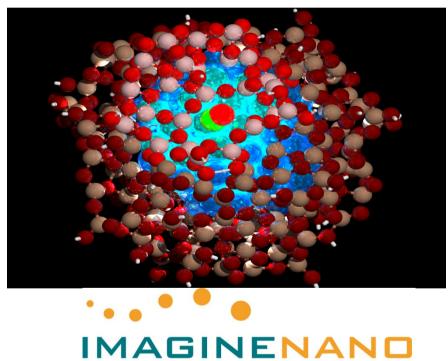


#### **NoCanTher:**

# Nanomedicine Upscaling for Early Clinical Phases of Cancer Therapy





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#### **Outline**

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# Organización Sanitas Internacional: Healthcare Services

OSI is a healthcare specialized group of companies that comprises several healthcare providers and a network of hospitals and health centers.

OSI also includes educational institutions and societal-oriented companies that

complement

our health services in the market.

OSI has its own network of third and fourth level hospitals and Comprehensive medical centers for outpatient care with:

- ✓ Dental clinics
- ✓ Diagnostics centers
- ✓ Ophthalmological surgery
- ✓ Diagnostic imaging units
- ✓ Network of clinical laboratories
- ✓ Optical stores and pharmacies



All streamlined for a comprehensive, personalized and multidisciplinary approach.



#### New Developments in other geographical areas and the establisment of R&D&i

# GLOBAL PRESENCE



#### OSI by the numbers

- ✓ 14.000 employees
- ✓ 3.5 M users
- ✓ 941 cities
- √ 7 Hospitals
- ✓ 60 medical centers
- √ 57 Laboratories
- ✓ 1 University (UNISANITAS)
- ✓ 2 Foundations



#### **PRAXIS PHARMACEUTICAL**

#### Services and Key Expertise



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# Full formulation development, including:

- Biologics, peptides
- Micro and nano-encapsulation to enhance stability and for controlled release formulations



Analytical method development and validation



Process development and scale-up



cGMP manufacturing, release and stability studies for:

- •Clinical trial material
- •Small commercial scale (Orphan drugs)
- •Cell Therapies

Full service from formulation development to clinical batches and commercial manufacturing

Our integrated services cover every step for a successful market launch and execution of clinical trials.

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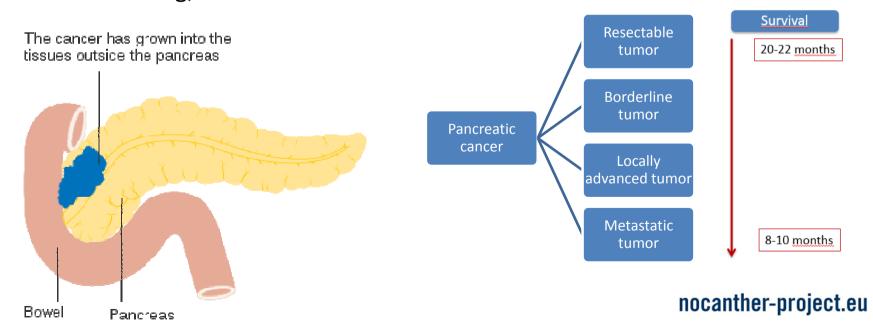




### Why is it necessary? → Pancreatic Cancer

With **103,000** new cases in **2014** in Europe, pancreatic cancer is the 6th cause of death by cancer

In fact, it is expected that, by 2030, pancreatic cancer becomes the first cause of death above lung, colon or liver cancer







Main goal → to translate the nanomedicine developed in the project to a Phase I clinical trial.



- Improve The formulation in Biopraxis (R&D)
- Scale- up and GMP manufacturing



- Advanced preclinical regulatory assays: efficacy and toxicity
- Use of hyperthermia



- A phase I clinical trial
- Assess the safety of the nanoformulation



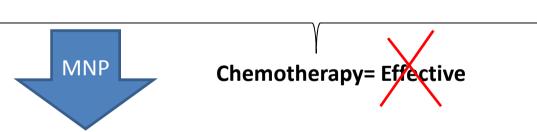
#### **Project description** → **Objectives**



Pancreatic ductal carcinoma:



- Orphan disease
- •Late diagnostic for lack of early symptoms → Advanced phase
- •Survival rate < 5%
- •Different from other cancers → Desmoplastic tissue (BARRIER)





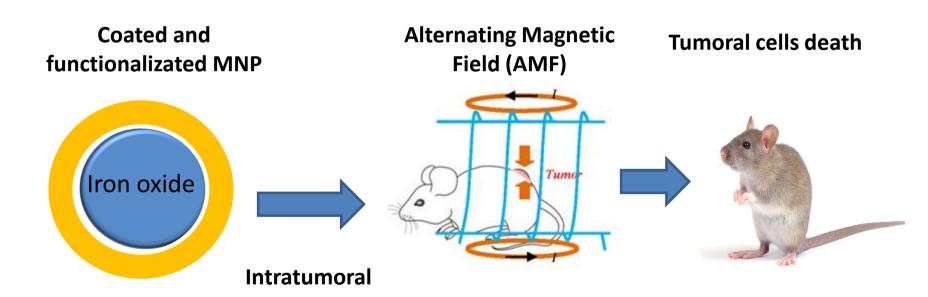
#### **Major advantages:**

- •Reduce side effects → Intratumorally, targeting molecule, magnetic hyperthermia, metabolism.
- •Versatile therapeutic approach  $\rightarrow$  adapted to the treatment of other malignancies. nocanther-project.eu



#### From preclinical...

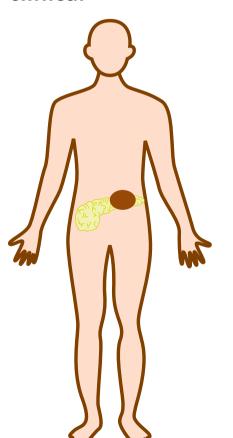


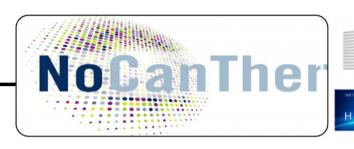


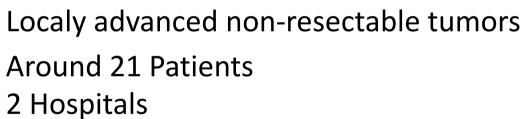




#### ... to clinical











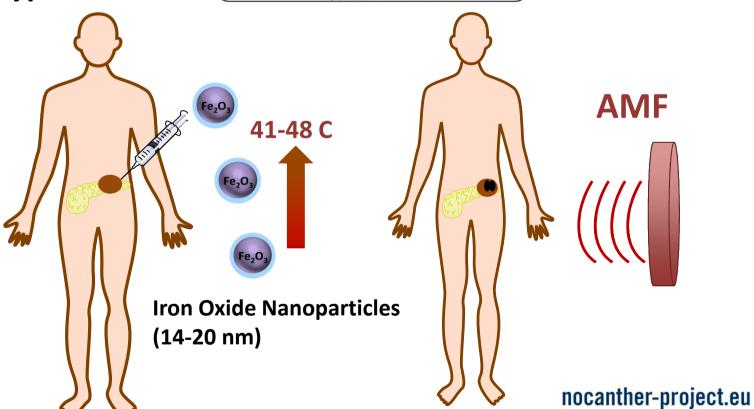
# **Magnetic Hyperthermia**





Magnetic Hyperthermia device

Portable!!





# **Project description** → **Stage of development**



MACH (Magnetic Alternating Current Hyperthermia)

**Portability** - MACH system is mobile / transportable.

**Scalability** - Design focussed on core PCBs that can be run in parallel to increase field power.

**Power supply requirements** - Mains driven 240 VAC (standard wall socket)

**Location requirements** - Shielded room not required. Can operate within range of other patient monitoring systems i.e. Pulse oximeter, blood pressure monitor, ultrasound...



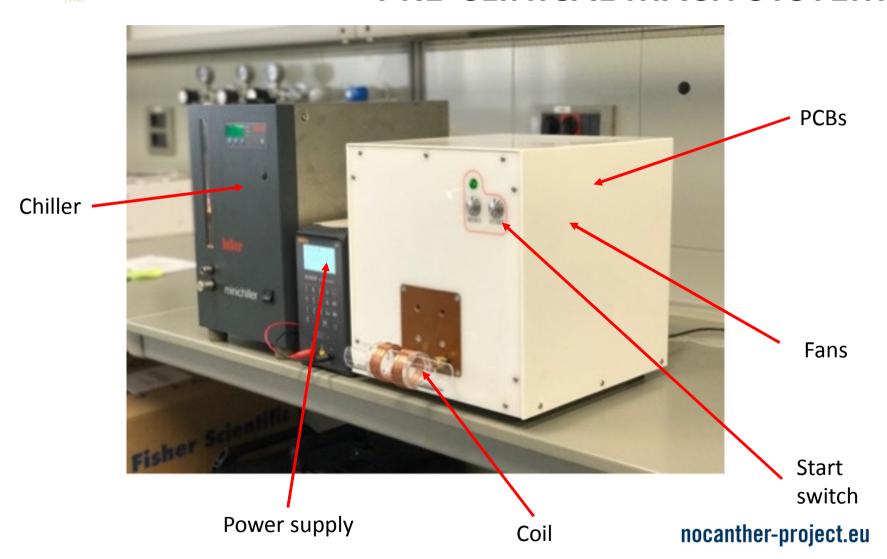


MACH system



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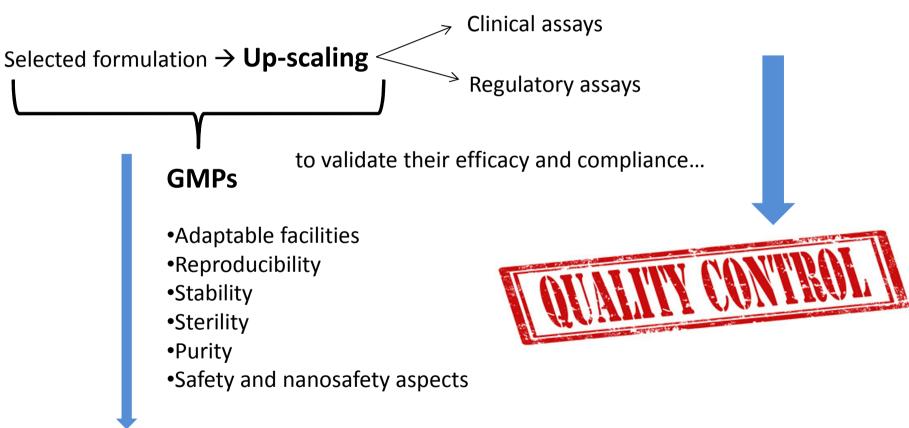
# **PRE-CLINICAL MACH SYSTEM**





#### **Project description** → **Stage of development**









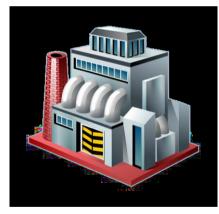
### **Perspective**

Praxis Group:

**Biopraxis (R+D)** 



# Praxis Pharmaceutical (Manufacturing Division)



### **Praxis Group**



- •Praxis → Explotation
- •Partners → 5% Royalties



#### **Perspective**



1.Define the final industrial process, characterise the final formulation  $\rightarrow$  **Up-scale** 

2.Final preclinical Assessment for **IMPD** submission

3. Register the MNP as a **medical device** 

4. Enter a Clinical Trial





# Thanks for your attention



And remember









#### **Discussion**





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