

## GRANTS 2008

### PEDIATRIC PAIN

- **Buzzy – the Boo Boo Bee: Two Pilot Studies** – Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA. A grant to clinically test a hand held vibrating and cold device placed on the skin to mechanically decrease or eliminate intravenous needle pain in two studies, one involving immunizations, the other venupuncture. Contacts: Amy Baxter and Lindsey Cohen  
<http://www2.gsu.edu/~wwwpsy/faculty/cohen.htm>  
 Grant: \$64,662.50 – Final payment of \$129,325 grant
- **Non-Pharmacological Pain Treatments for Children with Intellectual Disabilities** – IWK Health Centre, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada. A grant to supplement the training budget of a Canadian Institutes of Health Research Project on pediatric chronic pain. Contact: Lynn Breau  
<http://nursing.dal.ca/Faculty/lynn.breau.php>  
 Grant: \$18,683
- **Genetics and Chronic Pain** – UCLA Pediatric Pain Program, Los Angeles, CA. A research grant to study genetic patterns in children who suffer from chronic pain and their parents. Contacts: Lonnie Zeltzer and Jennie Tsao  
<http://www.mattel.medsch.ucla.edu/pedspain/home.php>  
 Grant: \$103,222 -- First payment of two-year grant of \$208,597
- **Quality of Life for the Children, DC Children’s Palliative Care Conference** – DC Cancer Consortium, Washington, DC. A grant to support the annual conference. Contact: Susan Rogers  
<http://www.dcppcc.org/>  
 Grant: \$10,000
- **Acupuncture for Relieving Pain in Newborns** – Arkansas Children’s Hospital Foundation, Little Rock, AR. A grant to study the effect of electrode simulated acupuncture to relieve the pain of heel sticks in newborns. Conducted in conjunction with the Stanford University Lucille Packard Children’s Hospital. Contacts: K.J.S Anand, R. Whit Hall and Brenda Golianu  
<http://www.archildrens.org/foundation/about/>  
 Grant: \$200,942 – First payment of two-year grant of \$401,884
- **SUPERKIDZ – Pediatric Arthritis Project** – The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. A grant to support ‘SUPER-KIDZ: Ask Me Where It Hurts? Pain Assessment in Youth with Arthritis and Persistent Musculoskeletal Pain,’ conducted in cooperation with the Childhood Arthritis and Rheumatology Research Alliance (CARRA). The grant matches Canadian Institutes for Health Research funding and includes data collection across several sites in the United States and Canada with the goal to develop clinical guidelines. Contacts: Jennifer Stinson and Gary Walco  
<http://www.carragroup.org/>, <http://www.sickkids.ca/Research/index.html>  
 Grant: \$61,831
- **Trends Lecture on Pediatric Pain** – International Association for the Study of Pain, Seattle, WA for The 8<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Pediatric Pain. A grant to support

*The Mayday Fund Distinguished Lecture on the Future of Pediatric Pain* to be delivered by Patrick McGrath in 2009.

<http://childpain.org/2009acapulco.shtml>, <http://childpain.org/>

Grant: \$8,500

#### **PAIN & EMERGENCY MEDICINE**

- ***Improving Pain Management in the Pediatric Emergency Department -- Quality Improvement Initiative***– Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center, Cincinnati, OH. A grant to design and monitor quality improvement projects for pain in the pediatric emergency department. Contacts: Srikant Iyer and Charlotte Anderson  
<http://www.cincinnatichildrens.org/>  
Grant: \$93,470 – First payment of two-year grant of \$197,695
- ***Iowa Pediatric Rural Emergency Department Network***– College of Nursing, The University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. A grant to further pediatric pain assessment and management in rural emergency departments. Contact: Charmaine Kleiber  
[http://www.nursing.uiowa.edu/faculty\\_staff/facultyprofile/kleiber.htm](http://www.nursing.uiowa.edu/faculty_staff/facultyprofile/kleiber.htm)  
Grant: \$30,814 – Final payment of \$120,814 grant
- ***Illinois Emergency Department Pain Management Collaborative***—Department of Emergency Medicine and the Institute for Healthcare Studies, Northwestern University, Chicago, IL. A grant to support the project, “Improving Pain Management Through Surveillance and Quality Improvement – The Illinois Emergency Department Pain Management Collaborative: Project 1: Sickle Cell Disease, Acute Pain Episodes.”  
Contact: Paula Tanabe  
Grant: \$110,690 – Second payment of three-year grant of \$302,035

#### **CHANGING PRACTICE**

- ***Task Force on Nursing Home Pain*** – American Academy of Nursing and The Sigma Theta Tau International Foundation for Nursing, Washington, D.C. and Indianapolis, IN. A collaboration with the John A. Hartford Foundation and The Atlantic Philanthropies to create educational resources for nurses who care for pain in nursing homes. Contact: Keela Herr  
<http://www.geriatricnursing.org/hcgne/nhc.asp>  
Grant: \$68,293 – Final payment of \$153,594 grant
- ***National Consensus Project on Pain and Palliative Care Education for Pharmacists*** – Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, Edwardsville, IL. A grant to support a pharmacy specific pain and palliative care consensus summit of leaders in the field of pain and palliative care pharmacology. Contact: Chris Herndon  
Grant: \$57,314 – Second payment of three-year grant of \$152,490

#### **INFORMATION & RESOURCES**

- ***The John C. Liebeskind History of Pain Collection*** – University of California, Los Angeles, Darling Biomedical Library, Los Angeles, CA. Contact: Marcia Meldrum  
<http://unitproj.library.ucla.edu/biomed/his/pain.html>  
Grant: \$5,250
- ***Opioid Research Guideline Project*** – Pain Research Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. In partnership with The Milbank Memorial Fund, a grant to support the preparation of a research guideline, “Towards a definitive evidence base for opioid management of chronic non-cancer pain.” Contact: C. Richard Chapman  
Grant: \$10,500

## RESEARCH

- ***Incidence and risk factors for loss of opioid effectiveness with chronic use*** – Pain Research Center, The University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. The goals of this project are to: 1) Estimate the incidence of loss of opioid effectiveness in patients chronically exposed to opioids; and 2) Determine the risk factors for loss of opioid effectiveness with chronic use, including age, gender, pain syndrome and specific medication used. This investigation is a cohort study conducted with the United Kingdom's General Practice Research Database (GPRD). Contacts: C. Richard Chapman, David Bradshaw and Gary Donaldson  
<http://www.painresearch.utah.edu/>  
Grant: \$201,297 authorized in 2007 of which \$9,256 was paid from the 2008 grant budget
- ***Analysis of Biofeedback as a Therapeutic Intervention for Post Amputation Pain*** – Center for Pain Studies, Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago, Chicago, Ill. A research project to test the effectiveness of new treatments for post amputation pain. Contact: R. Norman Harden  
<http://www.ric.org/research/centers/pain/index.aspx>  
Grant: \$92,653.79 -- First payment of three-year grant of \$251,669.63

## FOUNDATION CITIZENSHIP

- ***New York Regional Association of Grantmakers***  
New York, NY. -- \$650
- ***The Council on Foundations***  
Arlington, VA. -- \$2,730

## PROGRAM RELATED PROJECT

The Mayday Pain & Society Fellowship: A Media & Policy Initiative was designed to equip physicians, nurses, social workers, scientists, and ethical and legal scholars with the skills to become effective advocates and spokespeople about pain issues in the United States. The Fellowship was established to build a community of experts in the pain management field that can effectively communicate to the public and policymakers. The Fellowship is steered by an advisory committee made up of some of the nation's leading experts in the pain management field. Contacts: Carol Schadelbauer, Burness Communications

<http://www.maydayfellows.org/>

**TOTAL GRANTS PAID IN 2008: \$943,856.56** net of refunds or repayments

## FINANCIALS

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