Georgia is a dynamic hub for life sciences with more than 2,000 organizations, including headquarters for global healthcare organizations. Our pro-business climate, combined with a culture of collaboration and innovation, has fostered growth across all sectors of life sciences.

We have the resources to assist you in getting ideas researched, tested, commercialized, produced, and distributed quickly to most anywhere in the world. In 2021, Georgia signed into law the Life Sciences Manufacturing Tax Credit, a bonus that is added to the Job Tax Credit for the creation of jobs dedicated to manufacturing pharmaceuticals, medicines, medical devices and equipment for companies locating or expanding in the state.

A sample of the products produced in Georgia include:
- Animal Pharma
- Cell Therapies
- Contact Lenses
- Cryobanks
- Imaging Equipment
- Regenerative Therapies
- Wearables
- Vaccines

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**Georgia was the obvious choice for us — a highly trained workforce, transport links, and a state infrastructure committed to the life science sector that is able to support our business in a way no other location could offer.**

Steve Shaw
CEO of IC Biomedical
A skilled and diverse pipeline of talent and research capabilities are provided by our colleges and universities including:

- Augusta University
- Emory University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Georgia State University
- Morehouse School of Medicine
- University of Georgia
- Kennesaw State University

**Georgia Provides Global Connections**

Connect to 80% of U.S. markets within a two-day drive or two-hour flight.

Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport (ATL) is the busiest, and the most efficient passenger airport in the world. Eight companies operating at Hartsfield-Jackson are certified CEIV Pharma, an IATA certification for reliable handling and storage of pharmaceuticals to safeguard product integrity.