



# CANCER RESEARCH IS SAVING LIVES

## UTAH

Estimated 2019 Population<sup>1</sup>: 3,205,958

### IMPACT

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

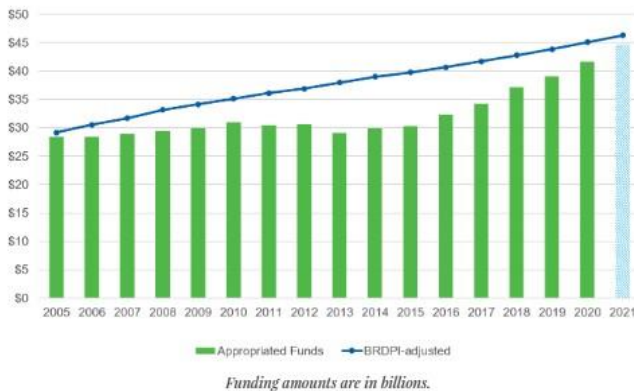
- United for Medical Research reports that in 2019, NIH funded awards totaling **\$234.3 million** in Utah, supporting **4,760** jobs and **\$650 million** in economic activity.
- In 2019, the biopharmaceutical industry in Utah supported **30,926** jobs and **1,139** businesses.

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

- In 2020, an estimated 1,806,590 new cancer cases will be diagnosed in the United States. Of these cases, **11,900** will reside in Utah.
- In 2020, an estimated 606,520 Americans will lose their lives to cancer, including **3,350** residents of Utah.

### FUNDING

#### NIH Funding: Medical Research Advocacy Community Ask for FY 2021<sup>4</sup>



### MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

#### Huntsman Cancer Institute, University of Utah

The official NCI-Designated Comprehensive Cancer Center of Utah, **Huntsman Cancer Institute** (HCI) is a cancer research and patient care center on the campus of the University of Utah in Salt Lake City. More genes for inherited cancers have been discovered at HCI than at any other cancer center in the world, including genes responsible for hereditary melanoma and breast, ovarian, colon, head, and neck cancers.

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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