

## Federal Research Support Fiscal Year 2021

The federal government has fostered an important partnership with America's leading research universities that has spanned decades. This partnership has resulted in leaps in technological innovation, improved public health and well-being, sustained a dynamic American economy, and strengthened our nation's defense.

Faculty, staff, and students at Rutgers are supported by more than \$488 million in federally sponsored grants and contracts annually. As New Jersey's land-grant institution, Rutgers researchers utilize Department of Agriculture funds to breed disease-resistant varieties of fruits, vegetables, and nuts to benefit the state's agricultural economy and extend our research to all 21 counties. Rutgers researchers also have partnered with the Department of Transportation to improve bridge safety management. From biomedical research at the Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey on personalized cancer therapies funded by the National Institutes of Health, to research sponsored by the Department of Defense to create a dually underwater and aerial autonomous vehicle to facilitate search and rescue operations, Rutgers faculty are at the forefront of their fields.

## Federal Support by Source

Agency/Department
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National Institutes of Health	\$258.8	
National Science Foundation	\$	61.3
Department of Health and Human Services	\$	70.8
Department of Defense	\$	17.9
Department of Transportation	\$	16.5
Department of Energy	\$	11.3
Department of Homeland Security	\$	4.6
Department of Commerce	\$	10.7
(primarily National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration)		
Department of Agriculture	\$	8.2
Department of Education	\$	11.3
National Aeronautics and Space Administration	\$	5.3
Department of Veterans Affairs	\$	.7
Other	\$	10.6
Total	\$	488





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Amount in millions