

Department of Surgery Grant Activity Report

In the 2nd quarter of FY 2015, Department of Surgery Principal Investigators received 13 awards totaling \$2.8 million! Of these, 10 were new awards or competing renewals totaling \$2.7 million! Congratulations to the following investigators:

Principal Investigator	Sponsor	Title
Gabriel Aldea, MD	Medtronic, Inc.	A multi -center, non -randomized trial to determine the safety and effectiveness of the Model 400 aortic valve bioprosthesis in patients with aortic valve disease
David Flum, MD, MPH	Oregon Health and Science University (OHSU)	Longitudinal Assessment of Bariatric Surgery Sub -study: Mechanisms of Durability of Type 2 Diabetes Remission
David Flum, MD, MPH	Nestle Healthcare Nutrition, Inc.	Mobile Strong for Surgery
Nicole Gibran, MD	US Department of Education (DOEd)	Northwest Regional Burn Model System Center
Jason Ko, MD	Northwestern University	Targeted Reinnervation as a Means to Treat Neuromas Associated with Major Limb Amputation
Danielle Lavalley, PharmD, PhD	Patient -Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI)	Patient Voices: Supporting Patient Involvement in the Learning Healthcare System
Danielle Lavalley, PharmD, PhD	Patient -Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI)	Comparing Engagement Techniques for Incorporating Patient Input in Research Prioritization
Jay Pal, MD	Tenax Therapeutics, Inc.	A Double -Blind, Randomized, Placebo -Controlled Study of Levosimendan in Patients with Left Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction Undergoing Cardiac Surgery Requiring Cardiopulmonary Bypass; LEVO -CTS
Kimberly Riehle, MD	Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center (FHCRC)	Mechanisms of Carcinogenesis in Fibrolamellar Hepatocellular Carcinoma
Niten Singh, MD	New England Research Institutes, Inc. (NERI)	Randomized, Multicenter, Controlled Trial to Compare Best Endovascular versus Best Surgical Therapy in Patients with Critical Limb Ischemia

ATTENTION DEPARTMENT OF SURGERY ALUMNI! Let us know what you are up to now!

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