



**\$178B** IN DISCRETIONARY FUNDING – \$1B ABOVE FY18

## ➤ **PRIORITIZING HEALTH AND SAFETY**

- **Boosts funding for the National Institutes of Health by \$2B**, totaling **\$39B**, supporting critical research into *Alzheimer's disease, cancer, antibiotic-resistant bacteria, and opioids*
- **Puts public health and safety first**
  - Provides **\$7.9B** for the *Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*
  - **Saves taxpayers \$50M** in future spending by **creating the first Infectious Disease Rapid Response Reserve Fund**, where funds only become available for use in the event of a public health emergency
  - **Prepares for public health emergencies** by increasing funding for *BARDA* (**\$562M** total) and *Project BioShield* (**\$735M** total)
- **Directs historic levels of funding to fight and end the opioid abuse epidemic** – more than **\$6.6B** across the bill – with most support going to programs in *SAMHSA, NIH, and CDC*
- **Improves school safety** by investing over **\$1.5B** in critical programs within *SAMHSA* (**\$206M**) and the *Department of Education* (**\$1.3B**), targeting nationwide program to increase access to mental health providers, and increase students' safety and well-being in schools
- **Cares for our most vulnerable citizens** by providing **\$251M** for the *Meals on Wheels* program
- Continues provisions that **prohibit taxpayer funding for abortion**

## ➤ **CREATING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY**

- **Develops a 21st century workforce** by investing **\$12.1B** in *key Department of Labor programs*
  - Includes **\$3.5B** for *job training*
  - Supports the *Job Corps* at **\$1.7B**
  - Includes **\$300M** to help veterans transition back into the workforce, including **\$50M** for the *Homeless Veterans Reintegration Program* and **\$3.5M** for a *new initiative to connect transitioning service members to apprenticeship opportunities*
- **Directs Department of Education funding, totaling over \$71B, to proven programs that will America's students get ahead**
  - Includes **\$12.4B** for *IDEA special education grants to states*, **\$87M** above FY18
  - **Helps first-generation college students succeed in college** by funding *TRIO* at **\$1.06B** and *GEARUP* at **\$360M**
  - Provides **\$1.9B** for *career, technical, and adult education programs*
  - Increases the maximum *Pell Grant* award to **\$6,195** for the 2019-2020 award year
- **Promotes the well-being of the youngest Americans** by investing: **\$250M** for *early childhood programs*; **\$10.1B** for *Head Start* (**\$200M** above FY18); **\$5.3B** for the *Child Care and Development Block Grant*; and **\$250M** for *Preschool Development Grants*