



Biotech Success Stories

Tigris Pharmaceuticals Inc.

Based in Bonita Springs, Florida, Tigris Pharmaceuticals is a privately held biopharmaceutical company that acquires the rights to clinically and commercially develop therapeutic technologies to address unmet medical needs. Focusing on oncology therapeutics, the company has expertise in developing breakthrough products/technologies in all stages of development including pre-clinical and early-and late-stage clinical development. Its emphasis is on novel molecules, mechanisms of action and/or delivery systems, and it relies on strategic relationships with top cancer research and operational centers of excellence. Tigris has also established a growing international presence, including an office in Mexico City to gain speed and efficiency in the implementation of its clinical development strategy.



Greystone Pharmaceuticals Inc.

Greystone Pharmaceuticals, Inc. was founded in 1996 as a biomedical research and development company specializing in medical devices and pharmaceutical products used in the management of diabetes, other chronic diseases, and their complications. Today the company has FDA and CE approval on their wound care products, including those for diabetic foot ulcers. On the device side, Greystone is developing remote patient monitoring systems for tracking the condition of chronically ill patients in their homes. In conjunction with the University of Tennessee, Greystone is developing a portfolio of early stage ethical pharmaceuticals in the area of topical haemostatic and hemorrhagic shock.

Greystone relocated its leadership team to Fort Myers, Florida in 2006 and maintains its manufacturing in Memphis, Tennessee.



NeoGenomics, Inc.

NeoGenomics, Inc. is a Fort Myers, Florida-based research and genetic testing company focusing on diseases in women, such as ovarian cancer, and the early diagnosis of diseases in prenatals. NeoGenomics is a pioneer in the field of developing new and innovative testing for non-invasive prenatal genetic diagnosis.



Their goal is to develop the world's first genetic/diagnostic, or Genostics, laboratory, offering some of the most innovative and cutting-edge technologies in cellular and molecular biology, as well as in oncogenomics and proteomics. By using the most current extraction processes to obtain DNA and RNA from patient blood and tissue samples, NeoGenomics plans to develop one of the largest databases of female phenotypic and genetic information in the world.

Acology

Acology is a drug company that recently relocated from Idaho to Cape Coral. Its focus is on prescription compounding and nutraceutical contract manufacturing. It is also preparing to spin off a new company to be called Flavology which will be manufacturing a line of flavored xylitol based sugar substitute products.

Acology's main emphasis is the dedication to helping physicians and patients solve their unique medication problems by making medications from scratch using raw chemicals to produce delivery systems such as topical creams, tablets, capsules, lozenges, oral liquids, suppositories, ophthalmics and injectables. Their specialty is Bio-Identical Natural Hormone Therapy, discontinued or unavailable prescription items, preservative free and unique dosage forms or strengths.



Ecological Laboratories

Ecological Laboratories is an international biotechnology company specializing in the development of microbial products for the natural treatment of environmental problems associated with the various uses of water and recycling of organic matter. Some of these include the reduction of the level of organic contaminants in water; clarification of water; reduction of odors from H₂S and other sulfur compounds, reduction of nitrogen compounds, insect pest control and many others. Ecological Laboratories products are used in the treatment of industrial and municipal wastewaters, water gardens, aquaculture systems (fish and shrimp farms), lakes, ponds, aquariums, septic tanks, portable toilets, compost piles, animal waste containment lagoons, grease traps and organic stains and odors in carpets and on hard surfaces.

