

## Long-acting Drug Delivery Formulation Platforms and Technologies

A mid-sized, global pharmaceutical company is seeking **novel formulation approaches** and **technologies** that **enable drug delivery for sustained periods**. Specifically, the team is interested in approaches that allow for once weekly dosing from **oral** and **transdermal** delivered drugs, and **long-acting injectable platforms** (intravenous, intramuscular, and subcutaneous) that allow for a 4–6-month dosing regimen.



### Approaches of Interest:

- Approaches should work with **small molecule** drug compounds
- Open to a wide range of formulation and drug delivery approaches for the delivery routes of interest, including, but not limited to, nanoparticles, gastro-retentive gels, transdermal patches, and implants
- Solutions that include information on **ease of manufacture**, **regulatory requirements**, and **safety data** will be prioritized
- Approaches that have been developed for specific indications are in scope if the platform can be applied to multiple disease areas and drug compounds

### Out of Scope:

- Approaches that cannot be applied to small molecules
- Active drug delivery devices, such as pumps

### Developmental Stages of Interest:

- Opportunities from preclinical stage onwards that have pharmacokinetic validation with a model compound are in scope
- Opportunities with *in vivo* data will be given priority




### Submission Information

Submission of one-page, 200–300-word briefs is encouraged, along with any optional supplementary information e.g. relevant publications. In submitting to this campaign, you confirm that your submission contains only non-confidential information.

### Opportunity for Collaboration

Our client is open to a range of collaboration opportunities, with the most appropriate outcome being decided on a case-by-case basis. Appropriate solutions will lead to a funded research and/or manufacturing collaboration of 1-2 years, with potential outcomes leading to licensing of assets, and investment. For earlier stage projects, research funding or PhD studentships may be available.

#### Opportunities sought

-  Technologies
-  Academics and expertise
-  Centres of excellence
-  Research projects
-  Spinout companies
-  Biotech assets

#### Submissions

Please submit relevant, non-confidential opportunities online [here](#)

Deadline: **10th November 2025 - 11:59 pm GMT**

#### Have any questions?

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