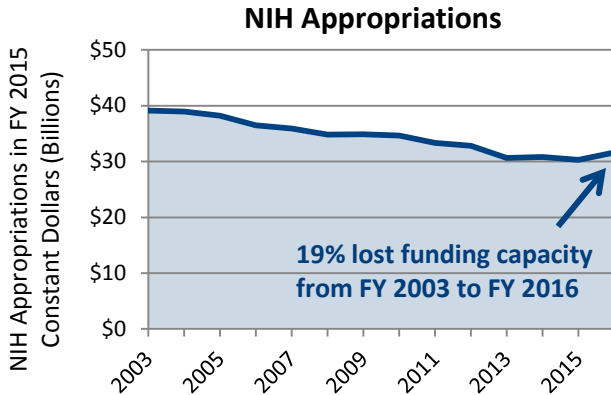


# National Institutes of Health

## State Funding Facts for FY 2016

Connecticut

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.



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

- \$511 million in NIH funding
- 33 NIH-funded institutions
- 1,179 NIH grants awarded
- 5 Congressional districts with NIH grants

### NIH Funding of Select Connecticut Institutions

Institution	Total Funding
Yale University	\$407,245,439
University of Connecticut School of Medicine and School of Dental Medicine	\$49,608,048
University Of Connecticut Storrs	\$23,231,115
Haskins Laboratories	\$5,950,077
John B. Pierce Laboratory	\$3,952,772
Liuna Training and Education Fund	\$2,991,754
Connecticut Department of Public Health	\$2,837,071
Hartford Hospital	\$1,740,131
Connecticut Children's Medical Center	\$1,332,762

### NIH Funding Improves Health in Connecticut

- Yale University is home to an NCI-designated cancer center.
- 53 NIH-supported clinical trials were initiated at Connecticut institutions in FY 2016.<sup>2</sup>

### INVESTMENT IN NIH RESEARCH BENEFITS THE CONNECTICUT ECONOMY

- Connecticut institutions received \$22 million in NIH grants in FY 2016 to train the next generation of innovative scientists.<sup>1</sup>
- Seventeen Connecticut businesses received NIH funding totaling \$9.3 million for the research and development of technologies with potential commercial applications.<sup>1</sup>
- In 2014, Connecticut was home to 853 bioscience business establishments. Residents held 23,338 bioscience industry jobs, and the average annual wage in the bioscience sector was \$40,879 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)

