bring together our members with suitable mentors and business resources.

## Our Members

### MEMBERSHIP



### SIZE OF ORGANIZATION



## Connecticut by the Numbers

4<sup>th</sup>

Ranks 4th in the nation for bioscience patents per 1,000 people

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Ranks as the nation's 4th most innovative state

## Our Legacy Partners

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