



### Nationwide Incidence Rate

1 in 8 men will be diagnosed during his lifetime  
3.1M men currently diagnosed

### This year in the United States...

New cases: 288,300  
Deaths: 34,700

Veterans are 1.5x more likely to get prostate cancer.

African-American men are 2.1x more likely to die of prostate cancer.

### Incidence Rate in Washington

100 in every 100,000 men diagnosed  
20 in every 100,000 men die from the disease

### This year in Washington...

New cases: 6450  
Deaths: 840

### National Rankings by State:

#38 for prostate cancer incidence  
#17 for prostate cancer deaths

*Source: Estimates based on 2023 data from the American Cancer Society*

## ZERO's Impact in Washington

### Patient Programs

- ZERO360 is ZERO's comprehensive patient navigation service that provides individualized case management to help patients and their families connect with financial assistance, navigate insurance, and find other kinds of support including emotional support and even transportation assistance.
- ZERO also offers peer-to-peer support through our Us TOO Support Groups and MENtor programs. We match patients and caregivers with someone who has been on a similar journey to provide ongoing, one-on-one support. We also run a nationwide network of support groups for those affected by prostate cancer.
- ZERO Connect is our online private Facebook support group where you can connect with others affected by prostate cancer, learn from their experiences, and ask questions to patients and loved ones across the country.

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## CDMRP Grants in Washington

Year Introduced: 1997  
 Total Grants to Date: 149  
 Total Grand Awards Through FY 2021\*: \$86.6M

*\*PCRP data for FY 2022 has not yet been posted*

Grant Recipient	Year	Amount
University Of Washington	2012	\$6507986.36
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center	2013	\$2773315.14
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center	2017	\$1551655
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center	2017	\$1348528
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center	2021	\$1332320

## CDC’s National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP) Funding in Washington:

- Delivering early screening, referral and follow-up services improves population health across the life course.
- Strategy: Increase public and health professional awareness of the importance of screening and follow-up.
- Sample activities: Develop and disseminate appropriate (cultural, linguistic, education level, etc.) information to all stakeholders, including community partners and targeted populations. Provide training and technical assistance to community partners on evidence-based and nationally recommended interventions and standards. Increase community demand and awareness of screenings by engaging employers and health insurance companies. Develop campaigns and materials that promote the value of early identification and detection of health issues for better treatment outcomes, including addressing emotional barriers. Promote knowledge and use of medical/health homes with a focus on preventive care and intervention services, including children with special health care needs.

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