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SCORE
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WAGES	
	Average Wage
Biochemist	$100,886
Biomedical Engineer	$92,522
Chemist	$81,535
Biophysicist	$101,893

Source: CBRE Labor Analytics, CBRE Research.

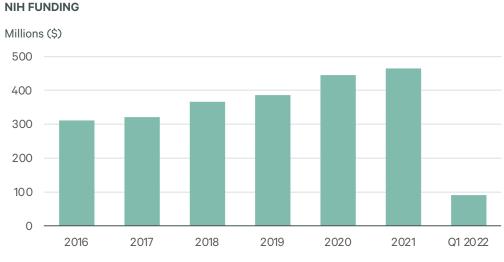| POPULATION & LABOR FORCE	
Labor Force	1,832,886
% of Laborers in Prof., Scientific & Tech Services	11.5%
% of Laborers in Healthcare Services	11.7%
5-Year Projected Population Growth	8.0%

Source: CBRE Labor Analytics, CBRE Research.

COST OF LIVING	
Major Metro Avg. Cost of Living	$54,222
Yearly Cost of Living	$59,858
5-Year Growth	2.7%
Average Apartment Rent/1BR/MO	$1,590
5-Year Growth	30.5%

Source: CBRE Labor Analytics, CBRE Econometric Advisors Q4 2021.

EMPLOYMENT		
	Employed 2020	5-Yr. Growth
Total Life Sciences Occupations	7,860	20.1%
Biochemists & Biophysicists	450	4.6%
Biological Sciences - Other	210	-33.8%
Medical Scientists	1,220	30.6%
Bioengineers & Biomedical Engineers	800	115.9%
Chemists	1,280	5.8%
Microbiologists	330	13.9%
Biological Technicians	2,500	8.4%
Data Scientists & Mathematical Science Occupations	1,070	55.6%

Source: CBRE Labor Analytics, CBRE Research.

TALENT PIPELINE		
Degree Completions (2019)	Total Degrees	% of Top 25 Markets
Biological & Biomedical Sciences	1,747	2.8%
All Other Degrees	52,064	2.6%
Degree Completions in the Biological & Biomedical Sciences (2019)	Total Degrees	% of Total Degrees
Bachelor's Degree	1,476	84%
Master's Degree	174	10%
Doctorate	97	6%

Source: CBRE Labor Analytics, CBRE Research.

VC FUNDING

Millions ($)

Source: CB Insights.

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Millions ($)

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