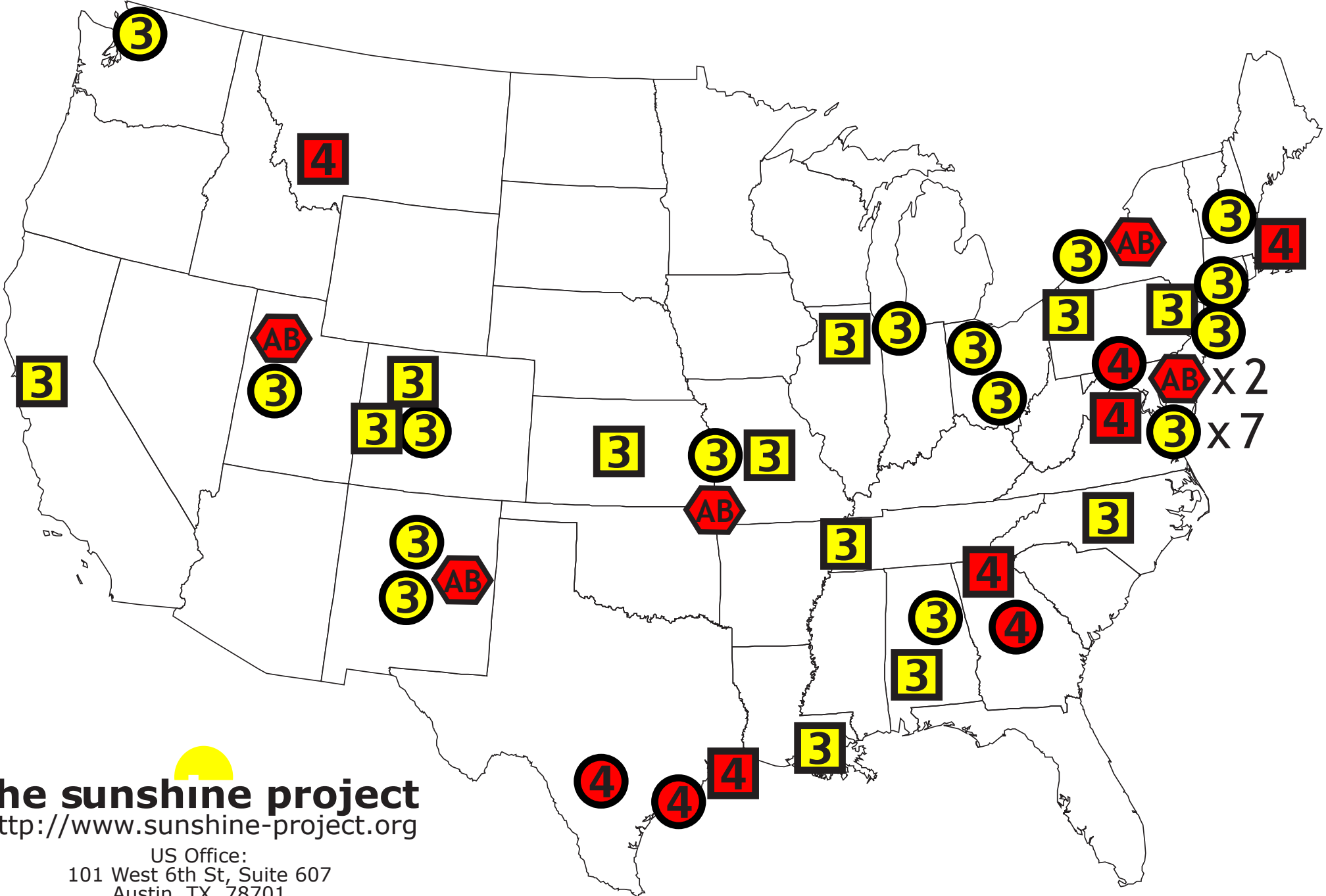


High Biocontainment Facilities of the US Biodefense Program

This map shows existing biosafety level three and four facilities used in US biodefense research, as well as planned biodefense labs recently funded by the US National Institutes of Health and other agencies. Excluded from this map are high containment facilities not known to be heavily dedicated to biodefense studies. This map is periodically updated. Readers are encouraged to submit additions and corrections.



Legend and Key

4 Biosafety Level 4 Existing
 USAMRIID Fort Detrick, Frederick, Maryland
 Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia
 Univ. of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston
 Southwest Institute, San Antonio, Texas

4 Biosafety Level 4 Planned
 Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts
 NIH/USAMRIID, Ft. Detrick, Frederick, Maryland
 Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia
 Univ. of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston
 Rocky Mountain Labs, Hamilton, Montana

3 Biosafety Level 3 Existing
 Harvard Univ., Cambridge, Massachusetts
 USDA Plum Island Center, New York
 CALSPAN-UB, Buffalo, New York (AB)
 PHRI, Newark, New Jersey
 Armed Forces Inst. of Pathology, Washington, DC
 Naval Medical Research Ctr., Bethesda, Maryland
 US Army SBCOM (2), Aberdeen, Maryland (AB)
 Southern Research Inst., Frederick, Maryland
 The Pentagon, Northern Virginia
 George Mason University, Manassas, Virginia (AB)
 US EPA, Cincinnati, Ohio
 Battelle Memorial Inst., West Jefferson, Ohio
 IITRI, Chicago, Illinois
 Southern Research Inst., Birmingham, Alabama
 Midwest Research Inst., Kansas City, Missouri (AB)
 Centers for Disease Control, Ft. Collins, Colorado
 Los Alamos National Lab, Los Alamos, New Mexico
 Lovelace Institute, Albuquerque, New Mexico (AB)
 US Army Dugway Proving Ground, Utah (AB)
 University of Washington, Seattle

3 Biosafety Level 3 Planned
 UMD of New Jersey, Newark
 University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
 Duke University, Durham, North Carolina
 University of Alabama at Birmingham
 University of Tennessee at Memphis
 Tulane Primate Center, Covington, Louisiana
 University of Missouri, Columbia
 Argonne National Lab, Argonne, Illinois
 Agricultural Biosecurity Ctr., Manhattan, Kansas
 Centers for Disease Control, Ft. Collins, Colorado
 Colorado State University, Fort Collins
 Lawrence Livermore Lab, Livermore, California

AB indicates aerobiology facility