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

**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.

- **$960M TOTAL FUNDING**
- **45 RESEARCH SITES**

**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.

- **$110M TOTAL FUNDING**
- **28 RESEARCH SITES**

**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 agricultural challenges.

- **$3.86M TOTAL FUNDING**
- **3 RESEARCH SITES**

**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.

- **$23.2M TOTAL FUNDING**
- **2 RESEARCH SITES**