QUICK FACTS

NIH awarded $249 MILLION in grants and contracts during FY2022 that directly supported 3,044 JOBS and $506 MILLION economic activity in Rhode Island.

The highest annual occurrences of disease deaths in Rhode Island are due to HEART DISEASE, CANCER, COVID-19, ALZHEIMER’S DISEASE and CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES (CLRD).

Top-funded research institutions in Rhode Island include:
- Brown University
- Rhode Island Hospital
- University of Rhode Island
- Miriam Hospital
- Women and Infants Hospital of Rhode Island

Jobs Supported by NIH Extramural Research: 3,044
Economic Activity Supported: $506M
Biopharmaceutical Industry Jobs: 5,761
Biopharmaceutical Industry Businesses: 665

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