1 in 4 Americans has Arthritis

There are over 100 types of arthritis

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS
1.5 million adults have been diagnosed with RA. The disease can cause swelling, pain and inflammation in the body. Onset of RA is 2-3 times higher in women than in men.

ANKYLOSING SPONDYLITIS
2.7 million adults have some form of Spondyloarthritis, such as ankylosing spondylitis. It leaves untreated, spinal vertebrae can fuse. It typically manifests in young adulthood.

OSTEOARTHRITIS
30 million adults suffer from the bone-on-bone pain of OA, also known as degenerative joint disease. OA is currently the most common form of arthritis in the U.S.

GOUTY ARTHRITIS
4% of U.S. adults have gouty arthritis. Men are more commonly diagnosed with gout; about 4.4 million more than women. It is caused by uric acid crystal build-up.

PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS
2.25 million Americans have PsA, an autoinflammatory disease that can occur at any age. 30% of people who have psoriasis develop psoriatic arthritis.

JUVENILE ARTHRITIS
300k kids suffer from the pain of arthritis. It can affect the eyes, bone growth and leave the immune system compromised to other complications.

GOVERNMENT FUNDING IS DOWN -22%*

ANRF FUNDING IS GROWING $16.6 MILLION IN RESEARCH SINCE 2000

The Cost of Arthritis

CDC reports the total cost of arthritis was $303.5 billion in 2013, or 1% of the US Gross Domestic Product.

$304 BILLION

LOST WAGES
$164 billion

MEDICAL COSTS
$140 billion

PER PATIENT TREATED WITH BIOLOGICS
$15+ thousand

Arthritis is a leading cause of disability in the US

8.3 MILLION adults report work limitations due to arthritis

43.5% of adults have arthritis that limits their abilities

~22% of adults will have doctor diagnosed arthritis by 2040

Source: All disease specific facts, figures and data are shown as reported by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and can be found at www.CDC.gov