



## National Institutes of Health

# NIH Quickfinder

- Funds and Conducts Medical Research Throughout the United States and Around the World
- Trains Scientists for Tomorrow
- Provides Health and Science Information to the Public



### INSTITUTES

NCI

#### National Cancer Institute

To reduce the burden of cancer morbidity and mortality

[www.cancer.gov](http://www.cancer.gov)

1-800-4-CANCER (1-800-422-6237)

NEI

#### National Eye Institute

To prevent and treat eye diseases and other disorders, reducing visual impairment and blindness

[www.nei.nih.gov](http://www.nei.nih.gov)

301-496-5248

NHLBI

#### National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute

To prevent diseases of the heart, blood vessels, lung and blood; research on blood resources and sleep disorders and lead NIH Women's Health Initiative

[www.nhlbi.nih.gov](http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov)

301-592-8573

NHGRI

#### National Human Genome Research Institute

Advancing human health through genetic research

[www.genome.gov](http://www.genome.gov)

NIA

#### National Institute on Aging

To understand the aging processes and prevent age-related diseases and disabilities

[www.nia.nih.gov](http://www.nia.nih.gov)

Aging information 1-800-222-2225

Alzheimers information 1-800-438-4380

NIAAA

#### National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism

To prevent and treat alcoholism and alcohol-related problems

[www.niaaa.nih.gov](http://www.niaaa.nih.gov)

301-443-3860

NIAID

#### National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases

To understand and improve the treatment and prevention of infectious, immunologic, and allergic diseases

[www.niaid.nih.gov](http://www.niaid.nih.gov)

301-496-5717

NIAMS

#### National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases

To support research into and disseminate information about the causes, treatment, and prevention of diseases of bones, muscles, joints, and skin

[www.niams.nih.gov](http://www.niams.nih.gov)

1-877-22NIAMS

NIBIB

#### National Institute of Biological Imaging and Bioengineering

To develop, translate, and assess technological capabilities in biomedical imaging and engineering

<http://www.nibib.nih.gov>

301-451-6772

NICHD

#### National Institute of Child Health and Human Development

To understand fertility, pregnancy, growth, development and medical rehabilitation

[www.nichd.nih.gov](http://www.nichd.nih.gov)

1-800-370-2943

NIDCD

#### National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders

To understand human communication processes and disorders of hearing, balance, smell, taste, voice, speech, and language

[www.nidcd.nih.gov](http://www.nidcd.nih.gov)

1-800-241-1044 (voice)

1-800-241-1055 (TTY)

NIDCR

#### National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research

To understand, treat and prevent infectious and inherited craniofacial-oral-dental diseases

[www.nidcr.nih.gov](http://www.nidcr.nih.gov)

NIDDK

#### National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases

To improve the diagnosis and treatment of diabetes, endocrine and metabolic diseases, overweight and obesity, digestive diseases and nutrition, kidney diseases, urologic and blood disorders

[www.niddk.nih.gov](http://www.niddk.nih.gov)

Diabetes 1-800-860-8747

Digestive disorders 1-800-891-5389

Overweight and Obesity 1-877-946-4627

Kidney and urologic diseases 1-800-891-5390

**NIDA**

**National Institute on Drug Abuse**

To prevent and treat drug abuse and addiction

[www.nida.nih.gov](http://www.nida.nih.gov)

301-443-1124

**NIEHS**

**National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences**

Preventing diseases by determining how environmental exposures interact with genetic susceptibility and age to affect human health

[www.niehs.nih.gov](http://www.niehs.nih.gov)

919-541-3345

**NIGMS**

**National Institute of General Medical Sciences**

To support research on basic life processes, such as how genes, proteins, and cells work, and to train scientists for the future

[www.nigms.nih.gov](http://www.nigms.nih.gov)

301-496-7301

**NIMH**

**National Institute of Mental Health**

Reducing the burden of mental illness through research on mind, brain and behavior

[www.nimh.nih.gov](http://www.nimh.nih.gov) [niminfo@nih.gov](mailto:niminfo@nih.gov)

1-866-615-6464

**NINDS**

**National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke**

To reduce the burden of neurological disease—a burden borne by every age group, by every segment of society, by people all over the world

[www.ninds.nih.gov](http://www.ninds.nih.gov) [braininfo@ninds.nih.gov](mailto:braininfo@ninds.nih.gov)

1-800-352-9424

**NINR**

**National Institute of Nursing Research**

To establish a scientific basis for care of individuals across the life span to improve quality of life and end of life

[www.nih.gov/ninr/](http://www.nih.gov/ninr/)

301-496-0207

**CENTERS & OFFICES**

**NLM**

**National Library of Medicine**

Collects, organizes and makes available biomedical and science information

[www.nlm.nih.gov](http://www.nlm.nih.gov)

1-888-FIND-NLM

**CIT**

**Center for Information Technology**

Computational bioscience research, supports information technology needs—develops computer systems, provides information technology infrastructure and computational facilities

[www.cit.nih.gov](http://www.cit.nih.gov)

301-594-6248

**CSR**

**Center for Scientific Review**

Receives NIH grant applications and convenes the initial peer review groups for the vast majority of the applications

[www.csr.nih.gov](http://www.csr.nih.gov)

301-435-1115

**FIC**

**Fogarty International Center**

Promotes scientific research and training globally

[www.fic.nih.gov](http://www.fic.nih.gov)

**NCCAM**

**National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine**

To conduct rigorous exploration of complementary and alternative medical practices

[www.nccam.nih.gov](http://www.nccam.nih.gov)

888-644-6226

**NCMHD**

**National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities**

Promote minority health and eliminate health disparities

[www.ncmhd.nih.gov](http://www.ncmhd.nih.gov)

301-402-1366

**NCRR**

**National Center for Research Resources**

To provide researchers access to biomedical technology, clinical research, comparative medicine and research infrastructure

[www.ncrr.nih.gov](http://www.ncrr.nih.gov)

301-435-0888

**CC**

**Warren G. Magnuson Clinical Center**

NIH's clinical research hospital, conducting nearly 1,000 medical research studies

[www.cc.nih.gov](http://www.cc.nih.gov)

**ORWH**

**Office of Research on Women's Health**

<http://orwh.od.nih.gov>

301-402-1770

**If you cannot locate the appropriate institute or center for your questions**

Please look at [www.nih.gov](http://www.nih.gov)

Call 301-496-4000

Write to:

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9000 Rockville Pike

Bethesda MD 20892

**If you are interested in participating in a clinical trial**

[www.clinicaltrials.gov](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov)



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