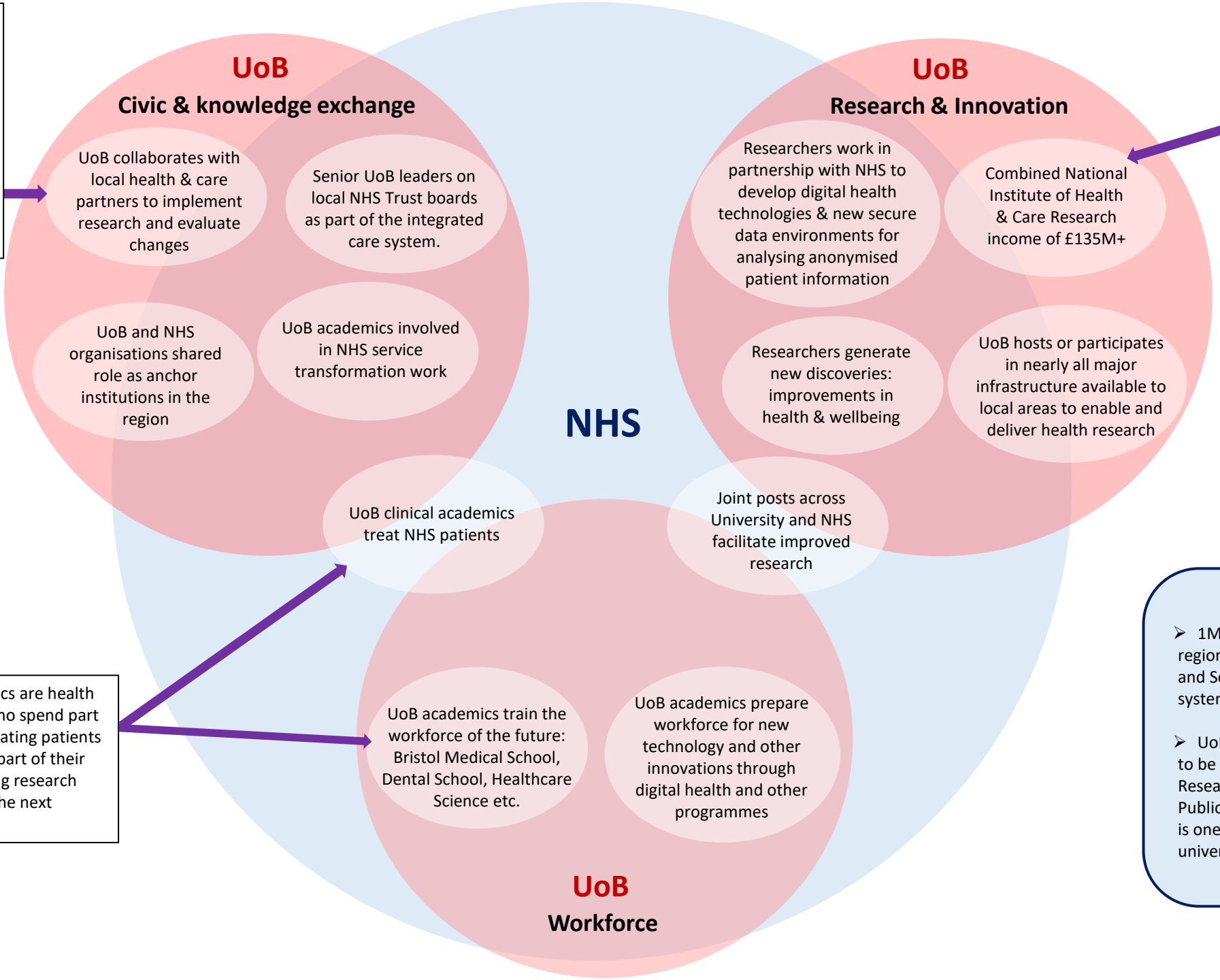


UoB is a key partner in collaborations, often with UWE and the local health and care system which are nationally funded and/or designated. They enable, conduct and support the uptake of health and care research to improve health and wellbeing.



NIHR funding and infrastructure is central to most of the activities outlined across this slide. Other funders such as charities, Wellcome Trust, the MRC and other research councils are also key to funding research.

Clinical academics are health professionals who spend part of their time treating patients in the NHS and part of their time undertaking research and educating the next generation.

**Key Facts**

- 1M people live in our local NHS region (the Bristol, North Somerset and South Glos Integrated Care system (ICS))
- UoB is the only English institution to be a member of all three NIHR Research Schools (Primary Care, Public Health, and Social Care) and is one of the top 8 MRC-funded UK universities.