



# CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES

## VIRGINIA

Estimated 2017 Population<sup>1</sup>: 8,470,020

### IMPACT

#### Economic Impact of Research<sup>2</sup>

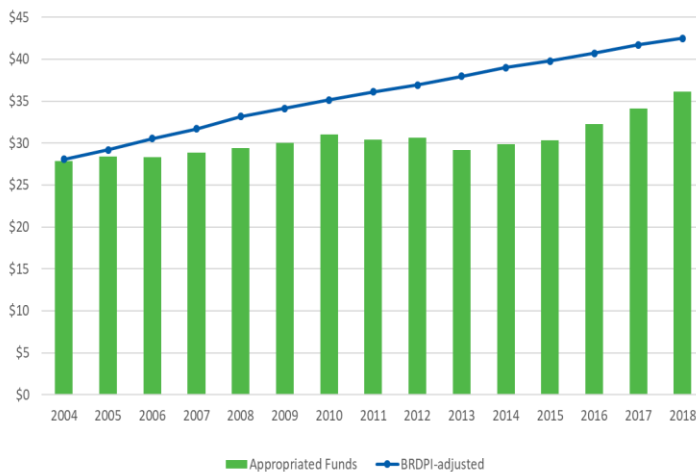
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2017, NIH funded awards totaling **\$377 million** in Virginia, supporting **5,765 jobs** and **\$1.095 billion** in economic activity.
- In 2017, the biopharmaceutical industry in Virginia supported **24,681 jobs** and **1,428 businesses**.

#### Impact of Cancer in Virginia<sup>3</sup>

- In 2018, an estimated 1,735,350 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **42,420** will reside in Virginia.
- In 2018, an estimated 609,640 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **15,260** residents of Virginia.

### FUNDING

#### NIH Funding: Closing the Gap with 3 Consecutive Years of Robust Increases<sup>4</sup>



### VIRGINIA MEMBER CENTERS

The University of Virginia Cancer Center

VCU Massey Cancer Center

Sources: <sup>1</sup>U.S. Census Bureau; <sup>2</sup>United for Medical Research; <sup>3</sup>American Cancer Society; <sup>4</sup>American Association for Cancer Research



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