

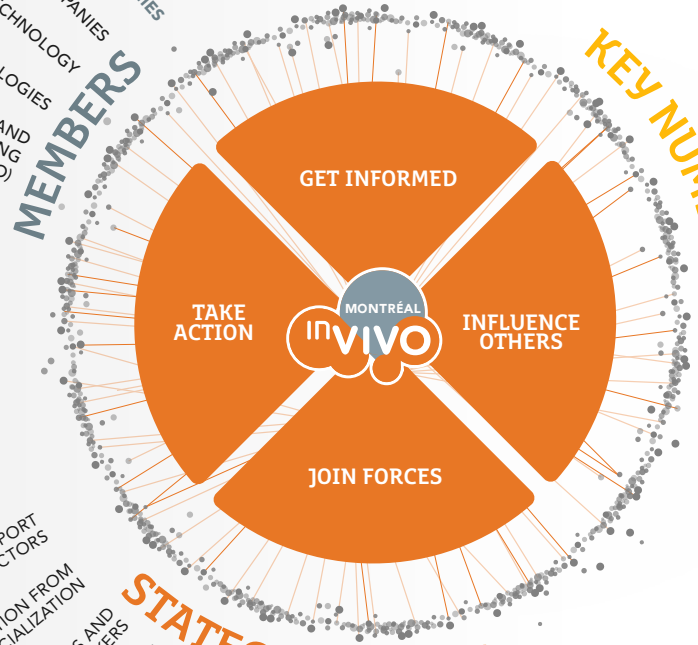
THE LSHT CLUSTER

A STRATEGIC FORUM FOR DECISION MAKING, INFLUENCE AND ACTION **LIFE SCIENCES AND HEALTH TECHNOLOGIES**

THE MONTRÉAL INVIVO CLUSTER INCLUDES ALL ORGANIZATIONS ACTIVE IN THE FIELDS OF LIFE SCIENCES AND HEALTH TECHNOLOGIES

MEMBERS

RESEARCH INSTITUTES
GOVERNMENTS
FUNDING ORGANIZATIONS
COMPANIES
PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES
BIOTECHNOLOGY COMPANIES
HEALTH TECHNOLOGIES
CONTRACT RESEARCH AND MANUFACTURING ORGANIZATIONS (CRO/CMO)



KEY NUMBERS

600 ORGANIZATIONS, INCLUDING 150 RESEARCH CENTRES, 80 SUBSIDIARIES OF WORLD-CLASS COMPANIES, 4 UNIVERSITIES

40 000 JOBS

27 000 STUDENTS

1/3 NEARLY 33% OF ALL LSHT VENTURE CAPITAL IN CANADA

5,3B\$ 1,5% OF QUEBEC'S GDP (2012)

WHAT IS THE CLUSTER?

A NON-FOR-PROFIT SERVING GREATER MONTREAL'S VARIOUS LSHT ORGANIZATIONS, COMPANIES AND DECISION MAKERS.

WHAT IS ITS MANDATE?

TO CREATE AN ENVIRONMENT THAT PROMOTES INNOVATION AND MEMBERS DEVELOPMENT, AND ACTS AS A MEETING PLACE FOR ALL INDUSTRY ACTORS.

WHAT IS ITS SCOPE?

MONTRÉAL INVIVO IS AN INFLUENTIAL AND ESSENTIAL PARTNER FOR ITS MEMBERS - WITH NUMBERS TO PROVE IT!

STRATEGIC PILLARS

PROVIDE STRONGER SUPPORT FOR KEY ACTIVITY SECTORS

SPEED UP THE TRANSITION FROM RESEARCH TO COMMERCIALIZATION

ENHANCE COLLABORATION BETWEEN PARTNERS AND FOSTER RELATIONSHIPS WITH DECISION-MAKERS

ENSURE THE PRESENCE OF AN EFFECTIVE FINANCING CHAIN AND SUPPORT FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP

INCREASE THE CLUSTER'S VISIBILITY AND NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL DIALOGUE AND EXCHANGE

FOCUS ON A QUALIFIED, CREATIVE AND FLEXIBLE WORKFORCE POOL