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(budget authority in millions of dollars)

	FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Estimate	FY 2010 Budget	Change FY 09-10 Amount Percent	
Medical and Prosthetic Research 1/					
Biomedical laboratory science	273	293	326	33	11.3%
Rehabilitation research	60	65	72	7	10.8%
Health services research	73	78	86	8	10.3%
Clinical science research	80	86	96	10	11.6%
BA Adjustment	-6	-12	0	12	-100.0%
Total Medical and Prosthetic Res	480	510	580	70	13.7%
Research support 1/	406	510	580	70	13.7%
Total VA R&D	886	1,020	1,160	140	13.7%
Federal Grants (other agencies) 2/	556	574	580	6	1.0%
Other grants (contributions) 3/	194	192	194	2	1.0%
Total VA-Performed R&D	1,636	1,786	1,934	148	8.3%

Source: OMB R&D data, *Budget of the United States Government FY 2010*, and VA budget justification.

All figures rounded to the nearest million. Changes calculated from unrounded figures.

BA adjustment converts obligations to budget authority.

1/ Includes funding for laboratory facilities, support services, and some investigator salaries from other VA accounts under Research Support; in obligations.

2/ Funding for VA investigators originating in other agencies (NIH, DOD, etc.)

These funds are included in the R&D totals for the sponsoring agencies.

3/ Funding for VA investigators from non-government sources (foundations, etc.)

Please see Chapter 12 for a discussion of the VA R&D budget.