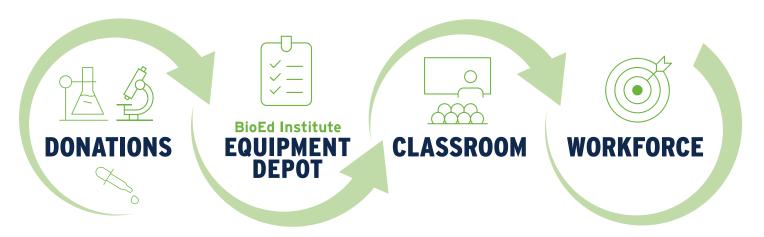
# Providing Donated Lab Supplies to Enhance STEM Education in Georgia's Classrooms

Lack of equipment is one of the top reasons that teachers do not perform more labs with their students.

"The biggest problem I have is access to the equipment and supplies needed to provide hands-on experiences to students in the classroom."

- Cobb County High School Teacher

#### Our solution is simple:



**OUR MISSION:** To cultivate Georgia's life science workforce pipeline through enabling hands-on learning by removing the barrier of expensive laboratory equipment.

**HOW DO WE DO IT?** The BioEd Institute seeks lightly used, last generation, and surplus equipment, supplies, and consumables from industry. Industry donates goods; we get them into a classroom.

**BONUS:** Mother Earth wins too, keeping thousands of pounds of equipment out of landfills!

"The BioEd Institute has been very helpful in both identifying the equipment I needed and facilitating me receiving the equipment."

- Mitchell County High School Teacher

Please contact us to get involved with the Georgia BioEd Institute Equipment Depot: education@gabio.org | www.georgiabioed.org



## **College & University Donations**

## University lab donations have largely supported Equipment Depot inventory.

HIGH NEED ITEMS: Safety goggles, pipette tip boxes (200 µL or 1000 µL, with case and insert), Pipettors (can accept broken micropipettes), glassware, plasticware, and plastic petri dishes.











**WE ALSO ACCEPT:** Accidental orders that can't be returned, gloves, small electronics, and medical supplies (such as blood collection tubes).











### Option 1 - Set up a donation barrel

Set up a box in your lab or common space for clean, non-surplus items. The BioEd Institute will create a pickup schedule that meets your needs.

#### Option 2 - Clean out & drop-off

Give us a call when you clean out your lab and we will arrange for a pickup or drop-off of items. Items must be clean and in working condition.