QUICK FACTS

NIH awarded $1.85 BILLION¹ in grants and contracts during FY2023 that directly supported 29,563 JOBS² and $5.8 BILLION² economic activity in Texas.

The highest annual occurrences of disease deaths in Texas are due to HEART DISEASE, COVID-19, CANCER, STROKE and ALZHEIMER’S DISEASE.³

Top-funded research institutions in Texas include:¹

- University of Texas System
- Baylor College of Medicine
- Texas A&M University System
- University of North Texas
- University of Houston System
- Methodist Hospital Research Institute
- Texas Biomedical Research Institute
- Rice University
- Texas Tech University
- Baylor University

Jobs Supported by NIH Extramural Research²

29,563

Economic Activity Supported²

$5.8B

Biopharmaceutical Industry Jobs⁴

111,711

Biopharmaceutical Industry Businesses⁴

7,306

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

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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).”

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