

## **American Society for Nutrition Fiscal Year 2024 Funding Recommendations**

Support FY 2024 budgets that increase the investment in nutrition research.

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

FY 2024 ASN Recommendation \$50.924 billion

At least \$50.924 billion for NIH's foundational work, a \$3.465 billion increase over the comparable FY 2023 program level, would allow NIH to accelerate progress in the NIH Common Fund's Nutrition for Precision Health, powered by the *All of Us* Research Program, and can include the President's budget request for the NIH Office of Nutrition Research to be funded at \$121.3 million. \$50.924 billion provides a 5% increase across all NIH institutes and centers.

## U.S. Department of Agriculture/ Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (USDA/ AFRI) FY 2024 ASN Recommendation \$550 million

\$550 million would allow AFRI to support more competitive grants that ensure a safe, sustainable, nutritious, affordable, adequate food supply and bring AFRI closer to its fully authorized funding level of \$700 million/ year. This includes \$20 million for the Cancer Moonshot, which includes funding for the Precision Nutrition initiative.

## U.S. Department of Agriculture/ Agricultural Research Service (USDA/ ARS) FY 24 ASN Recommendation \$1.95 billion

A \$1.95 billion budget is similar to the President's budget request of provides \$1.979 billion for ARS. This provides support for ARS' four national program areas, which include nutrition, food safety and quality and \$41 million for ARS buildings and facilities. This increase would allow ARS research to continue to support more jobs and keep pace with innovation, emerging challenges, and global competition.

## Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Center for Health Statistics (CDC NCHS) FY 2024 ASN Recommendation \$215 million

A \$215 million budget would allow NCHS to conduct necessary survey innovations and not cut any major surveys. ASN recommends that Congress direct the secretaries of USDA and HHS to engage the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine (NASEM) to conduct a comprehensive study of the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES), including opportunities to modernize the survey methodology.

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