

MedPhab

Photonic Medical Devices

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MedPhab – The Photonics-Based Medical Technology Pilot Line

This project has received funding from the European Union's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme under grant agreement No 871345.
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- **Photonics Pilot Line** dedicated to medical devices
- Enable **cost effective development** from prototype devices to manufacturing
- **Several photonics and supportive technologies** through a single entry-point
- Early adoption of **new photonics technologies**
- Develop and support the **entire supply chain**
- Provide unique **training**

Aimed at **reducing R&D costs** and **accelerating commercialization**

MedPhab's Ambition

Purpose

MedPhab accelerates photonic devices development and industrialization for medical applications.

Mission

Photonic device development and manufacturing according ISO 13485. A path from idea to manufacturing from single point of entry.

Vision

A customer-centric approach where research and industry work together in a common way with the medical-grade approach.

Applicability of MedPhab technologies in various medical domains



Hospital Use

Users → Medical Professionals

Technology → Fiber optic modules, Reader units



Home Care Diagnostics Services

Users → Citizens jointly with professionals

Technology → Miniaturized modules for wearables



Equipment for in-vitro Diagnostics

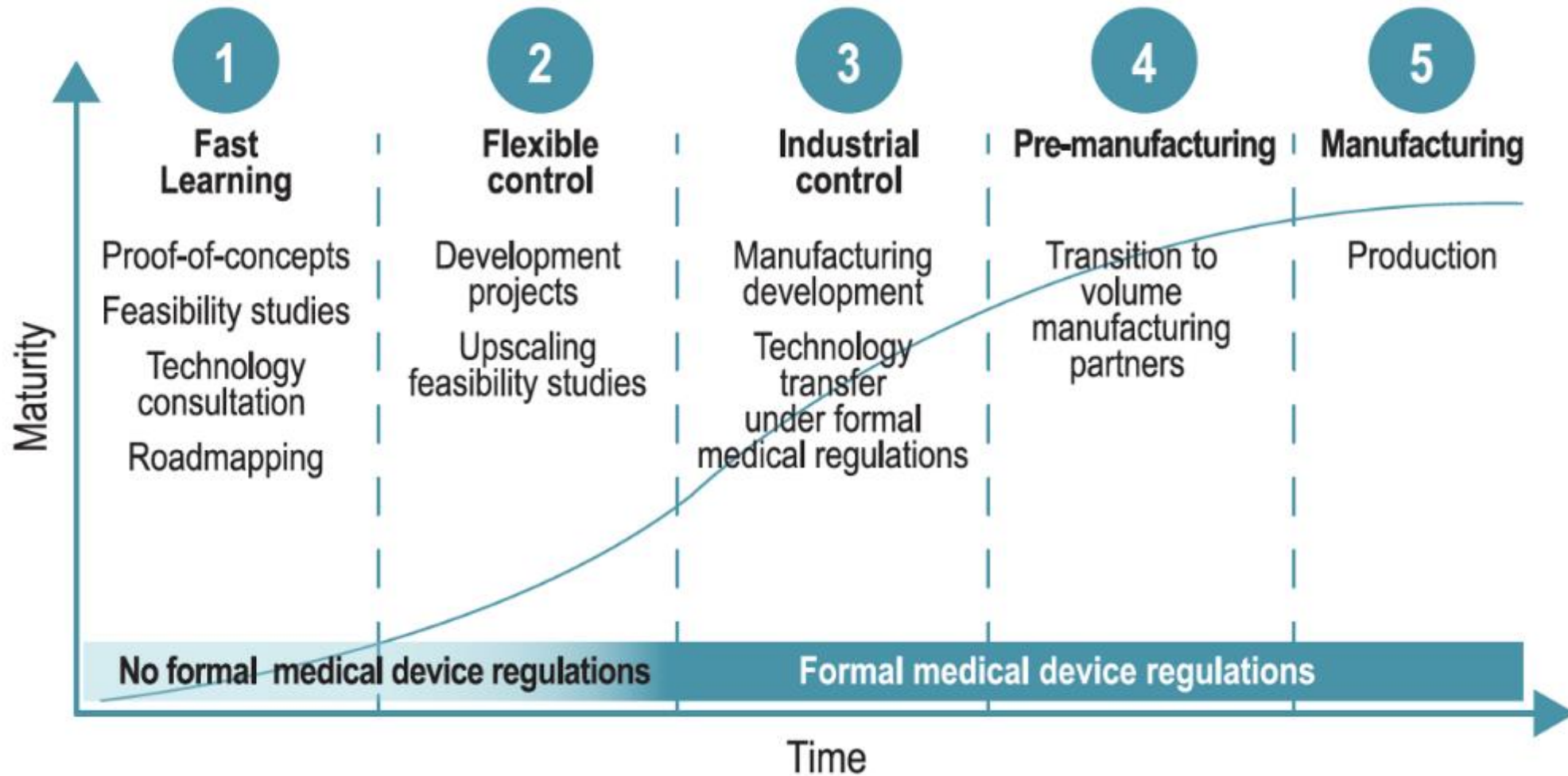
Users → Professionals in laboratories

Technologies → Disposable microfluidic cartridges, Reader units



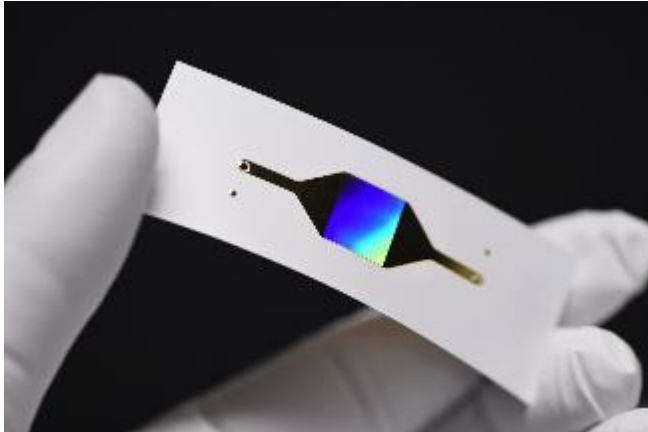
Single entry point across the whole development chain

Plan jointly the route towards the product launch!



Photonics solutions for medical diagnostics

Disposable plasmonic fluidic sensor



Technologies

- ✓ Microfluidics
- ✓ Plasmonics
- ✓ Surface functionalization

Applications

- ✓ SPR
- ✓ Surface-enhanced fluorescence

Reader units for in-vitro diagnostics



Technologies

- ✓ Optics
- ✓ Mechanics
- ✓ Integration

Applications

- ✓ Fluorescence reader
- ✓ SPR
- ✓ Interferometry

Photonic wearables



Technologies

- ✓ Optics
- ✓ Mechanics
- ✓ Integration

Applications

- ✓ PPG
- ✓ SpO2

Surgery aid



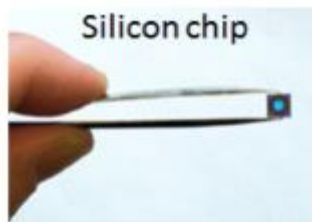
Technologies

- ✓ Fiber optics
- ✓ Integrated optics
- ✓ Micromodules

Applications

- ✓ Diagnostics
- ✓ Therapy

Photonic components



PCI Integrated circuits

- 1) Silicon photonics
- 2) Inp
- 3) Polymer photonics

PC2 Micro-optics

- 1) Polymer
- 2) Glass

PC3 Fiber optics

- 1) Standard
- 2) Customised
- 3) Facet handling

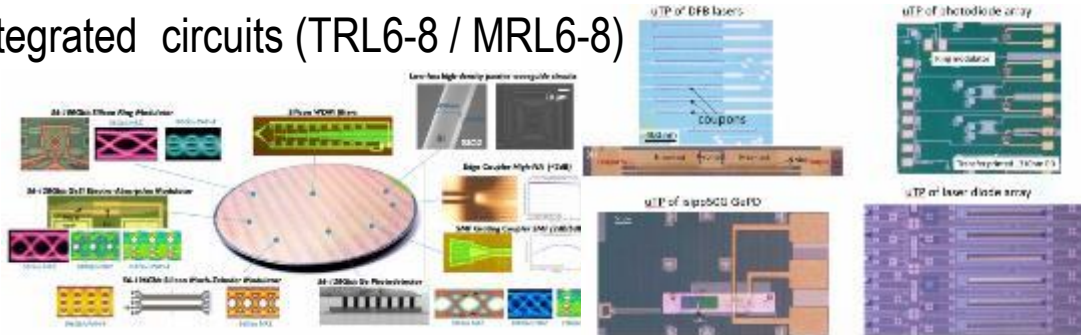
PC4 Optical components

- 1) Standard

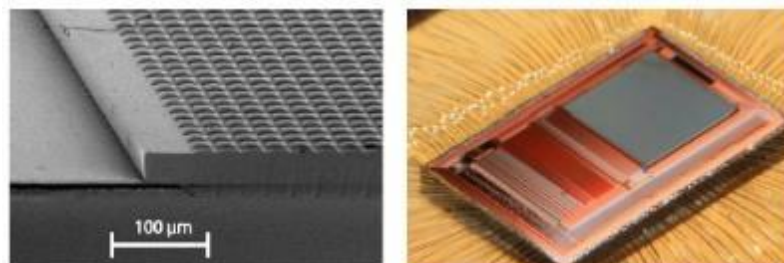
PC5 Active components

- 1) Standard sources
- 2) Detectors
- 3) Organic electronics

Integrated circuits (TRL6-8 / MRL6-8)



Micro-optics (TRL3-5 / MRL3-5)



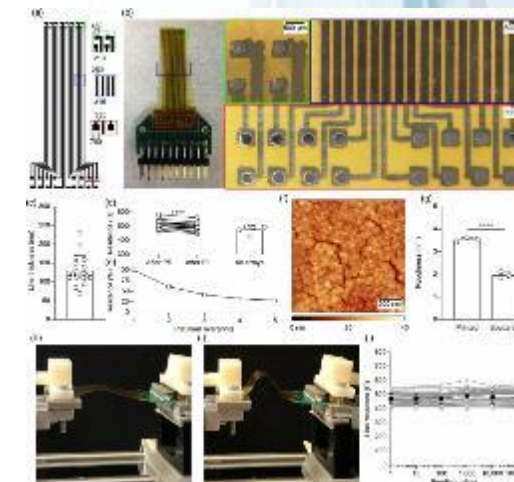
Fiber-optics (TRL3 -8 / MRL1-7)



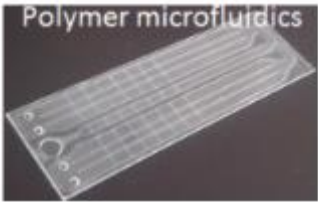
Optical components (TRL2-7 / MRL1-8)



Active components
(TRL2-6 / MRL1-7)



Platforms – Non-Photonic peripherals



NP1 Electronics

- 1) Printed circuit boards
- 2) ICs
- 3) Roll-to-roll printed electronics
- 4) Flex-to-Rigid/F2R

NP2 Opto-mechanics

- 1) Injection molding
- 2) Metal tooling
- 3) 2D and 3D printing

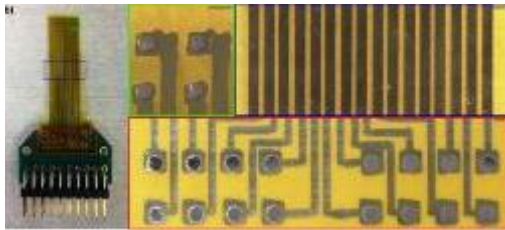
NP3 Microfluidics

- 1) Injection molding
- 2) Thermoplastics
- 3) UV-curable
- 4) PDMS high-volume
- 5) Adhesives

NP4 MEMS

- 1) Si-processing
- 2) SiN-processing

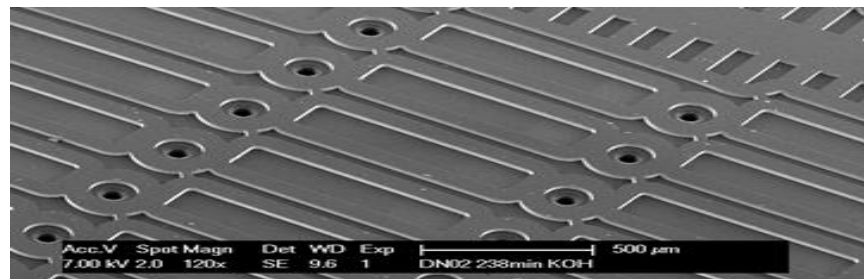
Printed electronics (TRL2-8 / MRL1-8)



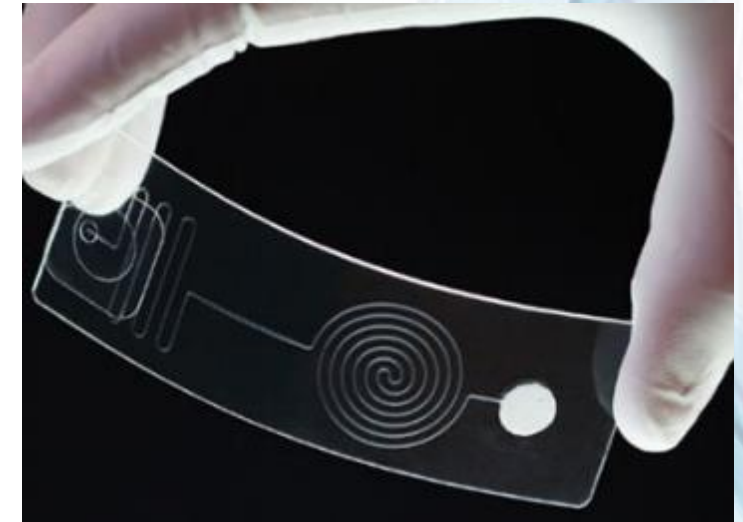
Opto-mechanics (TRL1-9 / MRL1-9)



MEMS



Microfluidics (TRL1-5 / MRL 2-8)



Sensor module



IN1 Fiber/Waveguide coupling

- 1) Active component / waveguide alignment
- 2) Grating couplers

IN2 Optical assembly

- 1) Free-space lens alignment
- 2) Mirror / grating assembly
- 3) Coupler lenses, prisms

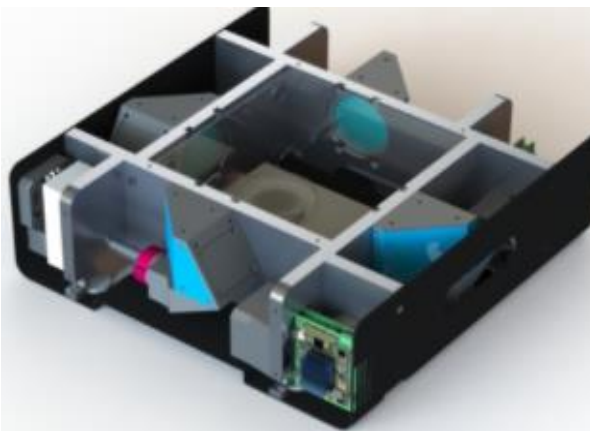
IN3 Component assembly

- 1) Rigid board
- 2) Flexible foil
- 3) Stretchable foil
- 4) Module assembly

IN4 Surface activation

- 1) Array spotting
- 2) Bio-reagent dispense
- 3) Surface modification

Optical assembly (TRL 3-5 / MRL 1-5)



Components assembly (TRL 2-7 / MRL 1-8)



Surface activation (TRL 2-7 / MRL 1-7)



Production kit - Disposable plasmonic fluidic sensor

Roll-to-roll manufactured tape microfluidics, VTT



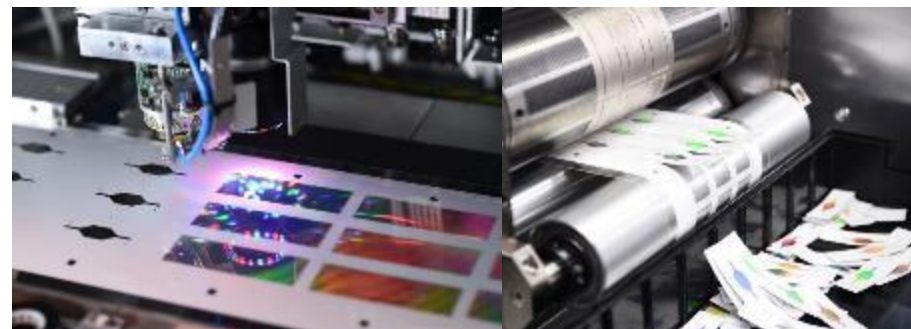
Design of photonic structure, VTT



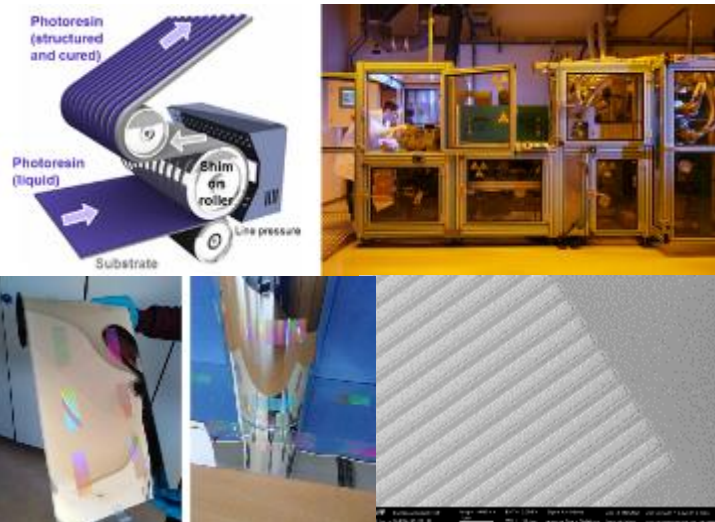
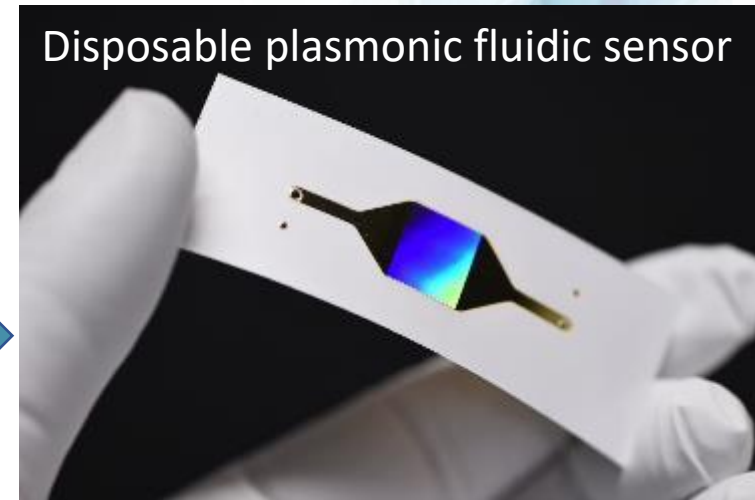
Sensor surface by roll-to-roll UV
nanoimprinting lithography,
Joanneum Research



Hybrid integration and singulation, VTT



Disposable plasmonic fluidic sensor





CMP



Financial support for Demo-case Projects

3 rd Party	EU-contribution for MedPhab services (Budget provided to MedPhab partners via MedPhab–Demo case fund)	3 rd party in-cash contribution (on top of optional in-kind contribution)
SME (EU-based)	75%	25%
Large company (EU-based)	50%	50%

- Total budget of MedPhab Demo Case Fund: 1.85 M€
- **Maximum EU-contribution per project: 125 K€**



How to participate

What

Pre-screening
(in-take form)



Preparation & submission
of full proposal
(MedPhab writing coach)



Evaluation & Selection



Project execution

When

Continuous
process



Within 2M*



Every 2 M



Jan 2022

Feb 2022

Mar 2022

Apr 2022

May 2022

June 2022

July 2022

In-take form

Evaluation &
selection

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* The procedure allows for full proposal preparation and evaluation within 2M



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MedPhab website for Open Calls

<https://medphab.eu/open-call/>

First round of open calls

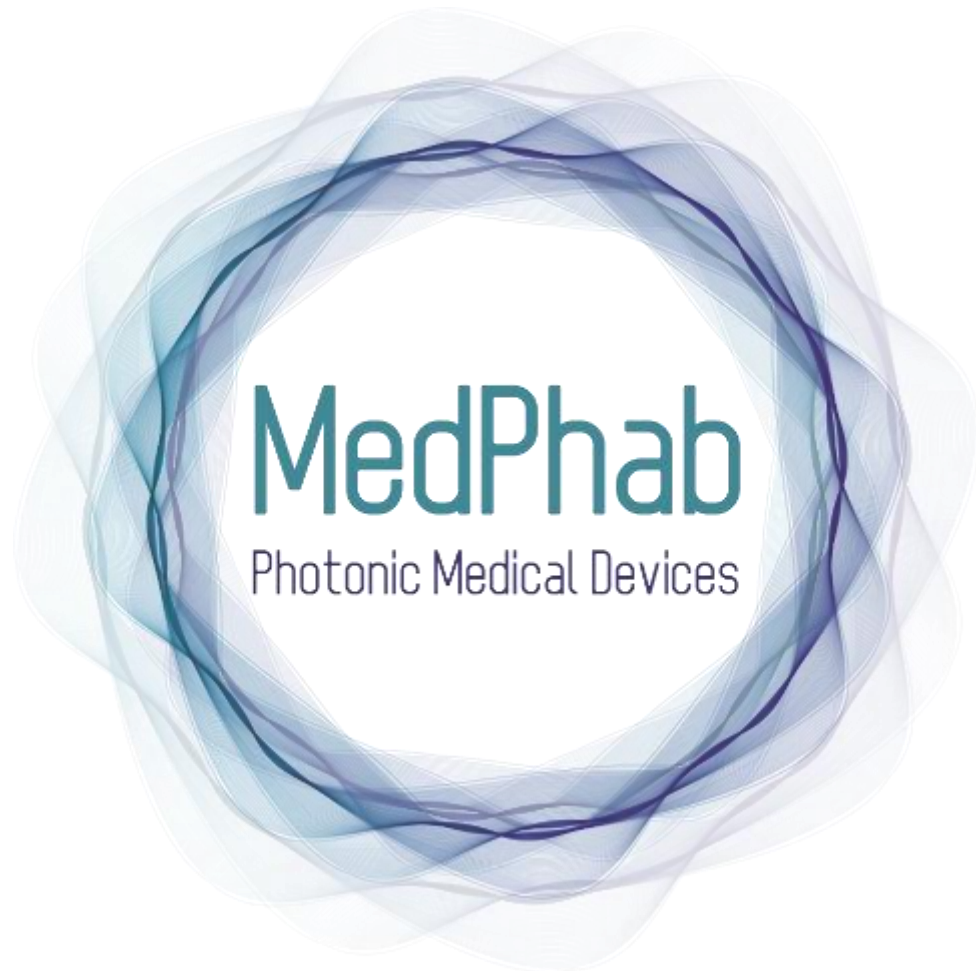
Launched in June 2021

10 applications from 9 different countries



Thank you for your attention!

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