

**Defense Health Program  
Fiscal Year (FY) 2003 Budget Estimate  
Exhibit R-2, RDT&E Budget Item Justification**

**Date: Jan 02**

Appropriation/Budget Activity	R-1 Item Nomenclature:						
Defense Health Program/BA-3	Small Business Innovative Research - 0605502						
COST (\$ in Millions)	FY 01	FY 02	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05	FY 06	FY 07
Total PE Cost	10.8	11.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Small Business Innovative Research	10.8	11.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

A. Mission Description and Budget Item Justification:

The DHP Small Business Innovative Research program is newly established in FY 2001 and will be funded in the year of execution. The program funds small business proposals chosen to enhance military medical research and information technology research. Funds have been transferred from all extramural DHP RDT&E programs at the rate of two and one-half percent.