

CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES



Maine

Estimated 2025 Population¹: 1,414,874

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research²

- United for Medical Research reports that in Fiscal Year 2025, NIH funded awards totaling **\$120.3 million** in Maine, supporting **1,378 jobs** and **\$280.4 million** in economic activity.
- In FY 2025, the biopharmaceutical industry in Maine supported **9,946 jobs** and **640 businesses**.

Impact of Cancer in Maine³

- In 2026, over 2 million new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **10,680** will reside in Maine.
- In 2026, an estimated 626,140 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **3,560** residents of Maine.

NIH FUNDING

A Strong National Priority⁴



We are advocating for an increase of \$4.1 billion for the NIH in FY 2027.

The Biomedical Research and Development Price Index (BRDPI) measures inflation in the cost of biomedical research. The BRDPI line in the chart above shows the level of NIH funding by year had it kept up with this measure.

MAINE MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

The Jackson Laboratory Cancer Center

The Jackson Laboratory Cancer Center (JAXCC) is a National Cancer Institute-designated basic science cancer center with a mission to discover precise genomic solutions for cancer by making basic discoveries with human impact. The JAXCC's members combine unique capabilities to model human cancers in mice with innovations in genomic and computational analytics of human cancers to achieve this mission. Campuses are located in Bar Harbor, ME and Farmington, CT.

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



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