

### Ipsen receives its second Shingo Prize for operational excellence

- » *Ipsen is the first pharma company in the world to receive Shingo Prizes for two sites producing treatments for patients*
- » *Ipsen's first Shingo Prize was received by its production site in Signes, France in 2020, followed by the site in Dublin, Ireland today*
- » *The Shingo Prize represents the highest standard of operational excellence in the world*

**PARIS, FRANCE, 14 October 2024** - Ipsen (Euronext: IPN; ADR: IPSEY) announced today that its Dublin, Ireland production site has received the Shingo Prize for operational excellence. This is Ipsen's second Shingo Prize, with its site in Signes, France, receiving the first award in 2020.

Created in 1988, the Shingo Prize recognizes companies across all sectors that demonstrate a strong culture of operational excellence, deeply rooted in the mindset and behaviors of all staff, management and employees alike. This prestigious award is given to a maximum of five companies each year.

Ipsen's Dublin, Ireland site has almost 200 employees and produces the active pharmaceutical ingredients for two of Ipsen's medicines.

"It's truly an honor to receive this second Shingo Prize," said Aidan Murphy, Executive Vice-President, Head of Technical Operations, Ipsen. "Following the first prize our Signes site received in 2020, we immediately saw the impact of the Shingo mindset: every colleague understands how their work supports the strategy and focuses on continuous improvement and alignment between our values and behaviors. Bringing this level of excellence to our industrial and manufacturing footprint has allowed us to consistently deliver on our medicines and avoid shortages."

"I'm extremely proud of the people at Ipsen and their hard work that has created a fantastic culture at the Dublin site," said Paul Maginn, head of Excellence Enterprise and Manufacturing Science & Technology who played a pivotal role on the Shingo journey. "The Shingo Prize reflects the energy, dedication and commitment of each person to embedding the Shingo Model™ across the organization." Bénédicte Verley Hudry, Head of the Dublin site, said, "I had a remarkable experience during the Shingo assessment in Dublin. The Shingo Model emphasizes the importance of authentic engagement and dedication from all team members, and Dublin team truly embodies these principles."

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Our pipeline is fueled by external innovation and supported by nearly 100 years of development experience and global hubs in the U.S., France and the U.K. Our teams in more than 40 countries and our partnerships around the world enable us to bring medicines to patients in more than 80 countries.

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