

NIH FUNDING AT WORK IN LOUISIANA



QUICK FACTS

NIH awarded **\$206 MILLION**¹ in grants and contracts during FY2021 that directly supported **4,197 JOBS**² and **\$590 MILLION**² economic activity in Louisiana.

The highest annual occurrences of disease deaths in Louisiana are due to **CANCER** (9,485 lives lost), **HEART DISEASE** (11,302 lives lost) and **STROKE** (2,386 lives lost).³

Top-funded research institutions in Louisiana include:¹

- Tulane University of Louisiana
- Louisiana State University (LSU) Biomedical Research Center
- Louisiana State University (LSU) Health Sciences Center
- Louisiana State University (LSU) A&M College, Baton Rouge
- Louisiana State University (LSU) Health Sciences Center, Shreveport



Jobs Supported by NIH Extramural Research:²

4,197



Economic Activity Supported:²

\$590M



Biopharmaceutical Industry Jobs:⁴

11,208



Biopharmaceutical Industry Businesses:⁴

1,281

MEET SOME OF THE PEOPLE WHOSE JOBS RELY ON NIH-FUNDED RESEARCH

ANGELA

Director of Biosafety,
Tulane University

New Orleans, LA

JOHN

Executive Director, Office
of Technology Transfer
and Intellectual Property
Development,
Tulane University

New Orleans, LA

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1. National Institutes of Health (NIH), NIH Awards by Location & Organization, U.S. FY2021

2. United for Medical Research Original Data - U.S. FY2021

3. Centers for Disease Control, "National Vital Statistics Report: Deaths: Final Data for 2019" Page 61.

4. Biotechnology Industry Organization, TEconomy/BIO, The Bioscience Economy: Propelling Lifesaving Treatments, Supporting State and Local Communities 2020.