

United States Senate

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Dear Dr. Blackburn:

It's good to hear from you.

Thank you for taking the time to write and let me know of your support for funding for biomedical research. I feel strongly that monies spent in the area of research are cost-effective investments in the future.

As a member of the Senate Labor, Health and Human Services Appropriations Subcommittee, I will continue to work for balanced funding of all programs, ensuring no research project or program carries more than its share of the burden of budget cuts as we in Congress work to reduce the federal deficit.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,



William Proxmire, U.S.S.

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