

ACCELERATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF INNOVATIVE PAEDIATRIC TREATMENTS

A UNIQUE EUROPEAN PAEDIATRIC CLINICAL TRIAL NETWORK

conect4children Stichting (c4c-S) is a unique pan-European network that offers a faster and more efficient way to design, set up and conduct regulatory-grade patient-centric paediatric trials covering all ages and therapeutic areas.

STRONGLY ROOTED IN COLLABORATION

c4c-S was founded in April 2023 as a spin-off of the IMI2 project conect4children, a one-of-a-kind collaboration, bringing together 36 academic and 10 industry partners as well as around 500 affiliated partners. Together, we have built up the capacity for the implementation of multinational paediatric trials in Europe, ready to support the next generation of paediatric therapies.

SHORTER TIMELINES AT EVERY STAGE



SITE IDENTIFICATION



SITE FEASIBILITY



25+

Dedicated PPI
(patient public
involvement) experts



450+

Clinical & innovative
methodology experts



15

National Hubs (NHs) and
additional countries to
support c4c-S services



220+

High-quality
trial-ready sites

*For all studies, not only paediatrics. Adapted from Tufts CSDD: <https://blogs.oracle.com/life-sciences/post/parallelization-imperative-to-the-compression-of-clinical-trial-cycle-times>

Stay informed about c4c-S:
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WHAT WE OFFER

EXPERT ADVICE

Upgrade your study design with multidisciplinary insights of clinical and methodology experts, as well as children, young people and families.

EXPLORATORY OUTREACH

Get insights into barriers and facilitators to study conduct at site and country level, such as number and location of potential participants, care pathways between hospitals and information about standards of care.

SITE IDENTIFICATION

Get access to more than 220 high-quality, trial-ready sites across more than 15 countries with a single request.

SITE FEASIBILITY

Assess the trial-specific feasibility of each site quickly and reliably with support from our NHs.

Obtain a Confidential Disclosure Agreement (CDA) with every site with a single signature thanks to our innovative CDA cascade.

STUDY SUPPORT

Receive support to help ensure every study is delivered on time and to the highest quality through:

- the close relationship of the NHs and the sites.
- insight on local complexities and regulations.
- extensive specialised expertise.

NATIONAL HUBS: THE BACKBONE OF THE NETWORK

THE NHs ENABLE MULTINATIONAL TRIALS TO BE EXECUTED EFFICIENTLY AND EFFECTIVELY:

Local representation across Europe.

Strong links to the national paediatric research and clinical communities.

A close, trustworthy relationship with clinical sites and local stakeholders.

A deep insight into cultural differences or regulatory complexities between regions.

