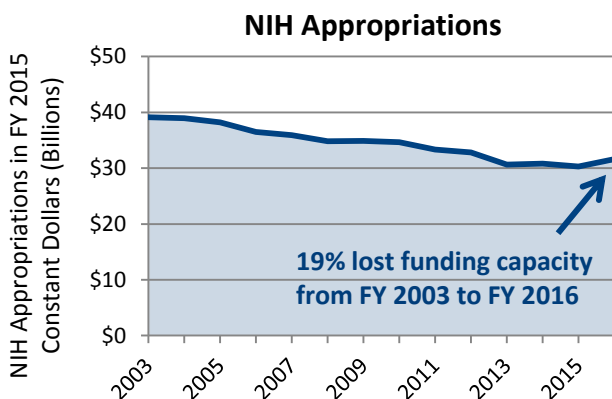


# National Institutes of Health

## State Funding Facts for FY 2016

Georgia

The **National Institutes of Health (NIH)** is the nation's primary medical research agency, supporting research efforts in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. Its **mission** is to seek fundamental knowledge about the nature and behavior of living systems and the application of that knowledge to enhance health, lengthen life, and reduce the burdens of illness and disability.



**GEORGIA BY THE NUMBERS<sup>1</sup>**

- \$521 million** in NIH funding
- 41** NIH-funded institutions
- 1,205** NIH grants awarded
- 10** Congressional districts with NIH grants

### NIH Funding of Select Georgia Institutions

Institution	Total Funding
Emory University	\$314,557,346
University of Georgia	\$49,894,047
Georgia Regents University	\$46,042,004
Georgia State University	\$36,047,026
Georgia Institute of Technology	\$29,264,172
Morehouse College and School of Medicine	\$23,723,597
Clark Atlanta University	\$4,320,898
Kennesaw State University	\$1,383,881
Northside Hospital Atlanta	\$1,145,887

**NIH Funding Improves Health in Georgia**

- Emory University is home to an NCI-designated cancer center.
- 59** NIH-supported clinical trials were initiated at Georgia institutions in FY 2016.<sup>2</sup>

### INVESTMENT IN NIH RESEARCH BENEFITS THE GEORGIA ECONOMY

- Georgia institutions received \$13 million in NIH grants in FY 2016 to train the next generation of innovative scientists.<sup>1</sup>
- Seventeen Georgia businesses received NIH funding totaling \$10 million for the research and development of technologies with potential commercial applications.<sup>1</sup>
- In 2014, Georgia was home to 2,047 bioscience business establishments. Residents held 29,559 bioscience industry jobs, and the average annual wage in the bioscience sector was \$28,134 higher than the private sector overall.<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>[www.report.nih.gov](http://www.report.nih.gov) (accessed Jan. 2017); <sup>2</sup>[www.clinicaltrials.gov](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov) (accessed Jan. 2017); <sup>3</sup>[www.bio.org](http://www.bio.org) (TEconomy Report 2016)