



# CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES

## NEBRASKA

Estimated 2018 Population<sup>1</sup>: 1,929,268

### IMPACT

#### Economic Impact of Research<sup>2</sup>

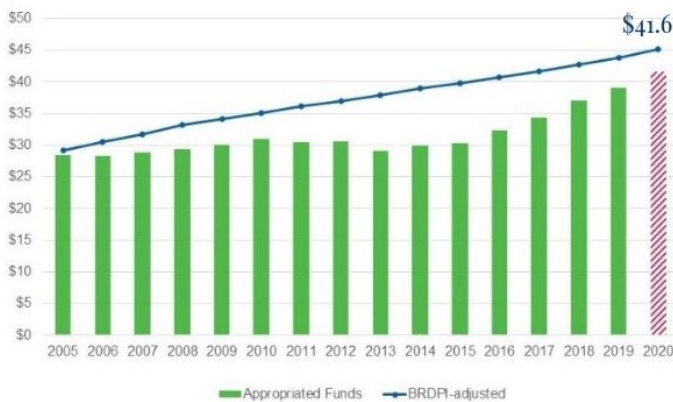
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2018, NIH funded awards totaling **\$123.4 million** in Nebraska, supporting **2,133 jobs** and **\$303 million** in economic activity.
- In 2018, the biopharmaceutical industry in Nebraska supported **16,870 jobs** and **1,164 businesses**.

#### Impact of Cancer in Nebraska<sup>3</sup>

- In 2019, an estimated 1,762,450 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **9,780** will reside in Nebraska.
- In 2019, an estimated 606,880 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **3,520** residents of Nebraska.

### FUNDING

#### Continuing the Momentum, Seizing Scientific Opportunities, and Meeting Our Nation's Health Needs<sup>4</sup>



*Funding amounts are in billions.*

### MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

#### Fred & Pamela Buffett Cancer Center

All patients undergoing cancer treatment at Nebraska Medicine have access to the 24/7 Infusion Center at the **Fred & Pamela Buffett Cancer Center**, which serves as both a treatment center and around-the-clock urgent care-type facility for those battling cancer. As the only National Cancer Institute-Designated Cancer Center in Nebraska and a member of the National Comprehensive Cancer Network, the Fred & Pamela Buffett Cancer Center provides the best in science and clinical practice.

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



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