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## **FDA's FY 16 Appropriation**

The following analysis of the FDA's budget, reflecting the FY 16 Omnibus Appropriations bill, is provided by the Alliance for a Stronger FDA. The Alliance's 180 members are comprised of consumer, patient, professional and research groups, companies, trade associations, and individuals, all of whom support increased appropriated funding for FDA.

Under the FY 16 Omnibus Appropriations bill, the FDA will receive \$2.72 billion in budget authority appropriations. This is:

- \$132 million above what the agency received in FY 15.
- \$90 - \$100 million above the House and Senate committee bills passed earlier this year.

From a percentage perspective, it is a 5% increase. These increases are subject to House and Senate votes on the Omnibus Appropriations bill scheduled for the next few days.

In this constrained budget environment, a 5% increase for the agency is significant. By providing this increase, Congress signaled that FDA's work is a priority. We appreciate the trust in, and emphasis placed upon, the agency.

Most of the additional resources are designated to implement important food safety initiatives. American consumers expect their food supply to be safe, and by funding these initiatives, Congress has taken a critically important step to insure FDA has the necessary tools to implement its public health responsibilities.

The bill also would fund important programs related to medical products that were requested by the President. As unprecedented innovations and opportunities for treating and curing disease occur, the Alliance will continue to support FDA resources to assure that medical products are reviewed for safety and efficacy in a consistent and timely manner.

More information about the Alliance can be found at [www.StrengthenFDA.org](http://www.StrengthenFDA.org).

**Attachment:** Analysis of FY 16 FDA Funding by Center Compared to Prior Years

## FY 16 Budget Authority Appropriations for FDA Compared to FY 12-15

Not all numbers add due to rounding

Function Budget authority only, by center; no user fees	FY 12	FY 13 Actual Post-rescission, post-sequester	FY 14 Final	FY15 Final	FY 16 Final (pending House- Senate vote)
Food	\$ 867 million	\$ 797 million	\$ 883 million	\$ 903 million	<b>\$ 987 million</b>
Human Drugs	\$ 478 million	\$ 438 million	\$ 466 million	\$ 482 million	<b>\$ 492 million</b>
Biologics	\$ 212 million	\$ 195 million	\$ 211 million	\$ 211 million	<b>\$ 215 million</b>
Animal Drugs/Feed	\$ 138 million	\$ 126 million	\$ 141 million	\$ 148 million	<b>\$ 159 million</b>
Devices & Radiological Health	\$ 323 million	\$ 296 million	\$ 321 million	\$ 321 million	<b>\$ 323 million</b>
Natl. Ctr. For Toxicological Research	\$ 60 million	\$ 55 million	\$ 62 million	\$ 63 million	<b>\$ 63 million</b>
HQ, Officer. of Commissioner & Other	\$ 154 million	\$ 160 million	\$ 172 million	\$ 175 million	<b>\$ 183 million</b>
Rent & Facilities Cost	\$ 266 million	\$ 268 million	\$ 294 million	\$ 285 million	<b>\$ 298 million</b>
<b>SUBTOTAL, Salaries &amp; Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 2.497 billion</b>	<b>\$ 2.335 billion</b>	<b>\$2.550 billion</b>	<b>\$2.588 billion</b>	<b>\$ 2.721 billion</b>
Building and Facilities Repair	\$ 9 million	\$ 6 million	\$ 9 million	\$ 9 million	<b>\$ 9 million</b>
Food and Drug Safety Supplemental—No-Year	-----	\$ 46 million	-----	-----	-----
<b>All BA appropriations Total (no user fees)</b>	<b>\$ 2.506 billion</b>	<b>\$ 2.387 billion</b>	<b>\$2.559 billion</b>	<b>\$ 2.597 billion</b>	<b>\$ 2.730 billion</b>

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