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## **MEDICIS-produced radioisotope beams for medical applications** a Marie Curie Innovative Training Network

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The group at the National Graphene Institute with their host Kostya Novoselov (Nobel Prize 2010).





The MEDICIS facility under construction at CERN.

## • Training of a new generation of 15 entrepreneurial scientists within a network of leaders in the different

interdisciplinary fields including a Nobel prize laureate.

- Bridging academia, industry, research institutions and hospitals for the production, transport, manufacturing and delivery to patients of innovative radiolabelled compounds for target-specific imaging and therapy of cancer.
- The new CERN-MEDICIS facility will extend the present ISOLDE facility and will provide dedicated medical batches for radiopharmaceuticals production. Accelerator technologies will be developed towards performing <sup>11</sup>C-based hadron therapy treatments.

Ion source



Charge breeding in an Electron Beam Ion Source

## <sup>11</sup>C beam preparation

Radioisotope collection

Radiochemistry

The CERN-MEDICIS Facility



Monte Carlo Simulations for an improved **Treatment Planning System (TPS)** 

Advanced treatment planning

**Shipping and** safety control



**Shielded Containers** developed for the safe transport of medical radioisotopes and compounds

<sup>11</sup>C-based **Hadron Therapy** 



 $^{11}C^{4/6+}$ 

**Functional** Imaging

## Theranostic Development



Radiopharmaceutical **Synthesis** 





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