

**FY 2014 Congressional Action on R&D in the Department of Veterans Affairs**

(budget authority in millions of dollars)

	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2014	Change Request		Change FY 12-14*		FY 2014	Change Request		Change FY 12-14*	
	Actual	Estimate*	Budget	House	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent	Senate**	Amount	Percent	Amount	Percent
Medical and Prosthetic Research													
Biomedical Laboratory Science	270	--	271	<b>271</b>	0	0.0%	1	0.4%	<b>271</b>	0	0.0%	1	0.4%
Rehabilitation	85	--	95	<b>95</b>	0	0.0%	10	11.8%	<b>95</b>	0	0.0%	10	11.8%
Health Services	80	--	90	<b>90</b>	0	0.0%	10	12.5%	<b>90</b>	0	0.0%	10	12.5%
Clinical Science	96	--	116	<b>116</b>	0	0.0%	20	20.8%	<b>116</b>	0	0.0%	20	20.8%
Reimbursements	30	--	35	<b>35</b>	0	0.0%	5	16.7%	<b>35</b>	0	0.0%	5	16.7%
<b>Total Medical and Prosthetic Res</b>	<u>580</u>	<u>565</u>	<u>586</u>	<b><u>586</u></b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1.0%</u>	<b><u>586</u></b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1.0%</u>
Research support 1/	580	565	586	<b>584</b>	-2	-0.4%	4	0.7%	<b>584</b>	-2	-0.3%	4	0.7%
<b>Total VA R&amp;D</b>	<u>1,160</u>	<u>1,131</u>	<u>1,172</u>	<b><u>1,170</u></b>	<u>-2</u>	<u>-0.2%</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0.8%</u>	<b><u>1,170</u></b>	<u>-2</u>	<u>-0.2%</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0.9%</u>

\* FY 2013 funding figures are AAAS' best estimates of R&D following final appropriations and sequestration. They do not reflect official agency data as reported in the President's request, which only adjusted for the September 2012 continuing resolution. FY 2012 figures are used as the baseline for comparison.

\*\* Appropriations Committee, which passed its Military Construction / Veterans Affairs bill on June 20.

Source: OMB R&D data, *Budget of the United States Government FY 2014*, agency budget documents, and appropriations bills and reports.

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

The House passed its Military Construction / Veterans Affairs appropriations bill (HR 2216) on June 4.

1/ Includes funding for laboratory facilities, support services, and some investigator salaries from other VA accounts under Medical Services.

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