

THE LIST

BIOTECH COMPANIES

Ranked by number of Valley-based employees

Rank	Company name address website	Employees SFV based companywide	Offices SFV based companywide year founded	Description of Business	Top Local Executive name title phone
1	Amgen, Inc. One Amgen Center Dr. Thousand Oaks, 91320 amgen.com	6,700 16,000	1 50 1980	discovers, develops, manufactures and delivers innovative human therapeutics to fight against cancer, kidney disease, rheumatoid arthritis, and other serious illnesses	Kevin Sharer Chairman/President/CEO (805) 447-1000
2	HemaCare Corp 15350 Sherman Way #350 Van Nuys, 91406 hemacare.com	188 252	1 6 1978	blood product services and blood related therapeutic services; cellular therapy products and services	Pete van der Wal President/CEO (818) 251-5334
3	Ceres, Inc. 1535 Rancho Conejo Blvd. Thousand Oaks, 91320 ceres.net	85 100	1 4 1997	developer and marketer of energy grasses for use in advanced biofuels and power	Richard Hamilton President/CEO (805) 376-6500
4	MannKind Corp. 28903 North Ave. Paine Valencia, 91355 mannkindcorp.com	75 450	1 3 1991	a biopharmaceutical company focused on the discovery, development, and commercialization of therapeutic products for diseases such as diabetes and cancer	Alfred E. Mann Chairman/CEO (661) 775-5300
5	Ultra Violet Devices 26145 Technology Dr. Valencia, 91355 uvdi.com	70 75	1 1 1992	design and manufacture air and surface purification equipment using ultraviolet and molecular filtration technologies	Dan Goetz President/CEO (661) 257-4688
6	Kythera Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. 27200 West Agoura Rd. #200 Calabasas, 91301 kytherabiopharma.com	30 30	1 1 2005	focused on the discovery, development and commercialization of novel prescription products for the aesthetic market	Keith Leonard Founder/President/CEO (818) 587-4500
7	Kinamed 820 Flynn Rd. Camarillo, 93012 kinamed.com	23 25	1 1 1987	manufactures orthopedic total joint replacements, and implantable neurosurgery devices, the CarboJet and surgical instruments	Vineet Sarin President (805) 384-2748
8	Symbion Research International 3537 Old Conejo Rd. #115 Newbury Park, 91320 symbionresearch.com	15 WND	1 2 1995	a Contract Research Organization (CRO), offering a complete spectrum of strategic and product development, clinical research, and regulatory services to biotechnology, pharmaceutical, and device companies	Peggy Pence President/CEO (805) 214-3700
9	Cynvenio Biosystems Inc. 2260 Townsgate Rd. #2 Westlake Village, 91361 cynvenio.com	12 12	1 2 2006	develops molecular diagnostic technology for oncology	Andre De Fusco CEO (805) 777-0017
10	Analytical Ventura 1355 Lawrence Dr. #211 Thousand Oaks, 91320 analyticalventura.com	4 4	1 1 2005	analytical methods development and testing services for the biotech and pharmaceutical industries	Greg Cauchon President (805) 480-9900
11	Genomic Express, Inc. 725-H Lakefield Rd. Westlake Village, 91361 genomicexpress.com	4 4	1 1 2008	offers genetic tests and other genomic services directly to individuals, specializing in four product sectors: ancestry-genealogy, inherited traits, lifestyle and medical genetic tests	Grant A. Bitter President/CEO (805) 495-7515
12	ImmunoCellular Therapeutics, Ltd 21900 Burbank Blvd., 3rd Fl. Woodland Hills, 91367 imuc.com	3 3	1 1 2006	clinical-stage company that is focused on developing new therapeutics to fight cancer using the immune system	Manish Singh President/CEO (818) 992-2907
13	Amethyst Life Sciences, Inc. 1355 Lawrence Dr. #210 Thousand Oaks, 91320 amethystls.com	3 3	1 1 2005	provides CMC drug-development, management, and consulting services to biotech and pharmaceutical clients	Greg Cauchon President (805) 480-9900
14	Vector Research 1355 Lawrence Dr. #210 Thousand Oaks, 91320 amethystls.com	2 2	1 1 2008	process development of bacterial and mammalian expression systems and production and purification of recombinant proteins, peptides, and drug-delivery vehicles	Greg Cauchon President (805) 480-9900
15	Designed Polymers 1355 Lawrence Dr. #206 Thousand Oaks, 91320 amethystls.com	2 2	1 1 2005	production and bioconjugation of commercial and novel polymers, including poly(ethylene glycol) to proteins, peptides, and device surfaces	Greg Cauchon President (805) 480-9900
16	Alliance Protein Laboratories 77 University Dr., 2nd Fl. Camarillo, 93012 ap-lab.com	2 2	1 1 1998	provides analytical services to the biotechnology industry, specializing in analytical ultracentrifugation, circular dichroism spectroscopy, and light scattering, as well as research-scale protein purification services	Tsutomu Arakawa President (805) 388-1074
17	BitTech P.O. Box 1499 Agoura Hills, 91376 bittech.net	2 2	1 1 1993	biotechnology research and consulting	Grant A. Bitter President/CSO (805) 495-7515

WND: Would Not Disclose. The list is ranked by the number of San Fernando Valley employees. In the event of a tie, the list is then ranked alphabetically. The information on this list was provided by the companies themselves. Advanced Bionics responded to the survey at deadline, however left off necessary information and could not be included. OneLambda and Aspyra were included on last year's list but did not respond to surveys for this year.

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