



CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES

TENNESSEE

Estimated 2018 Population¹: 6,770,010

IMPACT

Economic Impact of Research²

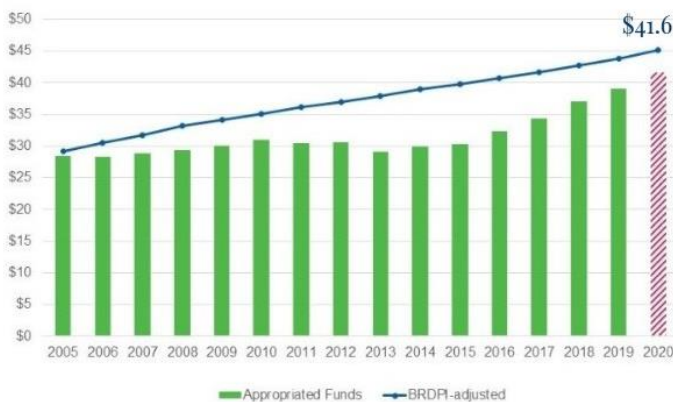
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2018, NIH funded awards totaling **\$549.7 million** in Tennessee, supporting **8,630 jobs** and **\$1.42 billion** in economic activity.
- In 2018, the biopharmaceutical industry in Tennessee supported **33,907 jobs** and **1,647 businesses**.

Impact of Cancer in Tennessee³

- In 2019, an estimated 1,762,450 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **37,350** will reside in Tennessee.
- In 2019, an estimated 606,880 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **14,840** residents of Tennessee.

FUNDING

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



Funding amounts are in billions.

TENNESSEE MEMBER CENTERS

Comprehensive Cancer Center, St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital

The **St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital Comprehensive Cancer Center** is the only NCI-Designated Comprehensive Cancer Center devoted solely to children. Research programs focus on cancer biology, developmental biology and solid tumors, hematological malignancies, neurobiology and brain tumors, and cancer control and survivorship.

Vanderbilt-Ingram Cancer Center

Designated a Comprehensive Cancer Center by the NCI, **Vanderbilt-Ingram** is at the forefront of discovery. Its teams of scientists and clinicians are defining personalized care with immunotherapies, targeted treatments, precision radiation-oncology, innovative surgeries and novel imaging technologies.

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



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