



# Istituto Superiore di Sanità

## ITALIAN NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF HEALTH

### Mission

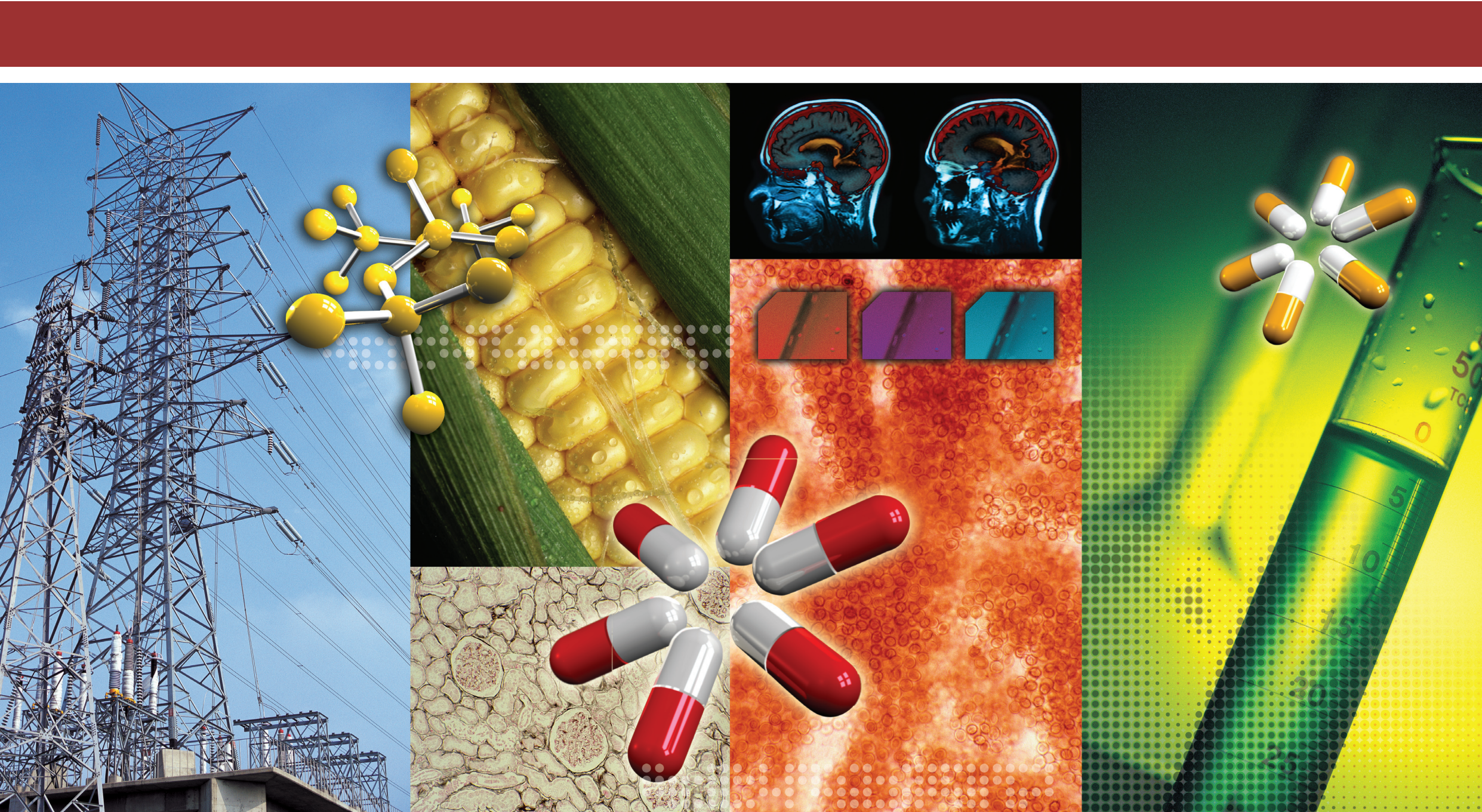
Promotion and safeguard of national and international public health through research, surveillance, regulation, control, prevention, communication, counseling and training activities.

### Vision

The ISS produces knowledge through research and trials and disseminates scientific knowledge and evidence to decision-makers, professional workers and citizens in order to protect and promote public health.

*The new Regulation for the organization and operation of the Institute, published on the Official Gazette of Italian Republic no. 88 of April 15, 2016 establishes its organizational structure into two main operational areas: administrative and technical-scientific.*

## Technical-scientific operational area



### Departments

- Cardiovascular, dysmetabolic and ageing-associated diseases
- Environment and health
- Food safety, nutrition and veterinary public health
- Infectious diseases
- Neurosciences
- Oncology and molecular medicine

### National Centres

- Addiction and doping
- Animal research and welfare
- Chemicals, cosmetics and consumer protection
- Clinical excellence, healthcare quality and safety
- Control and evaluation of medicines
- Disease prevention and health promotion
- Drug research and evaluation
- Global health
- Health technology assessment
- HIV/AIDS research
- Innovative technologies in public health
- Radiation protection and computational physics
- Rare diseases
- Telemedicine and new health care technologies
- Blood
- Transplants



### Reference Centres

- Behavioural sciences and mental health
- Gender medicine



### Technical-scientific services

- Biological Service
- Core facilities
- Grant office and technology transfer
- Research coordination and support
- Statistics



### Notified body

Notified body for activities set forth in Council Directives 93/42/EEC and 98/79/EC

### President Offices

- Secretariat
- Bioethics unit
- External relations and centre for international affairs
- Press office
- Scientific knowledge and communication (documentation, library and publishing)

