



CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES

LOUISIANA

Estimated 2019 Population¹: 4,648,794

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research²

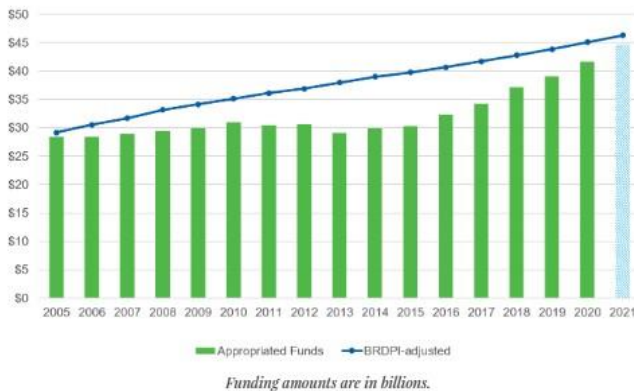
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2019, NIH funded awards totaling **\$174.1 million** in Louisiana, supporting **3,564 jobs** and **\$501 million** in economic activity.
- In 2019, the biopharmaceutical industry in Louisiana supported **11,512 jobs** and **1,154 businesses**.

Impact of Cancer in Louisiana³

- In 2020, an estimated 1,806,590 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **26,480** will reside in Louisiana.
- In 2020, an estimated 606,520 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **9,300** residents of Louisiana.

FUNDING

NIH Funding: Medical Research Advocacy Community Ask for FY 2021⁴



LOUISIANA MEMBER CENTERS

Feist-Weiller Cancer Center, LSU Health Shreveport

A department of LSU Health Shreveport in Northwest Louisiana, **Feist-Weiller Cancer Center** is an academic facility where oncologists, hematologists, surgeons, radiologists, therapists, and basic science researchers collaborate to offer preeminent cancer research, cancer prevention programs, and excellent treatment to cancer patients.

Louisiana Cancer Research Consortium of New Orleans

The **Louisiana Cancer Research Center** (LCRC) was founded in 2002 under the direction of the Louisiana State Legislature to promote education and conduct research in the diagnosis, detection, and treatment of cancer, while pursuing a National Cancer Institute designation. Originating partners of the LCRC Consortium are the **Stanley S. Scott Cancer Center** at the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, and **Tulane University Health Sciences Center**.

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



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