QUICK FACTS


The highest annual occurrences of disease deaths in Florida are due to HEART DISEASE, CANCER, COVID-19, STROKE and CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES (CLRD).[^3]

Top-funded research institutions in Florida include:[^1]

- State University System of Florida
- University of Miami Coral Gables
- H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center and Research Institute
- Mayo Clinic
- Jaeb Center for Health Research, Inc.
- Max Planck Florida Corporation
- Adventist Health System
- Nanotherapeutics, Inc.
- Nova Southeastern University
- Immunathon, Inc.

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[^1]: National Institutes of Health (NIH), NIH Awards by Location & Organization, U.S. FY2023
[^2]: United for Medical Research, “NIH’s Role in Sustaining the U.S. Economy FY2023 (2024 Update).”
[^4]: Biotechnology Industry Association, “Council of State Bioscience Associations (CSBA) Resources and Reports.” 2022

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