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Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport

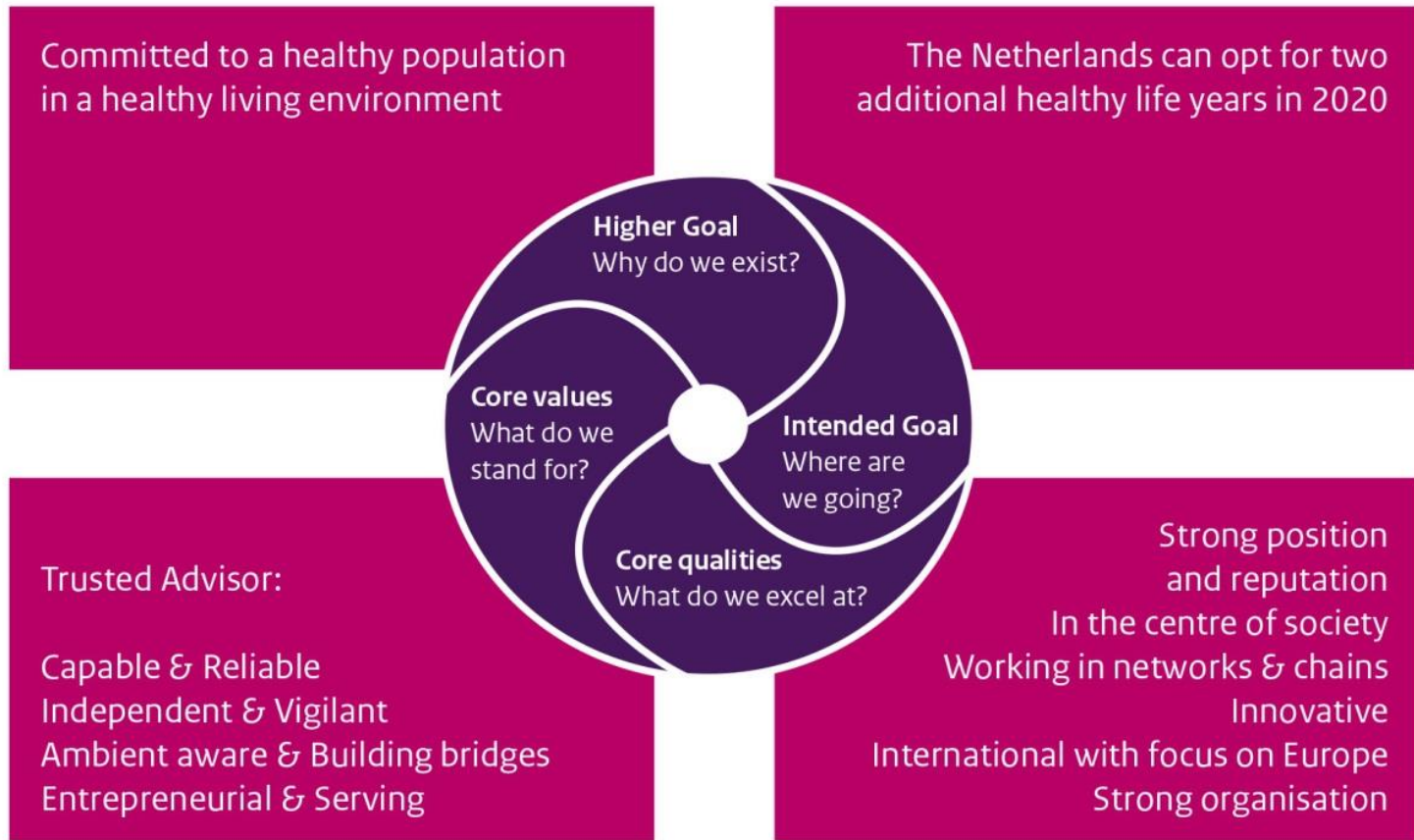
About RIVM

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RIVM | Committed to *health and sustainability*



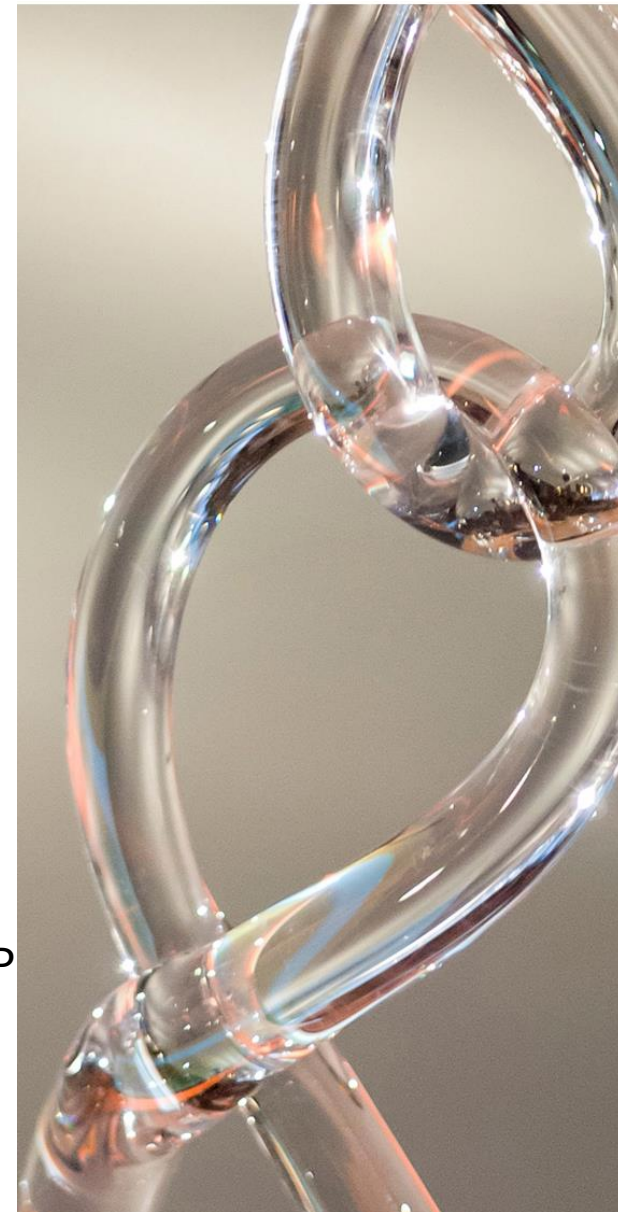
RIVM vision





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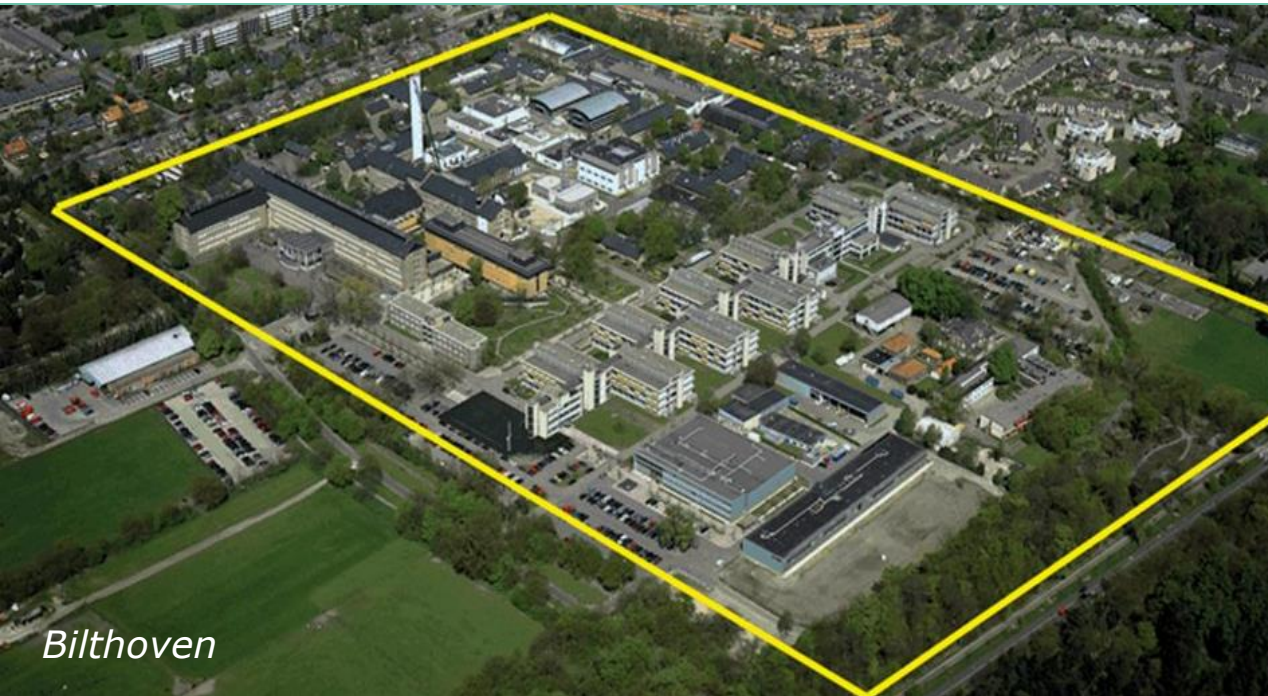
- RIVM is an agency of the Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport (= owner)
- **National** commissioning parties include various government ministries and agencies
 - Health, Welfare and Sport
 - Infrastructure and Water Management
 - Economic Affairs and Climate Policy
 - Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality
 - Safety Authority
 - Social Affairs and Employment
 - Justice and Security
 - Interior and Kingdom Relations
 - Defence
 - Netherlands Food and Consumer Products
- the **International** commissioning parties EU and European agencies, UN organisations WHO, FAO, UNEP
- **Local and regional** parties provinces, municipalities and regional water authorities
In connection with each other and society





About RIVM | Key figures 2017

- Established in 1909
- 1615 employees (fte), 56% women
- Budget € 355 million
- Three knowledge domains
- Scientifically independent (RIVM Act)
- Approx. 900 projects every year
- Approx. 150 reports and 700 scientific publications annually



Bilthoven



2021: Utrecht Science Park



Strategic challenges & Working programme

RIVM Environment & Safety

Healthy urban living

Air pollution and climate change

Water quality and drinking water

Circular economy

Natural Capital

Sustainable and healthy agriculture

Working environment and health

**Safety:
e.g.
chemicals,
radiation,
biotech**

