

EIT Health European Institute of Innovation & Technology (EIT)

Overview

By today the EIT Health has supported over 2500 start-ups and scale-ups, approx. 49k students and professionals trained and 113 products and services launched to solve unmet medical needs.

EIT Health promotes entrepreneurship and develops innovations in healthy living and active ageing, providing Europe with new opportunities and resources. This is achieved through delivering products, concepts and services, including educational programmes that will nurture talents and train the workforce.

EIT Health is a consortium of more than 50 partners (and 90 associated organisations) from leading businesses, research centres and universities from 14 countries in Europe. EIT Health connects innovators and organisations.

EIT Health launches 3 types of calls:

1. Business Creation (open in Q1 each year)
Mentoring and coaching networks (open all year)
Bootcamps
Open Innovation
Catapult

2. Innovation (open in Q3 or 4)
Partner Driven
Start-up Driven
Fast-track (DiGinnovation)

3. Education (open in Q3 or 4)
Winter/Summer Schools
Fellowship Programmes
Training Modules

Goal

The goal of EIT Health is to contribute to increasing the competitiveness of European industry, improve the quality of life of Europe's citizens and the sustainability of healthcare systems. Adopting an investor approach, EIT Health drives the integration of business, research and higher education; boosts innovation, and acts as a catalyst for new solutions for Europe.

Your contact

EIT Health Germany-Switzerland is one of the seven Co-Location Centres (CLCs) in Europe. This CLC currently serves 15 leading companies and public health care institutions in Switzerland and Germany, as well as renowned universities and research institutions, to realise EIT Health's mission.

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Other links:

The European Institute of Innovation and Technology (EIT):

<https://eit.europa.eu/who-we-are/eit-glance>

Swiss State Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation (SERI):

www.horizon-europe.ch

Venture Centre of Excellence (VCOE) | EIT Health

EIT Health Gold Track - Apply to scale your start-up

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Eligibility

Swiss-based participants are generally welcome to join EIT initiatives, with few exceptions such as EIT Fast Track calls.

Financial Support

Each programme within EIT Health has different budget rules. Entities in Switzerland participating in collaborative projects can get financial support by the State Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation (SERI). SERI has a financial guarantee letter available on their [website](#). Funding rates vary between lump sums in accelerator programmes, free mentoring or varies % of co-funding. Special conditions such as to share revenues on products and services that are generated due to EIT projects, or subscription fees may occur.

Programme	Proposal Requirements	Funding
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Topics linked to the Flagships - At least 2 entities - Any organisation can apply - Involve partners from EIT Health and RIS in the consortium, including non-academics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Up to € 200k - 70% funding - selection rate 10-50%, depending on the programme
Innovation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Topics linked to the Flagships, TRL 5+ - At least 2 entities - Led by EIT Health partner or start-up - 50% EIT Health partners in consortium 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Up to € 2million - 70% funding - Financial return to EIT Health - 1-3 proposals per cut-off
Business Creation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Depends on the programme 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Most are non-funded - (Success)fees may apply - 10-30 seats per programme