

# **MISSISSIPPI**

Estimated 2019 Population<sup>1</sup>: 2,976,149

#### **IMPACT**

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

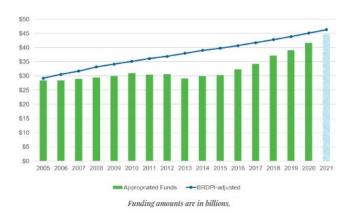
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2019, NIH funded awards totaling \$42.4 million in Mississippi, supporting 1,056 jobs and \$149 million in economic activity.
- In 2019, the biopharmaceutical industry in Mississippi supported 6,227 jobs and 533 businesses.

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

- In 2020, an estimated 1,806,590 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, 17,190 will reside in Mississippi.
- In 2020, an estimated 606,520 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including 6,700 residents of Mississippi.

#### **FUNDING**

### NIH Funding: Medical Research Advocacy Community Ask for FY 2021<sup>4</sup>



# **MEMBER SPOTLIGHT**

# UMMC Cancer Center and Research Institute

The UMMC Cancer Center and Research Institute (CCRI), part of the state's only academic medical center, fulfills multiple roles in the state's cancer care. The CCRI is a referral site for complex and unusual cancers in Mississippi including Phase I trials, some surgeries, and radiation oncology Gamma knife therapies. It is also Mississippi's primary site for training in adult and pediatric hematology and oncology; radiation oncology and radiation oncology physics; and adult and pediatric oncologic surgery.

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

