



# Novo Nordisk in North Carolina

Clayton, North Carolina, is home to one of Novo Nordisk's US manufacturing facilities, Novo Nordisk Pharmaceutical Industries, Inc. (NNPII). Novo Nordisk is investing \$2 billion in a new active pharmaceutical ingredient (API) production facility in Clayton, NC. The expansion will help Novo Nordisk meet the increasing U.S. demand for its diabetes and obesity medicines, and the new API facility is expected to be operational in 2020.

## OUR CURRENT DIABETES FINISHED PRODUCTS FACILITY

Novo Nordisk's current manufacturing facility in Clayton is 457,000 square feet and includes offices and laboratory space. The facility is currently responsible for:

- Filling of 3 ml cartridges for Novo Nordisk's FlexPen® and FlexTouch® delivery devices
- Filling of 10 ml vials
- Assembly and packaging of FlexPen® delivery device
- Assembly and packaging of FlexTouch® delivery device
- Packaging of 10 ml vials
- Packaging of product for shipping to other facilities in our global manufacturing network

## EXPANSION

Once complete, the new facility will measure 825,000 square feet and have a footprint of 85 acres—the equivalent to approximately seven football fields. It will be the first location outside of Denmark where Novo Nordisk diabetes & obesity active pharmaceutical ingredients (API) will be produced. This expansion is expected to create close to 700 new jobs once in operation. Novo Nordisk also expects to create a significant employment effect during the construction period with up to 2,500 people working on the project at peak construction.

## ECONOMIC IMPACT

Novo Nordisk's Clayton facility functions with the help of nearly 415 NC suppliers and vendors, with a total annual expenditure of over \$59 million in 2016. We have supplier relationships with 261 small businesses, including female, veteran and minority-owned businesses. Additionally, we have paid over \$3.4 million to Johnston County in property tax in 2016.



## FAST FACTS

 **1,000 EMPLOYEES**

 **ESTABLISHED IN 1993**



### SITE MILESTONES

- 1996: First vial batches shipped
- 1998: First cartridge batches shipped
- 2007: FlexPen® assembly and packaging
- 2015: FlexTouch® assembly and packaging
- 2016: Groundbreaking of Diabetes Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients US facility



### AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

- NC Department of Labor "Gold" Safety Award
- FORTUNE 100 Best Places to Work since 2009, including 2016 Best Places to Work® for Millennials, Giving Back, Diversity and Inclusion and Women
- Dow Jones Sustainability Index Pharma Sector
- Corporate Knights Top 100 Most Sustainable Corporations 2012-2016
- Carolina Parenting Magazine – Top 50 Family-Friendly Workplaces
- Triangle Business Journal Leaders in Diversity Award
- Most Valuable Employer for the Military® – 2015



**14% OF EMPLOYEES ARE VETERANS**



**SUPPLIER RELATIONS WITH 261 SMALL BUSINESSES**

- Female-owned
- Veteran-owned
- Minority owned



**MORE THAN \$3.4 MILLION IN PROPERTY TAX PAID TO JOHNSTON COUNTY IN 2016**

## IN THE COMMUNITY

Novo Nordisk is committed to making a difference in NC. We partner with policymakers to address the community's needs for improved diabetes and obesity care and provide support through financial contributions and partnerships with organizations that share similar visions and goals. Other organizations we work with on the front lines include:

- United Way of the Greater Triangle
- North Carolina State University Biotechnology Education Center
- JDRF, North Carolina Triangle Chapter
- American Diabetes Association, NC Chapter
- American Red Cross
- Johnston County Community College

## LOCAL PRESENCE, NATIONAL IMPACT

The main focus of our manufacturing site and the expansion project underway in Clayton is to reliably meet the current and future US patient demand for Novo Nordisk diabetes and obesity medicines.

### About Novo Nordisk

Novo Nordisk is a global health care company with more than 90 years of innovation and leadership in diabetes care. This heritage has given us experience and capabilities that also enable us to help people defeat other serious chronic conditions: hemophilia, growth disorders and obesity. With US headquarters in Plainsboro, NJ, Novo Nordisk Inc. has nearly 5,000 employees in the United States. For more information, visit [novonordisk.us](http://novonordisk.us) or follow us on Twitter: [@novonordiskus](https://twitter.com/novonordiskus). For information on Clayton employment, visit [novonordisk-clayton.com](http://novonordisk-clayton.com).

### North Carolina Location

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