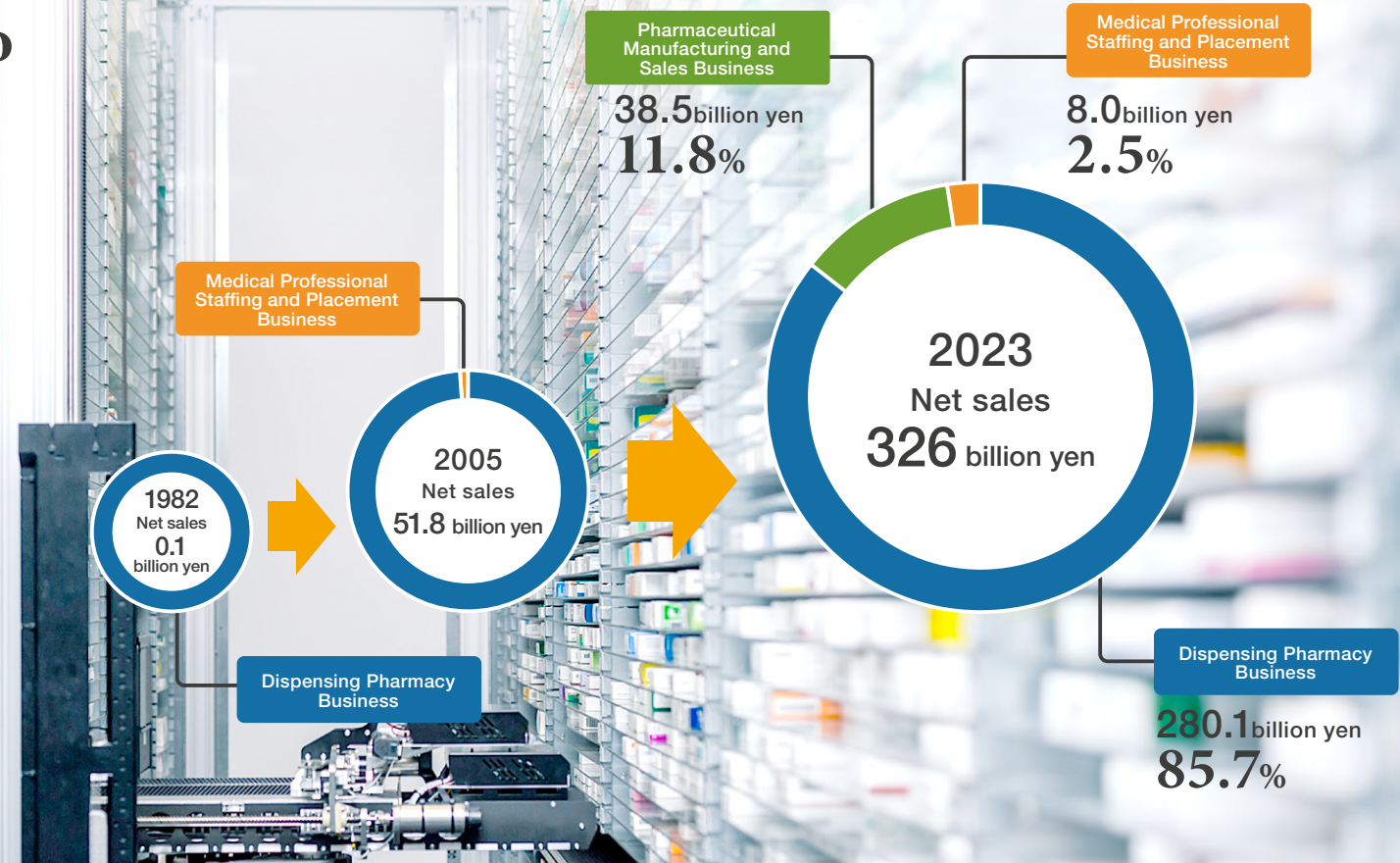


Business Portfolio

Building on expertise cultivated in its nationwide Dispensing Pharmacy Business, the Nihon Chouzai Group has expanded its reach into other areas of healthcare, evolving a unique business portfolio encompassing the Pharmaceutical Manufacturing and Sales Business, the Medical Professional Staffing and Placement Business, and the Information Provision and Consulting Business.

With the Dispensing Pharmacy Business at the core, we are harnessing synergies through organic collaboration between these businesses as we pursue further growth as a healthcare group giving people the closest possible support.



Dispensing Pharmacy Business

We have pharmacies in all 47 prefectures in Japan, seeking to contribute to improving the health of patients and provide high-quality healthcare services across the country. Based on the family pharmacist and pharmacy functions stipulated by the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, we have developed a network of both pharmacies that offer advanced drug management requiring highly specialized knowledge and those that offer health support functions that contribute to better pre-symptomatic illness and disease prevention in the community.

Information Provision and Consulting Business

This business involves analyzing the healthcare data resources cultivated through various Nihon Chouzai Group companies and carrying out surveys and research, providing information, and offering consulting services to local governments, health insurance associations, pharmaceutical manufacturers, and other customers. We help reduce the costs of healthcare through the effective use of vast amounts of information resources.

Pharmaceutical Manufacturing and Sales Business

The Pharmaceutical Manufacturing and Sales Business focuses primarily on generic drugs that are effective in curbing healthcare costs. Capitalizing on the strengths of the Nihon Chouzai Group, we manufacture safe, high-quality generic drugs that meet the needs of clinical settings, with a framework in place to enable a stable supply of drugs throughout Japan. With a current lineup of around 570 drugs, we aim to be a generic drug manufacturer that supports healthcare in Japan.

Medical Professional Staffing and Placement Business

This business engages in staffing and placement services for healthcare workers, mainly pharmacists. By drawing on the high-quality education system established by Nihon Chouzai, we are able to provide staffing and placement services with the kind of added value that other companies cannot match. We are also working to grow the business by expanding the lineup of services for healthcare professionals other than pharmacists, including doctors, nurses, and registered pharmaceutical sellers.