

Disclosures

Personal Commercial (5)

Company Name	Relationship Category	Compensation Level	Topic Area(s)
Self			
Abbott Medical, Inc.	Consultant Fees/Honoraria	Significant (>= \$5,000)	<i>Cardiothoracic Surgery</i>
Azyio, Inc.	Consultant Fees/Honoraria	Modest (< \$5,000)	<i>Cardiothoracic Surgery</i>
Berlin Heart, Inc.	Other - National Trainer, MAB member, travel reimbursed (not in last 12 mo)	None (\$0)	<i>Congenital Heart Disease and Pediatric Cardiology</i> <i>Cardiothoracic Surgery</i> <i>Heart Failure and Cardiomyopathies</i> <i>Other</i>
Syncardia, Inc.	Other - Consultant, Proctor, National PI, MAB	Modest (< \$5,000)	<i>Cardiothoracic Surgery</i> <i>Congenital Heart Disease and Pediatric Cardiology</i> <i>Heart Failure and Cardiomyopathies</i>
Xeltis, Inc.	Consultant Fees/Honoraria	Modest (< \$5,000)	<i>Cardiothoracic Surgery</i>

Additional Personal Commercial Disclosures for Education Activities (1)

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Self			
PECA Labs	Consultant Fees/Honoraria	None (\$0)	<i>Congenital Heart Disease and Pediatric Cardiology</i>

Personal Organizational or Other Non-Commercial (0)

No disclosures on record

Clinical Trial Enroller (0)

No disclosures on record

Institutional Financial Decision-Making Role (0)

No disclosures on record

Expert Witness Testimony (3)

Year	Case Title	Represented	Description	Compensation
Self				
2022	Medical consultation of three medical records	Third Party † Rubin/Anders Scientific, Inc.	Not involved in case, simply hired to give medical consultation on six pages of a medical record	Modest (< \$5,000)
2022	Malpractice of care at hospital	Defendant † Spencer Fane LLP	Pediatric heart transplant patient who was diagnosed with dilated cardiomyopathy. Plaintiff unhappy with care from hospital	Significant (>= \$5,000)
2022	Malpractice Lawsuit	Defendant † Groves and Verona, P.A.	Family suing hospital over care received for son who had a heart condition	Significant (>= \$5,000)

† Commercial Funding Source | ‡ Trial Name

Agreement

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