Conducts, fosters, and supports biomedical and behavioral research and training pertaining to the aging process and related health fields through:

- Research performed in its own laboratories and through contracts;
- A program of research grants and individual and institutional research training awards;
- Cooperation and collaboration with other Departmental agencies, voluntary organizations, and other institutions; and
- Collection and dissemination of the findings of aging research and studies and other information about the process of aging.
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- Office of Small Business Research (HRNS4)