IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research

- United for Medical Research reports that in 2019, NIH funded awards totaling $326.7 million in New Jersey, supporting 6,187 jobs and $1.161 billion in economic activity.

- In 2019, the biopharmaceutical industry in New Jersey supported 93,824 jobs and 2,897 businesses.

Impact of Cancer in New Jersey

- In 2020, an estimated 1,806,590 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, 53,340 will reside in New Jersey.

- In 2020, an estimated 606,520 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including 15,710 residents of New Jersey.

FUNDING

NIH Funding: Medical Research Advocacy Community Ask for FY 2021

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey

As New Jersey’s only NCI-Designated Comprehensive Cancer Center, Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey, along with its partner RWJBarnabas Health, offers the most advanced cancer treatment options including bone marrow transplantation, proton therapy, and CAR T-cell therapy. Working with academic, industry, and cooperative group collaborators, Rutgers Cancer Institute is driving the development of next generation cancer therapies through on-site research resulting in clinical trials and novel therapeutic approaches, such as immunotherapy.

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