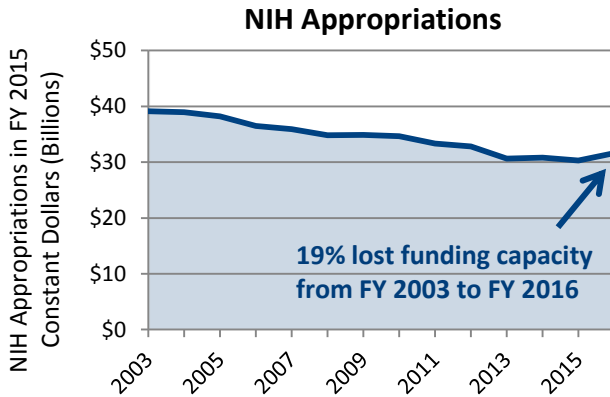


National Institutes of Health

State Funding Facts for FY 2016

Louisiana

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.



**LOUISIANA
BY THE NUMBERS¹**

- \$142 million** in NIH funding
- 20** NIH-funded institutions
- 297** NIH grants awarded
- 6** Congressional districts with NIH grants

NIH Funding of Select Louisiana Institutions

Institution	Total Funding
Tulane University of Louisiana	\$68,848,946
LSU Health Sciences Center New Orleans	\$22,176,004
LSU Pennington Biomedical Research Center	\$14,502,243
LSU Agricultural and Mechanical College Baton Rouge	\$13,105,832
Xavier University of Louisiana	\$7,597,825
LSU Health Sciences Center Shreveport	\$4,773,918
University of Louisiana at Lafayette	\$1,586,058
Dillard University	\$1,557,818

NIH Funding Improves Health in Louisiana

- In FY 2016, Louisiana institutions held **ten** active Institutional Development Award (IDeA) grants.
- 25** NIH-supported clinical trials were initiated at Louisiana institutions in FY 2016.²

INVESTMENT IN NIH RESEARCH BENEFITS THE LOUISIANA ECONOMY

- Louisiana institutions received \$4.1 million in NIH grants in FY 2016 to train the next generation of innovative scientists.¹
- Four Louisiana business received NIH funding totaling \$5.1 million for the research and development of technologies with potential commercial applications.¹
- In 2014, Louisiana was home to 1,046 bioscience business establishments. Residents held 10,804 bioscience industry jobs, and the average annual wage in the bioscience sector was \$36,742 higher than the private sector overall.³

¹www.report.nih.gov (accessed Jan. 2017); ²www.clinicaltrials.gov (accessed Jan. 2017); ³www.bio.org (TEconomy Report 2016)

