ARIZONA

Estimated 2019 Population: 7,278,717

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research

- United for Medical Research reports that in 2019, NIH funded awards totaling $263 million in Arizona, supporting 5,454 jobs and in $804 million in economic activity.

- In 2019, the biopharmaceutical industry in Arizona supported 25,686 jobs and 1,310 businesses.

Impact of Cancer in Arizona

- In 2020, an estimated 1,806,590 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, 36,730 will reside in Arizona.

- In 2020, an estimated 606,520 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including 12,580 residents of Arizona.

FUNDING

NIH Funding: Medical Research Advocacy Community Ask for FY 2021

ARIZONA MEMBER CENTERS

The University of Arizona Cancer Center

The UA Cancer Center is a leader in research on women’s cancers (breast, ovarian), men’s cancers (prostate), gastrointestinal cancers (colon, pancreas, and liver), lymphoma, and skin cancers, and is home to one of the largest cancer prevention and control programs among the nation’s comprehensive cancer centers.

Mayo Clinic Cancer Center, Arizona

Mayo Clinic Cancer Center was one of the first cancer centers to receive the NCI designation in 1973 and is an NCI-Designated Comprehensive Cancer Center with three geographic sites, including one in Phoenix/Scottsdale, Arizona. Mayo Clinic’s culture of collaboration and teamwork speeds the transformation of laboratory discoveries into lifesaving treatments.

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