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Organisation type									
Research organisation type		earch Organisation		Is your company a and Medium Sized Enterprise (SME*)?		d	⊠ YES	□ NO	
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Your enterprise is an SME if: - it is engaged in economic activity - it has less than 250 employees - it has either an annual turnover not exceeding €50M, or an balance sheet total not exceeding €43M - it is autonomous For the definition of SMEs, look at: http://ec.europa.eu/growth/smes/business-friendly-environment/sme-definition_en									
Short introduction of key areas of institute's research: Organ-on-chip devices and assays for precision medicine with a focus on cancer.									
Former participation in an FP European project? Project title / Acronym: Activities performed:		☐ YES ⊠ N	0						
Evanuation / Committee and official									

Expertise / Commitment offered

Description of your expertise:

INITIO Cell Biyoteknoloji A.S. was founded in 2021 to develop organ-on-chip devices and assays for precision medicine. Our products enable pharma/biotech companies transform their drug development via functional rather than descriptive tests. Unlike existing solutions, our products determine the metastatic potential and the metastasis sites, determine drug dose response with 10-fold reduced cost, create value for both diagnostics and therapy.

From cancer to antibiotic resistance, our products and services reduce the need for animal testing and provide low cost solutions.

Initio Cell's long-term goal is to have a sustainable drug discovery process

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implemented via collaborations with both academia and biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries. In the short term, we plan to provide existing and new products and services to our customers. Products and services include: Disposable OOC devices for drug discovery, CRO services and image analysis services. We have two OOC platforms on the market: DDI-chip (distance dependent interactions) and IC-chip (invasion-chemotaxis). We are developing two new OOC platforms, one for determining drug response in combination therapy and one advanced modeling of healthy and disease microenvironments. **Keywords specifying** Organ-on-chip, microphysiological system, precision medicine, cancer, your expertise: drug discovery, metastasis Commitment offered: □ Research ☐ Demonstration □ Dissemination ☐ Other: □ Research & Innovation SME Interested in Instrument Action participation in project types: Work Programme research areas: indicate your interest Health Call topic(s): HORIZON-HLTH-2024-TOOL-05-06-two-stage Izmir Institute of Technology, Turkiye Do you have other Dokuz Eylul University School of Medicine, Turkiye partners for this topic (which partners/country)? Profile of partner sought ☐ technology development ☐ training Role ⊠ research □ dissemination □ demonstration ☐ other Country /region ☐ EU countries eligible to apply to the call

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Expertise required	Access to patient liquid and/or solid biop and/or Synthetic hydrogels for 3D cell culture and/or Drug discovery and/or Immunology	osy		
I agree with the p	ublication of my contact data:	⊠ YES	□NO	