



CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Estimated 2017 Population¹: 693,972

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research²

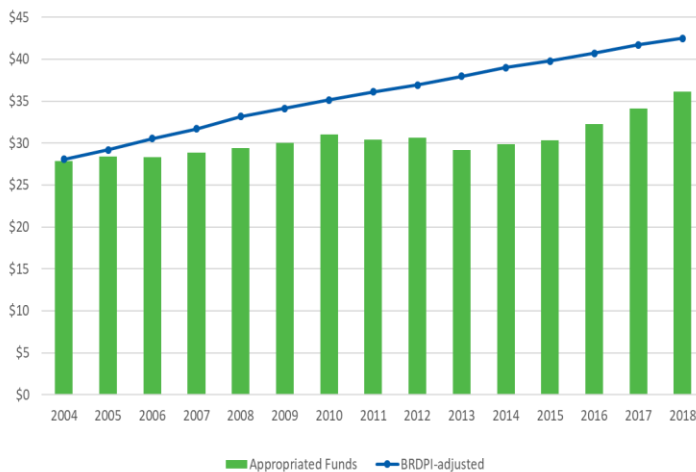
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2017, NIH funded awards totaling **\$227.3 million** in the District of Columbia, supporting **700 jobs** and **\$421.2 million** in economic activity.
- In 2017, the biopharmaceutical industry in the District of Columbia supported **2,031 jobs** and **171 businesses**.

Impact of Cancer in Washington, DC³

- In 2018, an estimated 1,735,350 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **3,260** will reside in the District of Columbia.
- In 2018, an estimated 609,640 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **1,030** residents of the District of Columbia.

FUNDING

NIH Funding: Closing the Gap with 3 Consecutive Years of Robust Increases⁴



DC MEMBER CENTERS

GW Cancer Center

Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center

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



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