



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Estimated 2019 Population¹: 705,749

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research²

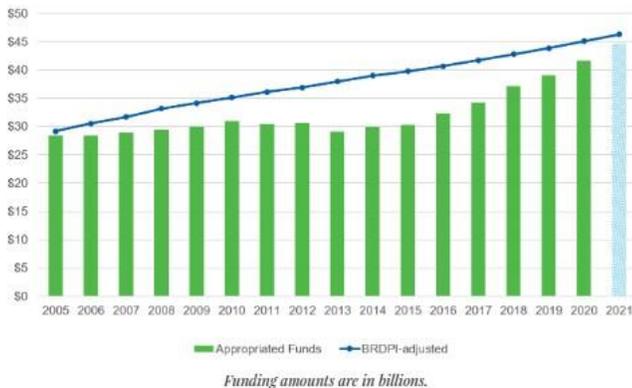
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2019, NIH funded awards totaling **\$246.5 million** in the District of Columbia, supporting **774 jobs** and **\$446 million** in economic activity.
- In 2019, the biopharmaceutical industry in the District of Columbia supported **2,930 jobs** and **216 businesses**.

Impact of Cancer in DC³

- In 2020, an estimated 1,806,590 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **3,600** will reside in the District of Columbia.
- In 2020, an estimated 606,520 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **1,020** residents of the District of Columbia.

FUNDING

NIH Funding: Medical Research Advocacy Community Ask for FY 2021⁴



DC MEMBER CENTERS

GW Cancer Center

A collaboration of the George Washington University, the GW Hospital, and the GW Medical Faculty Associates, **GW Cancer Center** strives to create a cancer-free world through ground breaking 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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