

TABLE 64

**Federal obligations for research performed at universities and colleges in psychology, by selected agency and detailed field: FY 2020**

(Dollars in thousands)

Agency	Total	Biological aspects	Social aspects	Other psychological sciences
All agencies surveyed	1,935,726.2	12,788.5	14,206.7	1,908,731.0
Departments				
Department of Defense	18,515.4	2,290.9	5,312.2	10,912.3
Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency	7,317.4	0.0	0.0	7,317.4
Department of the Air Force	704.3	0.0	0.0	704.3
Department of the Navy	4,568.9	0.0	3,021.1	1,547.8
Other defense agencies	5,924.8	2,290.9	2,291.1	1,342.9
Department of Health and Human Services	1,880,578.8	0.0	0.0	1,880,578.8
National Institutes of Health	1,880,578.8	0.0	0.0	1,880,578.8
Other agencies				
National Science Foundation	36,632.0	10,497.6	8,894.5	17,239.8

**Note(s):**

Because of rounding, detail may not add to total. Seven agencies are required to report data for this section of the survey: the Departments of Agriculture, Defense, Energy, Health and Human Services, and Homeland Security; the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and the National Science Foundation. Research obligations of these seven agencies represented more than 97% of total federal research obligations to universities and colleges in FY 2020. Only those agencies and subdivisions that had obligations in variables represented by this table appear in the table. FYs 2020 obligations include additional funding provided by supplemental COVID-19 related appropriations (e.g., Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security [CARES] Act). See technical table A-2 for additional notes associated with the agencies listed in this table.

**Source(s):**

National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, Survey of Federal Funds for Research and Development, FYs 2020–21.