# 2019 Federal Research Funding

## Maryland

Federal funding provides support for researchers and trainees who conduct biological and biomedical research in this state.

## National Institutes of Health (NIH)

NIH is the nation's primary funder of biomedical research, leading to advances in scientific knowledge, better health, and economic growth.

- **Total Funding**: $1.92B
- **Research Sites**: 152

## National Science Foundation (NSF)

NSF is the only federal agency that supports research and education across all scientific disciplines, underwriting scientific training and promoting discovery.

- **Total Funding**: $153M
- **Research Sites**: 71

## U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)*

The USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture funds competitive grants for nutritional and agricultural research, bringing cutting-edge science to complex challenges.

- **Total Funding**: $33.0M*
- **Research Sites**: 8*

## U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)

The DOE Office of Science is the nation's largest funder of basic physical sciences research and manages 10 national laboratories that provide scientists with cutting-edge facilities.

- **Total Funding**: $23.1M
- **Research Sites**: 11

*2019 USDA NIFA funding data was unavailable as of January 31, 2020. USDA data is for FY 2018.