

THE BIOTECH CITY

Your Doorway to North American Markets

A Business and Scientific Hub:

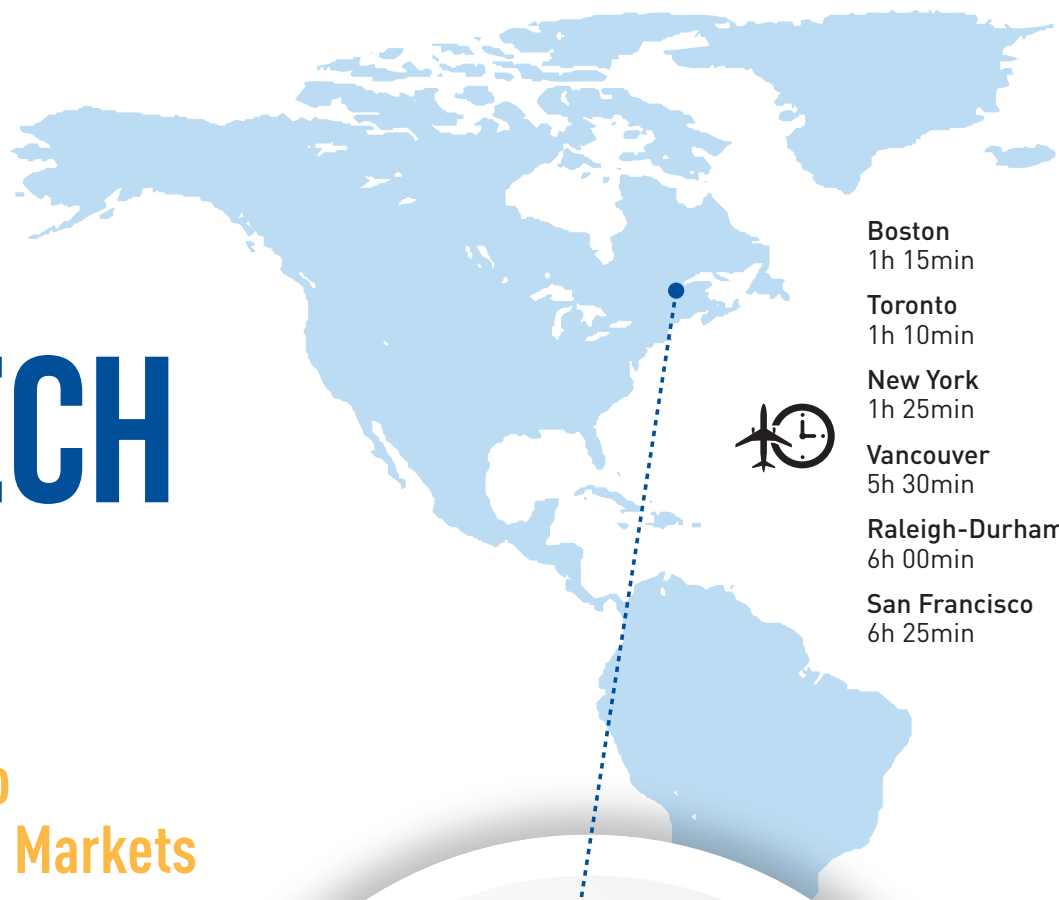
Critical mass of biopharmaceutical companies

Contract research organizations

Incubator and accelerator

Research centers

Real estate for development



Boston
1h 15min

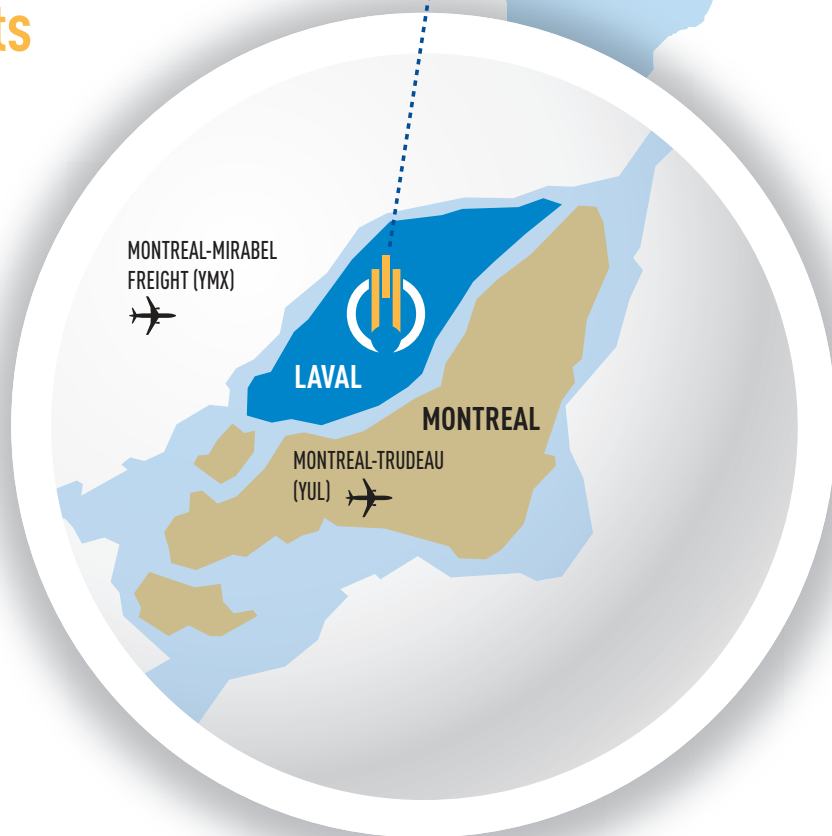
Toronto
1h 10min

New York
1h 25min

Vancouver
5h 30min

Raleigh-Durham
6h 00min

San Francisco
6h 25min



THE KEY PLAYERS



CQIB BIO-BUSINESS INCUBATOR

citebiotech.com

- > Pre-incubation, incubation and soft landing programs
- > Business services and technical / lab assistance
- > High end pool of equipment and laboratory resources



CENTRE NATIONAL DE BIOLOGIE EXPÉRIMENTALE

cnbe.inrs.ca

- > Services in toxicity, pharmacokinetic and drug-efficacy studies
- > 78 multifunctional animal housing rooms
- > GAP® certified (Good Animal Practice)



BIOTECH CITY

citebiotech.com

- > Over 100 companies employing close to 5,000 individuals in a 3 km radius
- > Integrated value chain, from discovery to production
- > Presence of a critical mass of large pharmaceuticals companies, start-ups and research centers



REAL ESTATE SERVICES

- > Several lots of land available for development
- > Multiple availabilities in multi-tenant buildings
- > Financial incentives for SMEs
- > Municipal property tax credits



INRS-INSTITUT ARMAND-FRAPPIER

inrs.ca

- > INRS University ranked 1st in Canada for research intensity
- > 48 researchers and 190 graduate and post-doctoral fellows
- > Research and support services with analytic capacity in chemistry, microbiology and immunology, genomics and proteomics



NEOMED INSTITUTE

neomed.ca

- > Biologics and vaccines development specialization
- > Over 60,000 sq. ft. of space, with 75% reserved for laboratories
- > High-end equipment for molecular and cellular biology

THE ADVANTAGES OF THE GREATER MONTREAL LIFE SCIENCE CLUSTER



INCENTIVES OPERATIONAL COSTS AND FINANCING

- > Financial incentives available like Scientific Research incentives (SR&ED) and financial assistance for job creation
- > Some of the lowest operating costs in Life Sciences amongst North America's 20 biggest cities
- > Access to financing through a large network of venture capital



CONTRACT MANUFACTURING AND FABRICATION SERVICES

- > Home to a high density of both private and public CROs (cronetwork.org)
- > Presence of many contract developers for both innovative and generic medication (CMOs and CDMOs)



UNIVERSITY AND RESEARCH NETWORK

- > Prestigious universities such as McGill, Université de Montréal and the INRS
- > Presence of an abundant and qualified workforce
- > Privileged access to qualified research and development partners



PARTNERSHIPS

- > Presence of many large organizations such as BIOQuébec, Montréal InVivo, Montréal International and MEDEC
- > Multiple networking events enhancing business opportunities
- > Quick integration into the local business ecosystem

AN INNOVATIVE HEALTHCARE REGION

- > Two world-class hospitals with active research institutes, the Centre hospitalier de l'Université de Montréal (CHUM - chumontreal.qc.ca) and the McGill University Health Centre (CUSM - cusc.ca)
- > Over 30 hospitals in the region engaged in various R&D activities

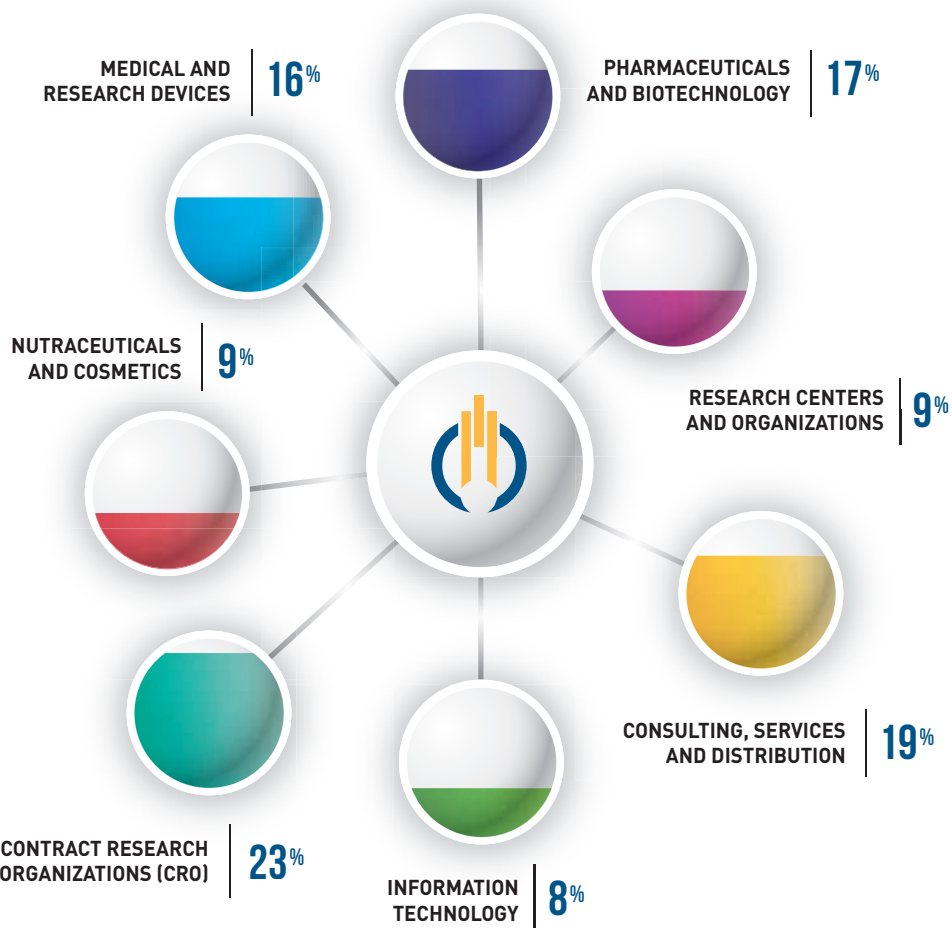
THE LIFE SCIENCES DIVERSITY AT THE CORE OF THE BIOTECH CITY

THE LAVAL BIOTECH INDUSTRY AT A GLANCE

- > Over **5,000** employees
- > Over **100** companies
- > **11** research centers and organizations
- > More than **\$3B** in investments since 2001

THE BIOTECH CITY CAN ASSIST YOU IN YOUR IMPLEMENTATION PROJECT

- > Assistance in finding a location and facilities
- > Support to obtain financing and subsidies
- > Guidance and support through all administrative steps
- > Access to international mobility



1555 Chomedey Boulevard, Suite 100
Laval, Quebec H7V 3Z1 CANADA
450-978-6888, Ext. 5066 | Fax: 450-978-5970
info@citebiotech.com | www.citebiotech.com



Economic development

PARTNERS

