

NIH FUNDING AT WORK IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

QUICK FACTS

NIH awarded \$219 MILLION¹ in grants and contracts during FY2024 that directly supported 492 JOBS² and \$426 **MILLION**² economic activity in District of Columbia.



Annual Mortality Rates in District of Columbia for Select Diseases³

- Alzheimer's Disease: 10.2
- Cancer: 141.8
- Chronic Lung Disease: 17.3
- Diabetes: 18.2
- Heart Disease: 182.6
- Stroke: 42.1

(Deaths per 100,000 population)

Top NIH-Funded Institutions (Grouped by System) in District of Columbia include:1

- George Washington University
- Georgetown University
- Children's National Medical Center
- Howard University
- International Brotherhood of Teamsters
- Carnegie Institution of Washington, D.C.
- American University
- Catholic University of America
- Gallaudet University
- International Association of Fire Fighters



492

\$ Economic Activity Supported:² \$426M

Biopharmeceutical Industry Jobs:⁴

3,823

Biopharmeceutical Industry Businesses⁴

660

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