Our Mission

Members of the Global Medical Technology Alliance (GMTA) support the objectives of providing safe, effective and innovative medical technology that saves and enhances lives, benefiting people and society. GMTA is a forum in which members exchange information and jointly develop and advocate policies that encourage innovation to address patients’ health care needs.

Our Beginnings

GMTA began as an informal network in the 1990s to develop and disseminate information pertaining to medical technology policies and issues on a global basis. Formally established in 2010, GMTA became a legal entity in Switzerland in 2013 and was subsequently recognized by the World Health Organization in 2015.

Learn more about GMTA at:
http://www.globalmedicaltechnologyalliance.org/

GMTA Spans the Globe
GMTA Represents All Medical Technology Sectors and Countries Around the World

GMTA member associations represent innovative companies that produce the medical devices, diagnostic products and health information systems that are transforming health care through earlier disease detection, less invasive procedures and more effective treatments.

Accounting for 85 percent of the world’s production of medical devices, diagnostics and equipment, the companies represented by GMTA member associations range from the largest to the smallest medical technology innovators, and bring life-saving and life-improving medical technology to patients around the world in every setting.

Examples of Medical Devices

- Intraocular Lens
- Pacemaker
- Hip Replacement
- Femoropopliteal Arterial Graft
- Deep Brain Stimulator
- Stent
- Total Knee Replacement
- Total Elbow Replacement
- Diabetes Test Strips
- Hospital Bed
- MRI Machine
- EKG Machine

Others - 30.4%
Electrodiagnostic - 15.2%
Orthopaedic & Prosthetic - 13.1%
Patient Aids - 10.0%
Syringes, Needles, & Catheters - 8.9%
Imaging Accessories - 5.5%
X-Ray Apparatus - 5.0%
Dental Instruments & Supplies - 4.7%
Woundcare - 3.9%
Other Consumables - 1.8%
Dental Capital Products - 1.4%