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SciTech Scity Welcomes JPMorganChase to the Healthcare Innovation Engine

One of the World's Leading Financial Institutions Joins the Nation's First Statewide Digital Health Adoption Platform

JERSEY CITY, NJ, July 13, 2026 – JPMorganChase has joined SciTech Scity's Healthcare Innovation Engine as a New Jersey Market Partner. The partnership connects one of the world's leading financial institutions with the nation's first statewide digital health adoption platform and expands the Engine's capacity to support startups that are transforming healthcare delivery across New Jersey and beyond.

The Healthcare Innovation Engine is a flagship initiative of SciTech Scity, Liberty Science Center's 30-acre innovation campus under development in Jersey City, New Jersey. Launched in February 2024, the Engine is a first-of-its-kind public-private partnership dedicated to transforming healthcare by accelerating the adoption and scaling of digital-first care solutions. The Engine was built to solve a persistent failure in U.S. healthcare: billions invested in innovation each year, yet too few solutions ever reach patients at scale. To address this, the Engine identifies high-impact digital health startups and runs structured, real-world pilots that move solutions from concept to implementation. Each pilot is designed to generate measurable evidence, derisk adoption, and create a replicable model for scaling across communities and health systems.

The Engine's work spans priority areas including cardiovascular care, maternal health, mental health, oncology, aging, and chronic disease. It is supported by a broad coalition of partners: EY, Bristol Myers Squibb, JPMorganChase, RWJBarnabas Health, New Jersey Innovation Institute, Tech Council Ventures, Princeton University, Nokia Bell Labs, New Jersey Economic Development Authority, New Jersey Department of Human Services, New Jersey Department of Health, and Jersey City Department of Health and Human Services.

“At a time when healthcare systems are under pressure to deliver more with fewer resources, and policymakers are raising the bar on equity and innovation, our partnership with JPMorganChase ensures that the most promising digital health startups do not just pilot in New Jersey. They scale here,” said Alex Richter, Executive Director and Head of the SciTech Innovation Hub. “The startups supported through this partnership will gain the capital and validation they need to thrive. They will also deliver solutions that expand access, reduce disparities, and strengthen outcomes for communities that are too often left behind.”

As the nation's leading bank in healthcare finance, JPMorganChase brings unmatched expertise across life sciences, digital health, and healthcare services. Few institutions can support a company from its earliest days through IPO. JPMorganChase's platform spans startup banking, commercial lending, private banking, and public markets, bringing not only capital and expertise, but a global network that can accelerate the growth and scaling of high-impact healthcare companies. This breadth of capability makes it a uniquely powerful partner for an initiative designed to take startups from validation to scale. As a New Jersey Market Partner, JPMorganChase will engage directly with the Engine's ecosystem of entrepreneurs, payers, government partners, and founders across the New Jersey and New York regions, mentoring early-stage companies and helping connect them to the resources and relationships needed to grow.

“Healthcare innovation requires more than great ideas. It requires the right ecosystem to support growth and adoption,” said Jon Panik, Managing Director at J.P. Morgan Private Bank. “Through this partnership, we are putting our network, our capital, and our healthcare expertise directly in service of the founders who are solving the hardest problems in care delivery. We are proud to join the Healthcare Innovation Engine and support entrepreneurs as they build solutions that improve outcomes, expand access, and strengthen the future of care."

This partnership also reflects JPMorganChase's deep commitment to the New Jersey innovation economy, an investment in the entrepreneurs, health systems, and communities building the future of care in the state. With the right partners at the table, the Healthcare Innovation Engine is not just accelerating what is possible in New Jersey. It is setting a model for how states can lead on digital health adoption nationwide and signaling clearly that New Jersey is open for business.

About SciTech Scity & The Healthcare Innovation Engine

Liberty Science Center is developing a "Science City of Tomorrow" in Jersey City–a 30-acre innovation campus called **SciTech Scity** devoted to using science and technology to address humanity's greatest challenges and create a better future for all of us. The new campus, including the existing Liberty Science Center, will be officially named the Frank J. Guarini Innovation Campus and start to open in 2026.

Supported by seven Fortune 500 level companies, the new construction at SciTech Scity will include: **Liberty Science Center High School**, a world-class public STEM high school; **Edge Works**, an eight-story business creation center with laboratories, R&D spaces, office suites, co-working spaces, a tech exhibition gallery, and a state-of-the-art conference center; **Aviva Scholars Village** residential housing built and operated by Alpine Residential; and **Public Commons**, three acres of outdoor space for community activations.

The **Healthcare Innovation Engine**, SciTech Scity's flagship initiative, is the first statewide ecosystem in the country to accelerate digital health technology adoption. Recognized by the World Economic Forum with its 2025 Public-Private Collaboration Award, the Engine deploys patient pilots to translate promising new technologies into scalable solutions that improve health outcomes, advance equity, and reduce avoidable costs. Engine partners include public health officials, payors, providers, life sciences companies, innovative startups, and patient and community representatives.

Learn more at SciTechScity.com.

About Liberty Science Center

Liberty Science Center (LSC.org) is a 300,000-square-foot, not-for-profit learning center located in Liberty State Park on the Jersey City bank of the Hudson near the Statue of Liberty. Dedicated to inspiring the next generation of scientists and engineers and bringing the power, promise, and pure fun of science and technology to learners of all ages, Liberty Science Center houses the largest planetarium in the Western Hemisphere, 11 museum exhibition halls, a live animal collection with 110 species, giant aquariums, a 3D theater, live simulcast surgeries, a tornado-force wind simulator, K-12 classrooms and labs, and teacher-development programs. More than 250,000 students visit the Science Center each year, and tens of thousands more participate in the Center's off-site and online programs. Welcoming more than 800,000 visitors annually, LSC is the largest cultural institution in New Jersey and the largest interactive science center in the NYC-NJ metropolitan area.

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