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Disclosures

Personal Commercial (0)

No disclosures on record

Additional Personal Commercial Disclosures for Education Activities (0)

No disclosures on record

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				
2023	TEE complication	Defendant † HallBoothSmith	esophageal perforation during CABG	Modest (< \$5,000)
2022	whether CHF can be caused by trauma or emotional distress	Defendant † Huff Powell Bailey law firm	Defendant is a business where a patient was assaulted, the question for me from the defense attorney was whether the plaintiff claim their CHF was caused by the attack	None (\$0)
2022	cardiomegaly on autopsy	Defendant † Huff Powell Bailey law firm	Defendent is an apartment complex where a shooting occured, Defense attorney asked me about clinical significance of cardiomegaly on autopsy	Modest (< \$5,000)

† Commercial Funding Source | ‡ Trial Name

Agreement

Certified Education Attestation | Signed on 10/12/2023

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Confidentiality, Disclosure and Assignment Agreement | Signed on 10/12/2023

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