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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to cancer research, and making appropriations.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. STATE BOARD OF REGENTS. There is appropriated
2 from the general fund of the state to the state board of regents
3 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30,
4 2027, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary,
5 to be used for the purposes designated:

6 To support a study at the state university of Iowa on the
7 underlying causes of cancer rates in this state, including
8 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:
9 \$ 2,000,000

10 Sec. 2. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. There is
11 appropriated from the general fund of the state to the department
12 of health and human services for the fiscal year beginning July
13 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027, the following amount, or so
14 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes
15 designated:

16 To award grants to public or private entities to support
17 clinical cancer research and programs to increase access to
18 clinical cancer research trials for residents of this state:
19 \$ 3,000,000

20 The department of health and human services may utilize up to
21 five percent of the moneys appropriated in this section for
22 administrative costs associated with awarding grants under this
23 section.

24 EXPLANATION

25 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
26 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

27 This bill appropriates moneys for FY 2026-2027 from the
28 general fund of the state to the state board of regents to
29 support a study at the state university of Iowa on the underlying
30 causes of cancer rates in Iowa, and to the department of health
31 and human services to award grants to public or private entities
32 to support clinical cancer research and programs to increase
33 access to clinical cancer research trials for Iowa residents.