

WHAT IS THE JOBS ACT?

Congress passed the bipartisan Jumpstart Our Business Startups (JOBS) Act in 2012 to spur fundraising for small businesses and startups.

The JOBS Act makes it easier for private companies to go public and then use the capital raised to grow, create jobs, and fund research and development.

BIOTECH IPOs BY YEAR

32 IN 2 YEARS
BEFORE JOBS ACT: 4.5.2010 - 4.4.2012

80
IN 2 YEARS
SINCE JOBS ACT: 4.5.2012 - 4.4.2014

2010
(17)

2011
(13)

2012
(13)

2013
(43)

2014
(29 and Counting)

NEW IPOs TOP THERAPEUTIC AREAS



22 ONCOLOGY
13 METABOLIC
9 INFECTIOUS DISEASE
7 NEUROLOGY
6 CARDIOLOGY
5 HEMATOLOGY

JOBS ACT BIOTECH IPOs BY STATE

23

CALIFORNIA

17

MASSACHUSETTS

6

NEW JERSEY

5

NORTH CAROLINA

5

PENNSYLVANIA

AZ

CT

FL

IL

MD

MI

NY

TX

VA

WA

WI

“ Biotech companies are conducting groundbreaking science and face a long and expensive development pathway. The JOBS Act was a game-changer for our company because it increased our access to investors and helped us to get our IPO done - allowing us to finance life-saving R&D. ”

Rachel King, CEO, GlycoMimetics

5 MILLION
BIOTECH JOBS
IMPACT
NATIONWIDE

\$80,000
AVERAGE BIOTECH SALARY

115 %
AVERAGE
JOB GROWTH
POST-IPO