

# ARKANSAS

Estimated 2017 Population<sup>1</sup>: 3,004,279

#### IMPACT

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

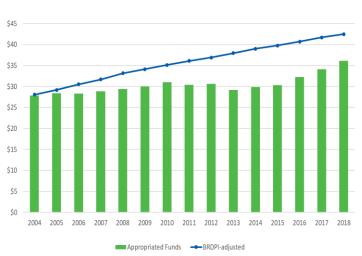
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2017, NIH funded awards totaling **\$57.1 million** in Arkansas, supporting **1,251** jobs and **\$174.2 million** in economic activity.
- In 2017, the biopharmaceutical industry in Arkansas supported **5,697** jobs and **580** businesses.

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

- In 2018, an estimated 1,735,350 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **16,130** will reside in Arkansas.
- In 2018, an estimated 609,640 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including 6,910 residents of Arkansas.

**UAMS Winthrop P. Rockefeller Cancer Institute** 

## FUNDING



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

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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