

VVMF Strengthens Asia-Pacific Engagement Through Participation at BioJapan 2026

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Viral Vector Manufacturing Facility Pty Ltd (VVMF), Australia's only viral vector Contract Development and Manufacturing Organisation (CDMO), today announced its participation in **BioJapan 2026**, one of Asia's leading biotechnology partnering events, taking place in Yokohama, Japan, from 7-9 October 2026. The event will provide an opportunity to showcase Australia's growing capabilities in advanced therapeutics manufacturing and clinical development to biotechnology innovators from across the Asia-Pacific region and beyond.

Anita van der Meer, Head of Business Development and Partnerships, will represent VVMF as part of the **Team Australia exhibition at Stand D-95 in PACIFICO Yokohama**. She will be available for partnering discussions throughout the event and can also be contacted through the **BioJapan Partnering Program**.

On **Day 2** of the conference, Anita will participate in an Australian Clinical Trials Initiative (ACTI) panel discussion examining how Australia's clinical trial environment can help Asia-Pacific and global biotechnology companies accelerate early-stage drug development through faster timelines, cost efficiencies and a supportive regulatory framework.

Panel: *Your Global Strategy - accelerating early drug development with clinical trials in Australia*

Date and Time: Thursday 8 October 2026, 14:30-15:30

Venue: F206, PACIFICO Yokohama

VVMF provides end-to-end viral vector development and manufacturing services spanning research, process and analytical development, GMP manufacturing, and integrated support services. As Australia's only viral vector CDMO, VVMF supports global cell and gene therapy (CGT) developers with high-quality lentiviral (LV) and adeno-associated viral (AAV) vector solutions for research, clinical and commercial programs.

Through its unique position within Australia's biotechnology ecosystem, VVMF helps international developers access world-class scientific expertise, advanced manufacturing capabilities and a highly attractive clinical development environment.



Commenting on VVMF's participation, **Anita van der Meer said:** "BioJapan brings together some of the most innovative biotechnology and cell and gene therapy organisations from across Asia and around the world. We look forward to meeting developers seeking high-quality viral vector development and manufacturing expertise, while also showcasing the unique advantages Australia offers for advancing cell and gene therapy programs, from early-stage development through to clinical manufacturing and commercialisation."



Image: Anita van der Meer. Photo credit: VVMF

About VVMF – Unlocking the Future of Medicine

Viral Vector Manufacturing Facility Pty. Ltd. (VVMF) is Australia's only Contract Development and Manufacturing Organisation (CDMO) dedicated to providing services in the research, design, development, and manufacture of viral vectors for advanced therapeutic applications. VVMF partners with researchers, clinicians, and bio-pharma companies to accelerate the path to market for cell and gene therapies to local and global patients.

Viral vectors play a crucial role in delivering genetic material into cells and are central to innovative treatments in areas of medicine including cancers and rare diseases.

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