NIH awarded $365.6 MILLION\(^1\) in grants and contracts during FY2021 that directly supported 6,961 JOBS\(^2\) and $1.307 BILLION\(^2\) economic activity in New Jersey.

The highest annual occurrences of disease deaths in New Jersey are due to CANCER (15,698 lives lost), HEART DISEASE (18,716 lives lost) and STROKE (3,550 lives lost).\(^3\)

Top-funded research institutions in New Jersey include:\(^1\)

- Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
- Rutgers Biomedical & Health Sciences (RBHS) New Jersey Medical School
- Princeton University
- Rutgers Biomedical & Health Sciences (RBHS) Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
- Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences (RBHS)-Cancer Institute of New Jersey

Jobs Supported by NIH Extramural Research\(^2\)

6,961

Economic Activity Supported\(^3\)

$1.307B

Biopharmaceutical Industry Jobs\(^4\)

94,862

Biopharmaceutical Industry Businesses\(^4\)

3,201

UMR is a coalition of leading research institutions, patient and health advocates and private industry seeking steady and sustainable increases in funding for the National Institutes of Health in order to save and improve lives, advance innovation and fuel the economy. The coalition members are:

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2. United for Medical Research Original Data - U.S. FY2021

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