



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Estimated 2018 Population¹: 702,455

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research²

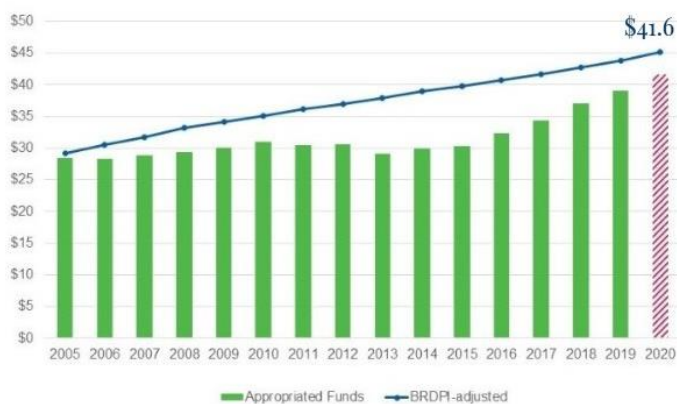
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2018, NIH funded awards totaling **\$229.6 million** in the District of Columbia, supporting **718 jobs** and **\$432 million** in economic activity.
- In 2018, the biopharmaceutical industry in the District of Columbia supported **2,930 jobs** and **216 businesses**.

Impact of Cancer in DC³

- In 2019, an estimated 1,762,450 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **3,190** will reside in the District of Columbia.
- In 2019, an estimated 606,880 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **1,020** residents of the District of Columbia.

FUNDING

Continuing the Momentum, Seizing Scientific Opportunities, and Meeting Our Nation's Health Needs⁴



Funding amounts are in billions.

DC MEMBER CENTERS

GW Cancer Center

A collaboration of the George Washington University, the GW Hospital, and the GW Medical Faculty Associates, the **GW Cancer Center** strives to create a cancer-free world through groundbreaking research, innovative education, and equitable care for all.

Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center

Georgetown Lombardi Comprehensive Cancer Center, part of Georgetown University Medical Center, seeks to prevent, treat, and cure cancers by linking scientific discovery, compassionate patient care, education, and partnership with the community — guided by the principle of *cura personalis*, “care for the whole person.”

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



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