

Oregon Bioscience, Who Are We?

Oregon Bioscience Association

1. Biopharmaceuticals (drug-discovery, diagnostics)
2. Medical devices
3. Life-science Information Technology
4. Reagents and supplies

2002 OBA benchmark study:

185 companies and 3,238 FTE.

Other Oregon Bioscience Metrics

1. Milken Institute, 2004:

Biopharmaceuticals only:

1,426 FTE, no data on number of firms

2. BIO/Battelle report, 2004:

298 firms, 5,638 FTE

3. Oregon State Employment Department:

651 firms, 8,473 FTE

Critical Factors for Bioscience Development

Strong science base
Entrepreneurial culture
Premises and infrastructure
Growing company base
Ability to attract key staff
Availability of financing
Business support services
Skilled workforce
Effective networking
Supportive policy environment

Oregon Bioscience Association
Technology Transfer Related Initiatives

**Oregon Regional Research
Directory Service**

Comprehensive web-based
centralized database of university
technologies and resources