QUICK FACTS

NIH awarded $1.29 BILLION¹ in grants and contracts during FY2023 that directly supported 11,979 JOBS² and $2.96 BILLION² economic activity in Washington.

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

Top-funded research institutions in Washington include:¹

- University of Washington
- Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center
- Seattle Children’s Hospital
- Allen Institute
- Benaroya Research Institute at Virginia Mason
- Washington State University
- Institute for Systems Biology
- Seattle Institute for Biomedical/Clinical Research
- Battelle Memorial Institute
- Sage BioNetworks

Jobs Supported by NIH Extramural Research:²
11,979

Economic Activity Supported:²
$2.96B

Biopharmaceutical Industry Jobs:⁴
42,696

Biopharmaceutical Industry Businesses:⁴
2,594

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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