

**Subcommittee on  
Labor, Health and Human Services, Education,  
and Related Agencies**

**Witness Disclosure Form**

Clause 2(g) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives requires non-governmental witnesses to disclose to the Committee the following information. A non-governmental witness is any witness appearing on behalf of himself/herself or on behalf of an organization other than a federal agency, or a state, local or tribal government.

Your Name, Business Address, and Telephone Number:

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1. Are you appearing on behalf of yourself or a non-governmental organization?  
Please list organization(s) you are representing.

I am representing the Linda Crnic Institute for Down Syndrome, of which I am the Executive Director.

2. Have you or any organization you are representing received any Federal grants or contracts (including any subgrants or subcontracts) since October 1, 2012 related to the agencies or programs funded by the Subcommittee?

Yes      No

3. Have you or any organization you are representing received any contracts or payments originating with a foreign government since October 1, 2012 related to the agencies or programs funded by the Subcommittee?

Yes      No

4. If your response to question #2 and/or #3 is "Yes", please list the amount and source (by agency and program) of each Federal grant (or subgrant thereof) or contract (or subcontract thereof), and/or the amount and country of origin of any payment or contract originating with a foreign government. Please also indicate whether the recipient was you or the organization(s) you are representing.

Since October 2012, research activities in my laboratory at the University of Colorado have been funded by grants from the National Institute of Health (NIH) as follows:

NIH - National Cancer Institute (NCI)

Award number R01 CA117907

Role: Principal Investigator

Total costs since 2012: \$1,391,026

Title: Mechanisms of gene-specific transcriptional regulation within the p53 network.

NIH - National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS)

Award number R01 GM120109

Role: Principal Investigator

Total costs since 2012: \$614,226

Title: Mechanisms of gene expression control during the cellular response to hypoxia.

Additionally, in my two roles at the University of Colorado Cancer Center (UCCC, i.e. co-Leader of the Molecular Oncology Program and Director of the Functional Genomics Shared Resource), I have co-administered a minor fraction of the funds provided by an NIH grant that supports the UCCC. The Principal Investigator of this award is Dr. Dan Theodorescu, the UCCC's Director. Of note, I am not representing the UCCC at this hearing, but I am nonetheless disclosing my involvement with this large federal grant. Information for this award is as follows:

NIH - National Cancer Institute (NCI) - Cancer Center Support Grant (CCSG)

Award number: P30 CA046934

Roles: co-Leader of the Molecular Oncology Program and Director of the Functional Genomics Shared Resource.

Total costs for the entire CCSG since 2012: \$26,900,874

Title: Cancer Center Support Grant for the University of Colorado Cancer Center.

Additionally, faculty members within the intramural program of the Linda Crnic Institute for Down Syndrome have also received NIH funding since 2012 as follows:

**Dr. Katheleen Gardiner:**

NIH – National Institute for Child Health and Human Development (NICHD)

Award number: R01 HD056235

Total costs since 2012: \$515,296

Title: Systems biology for studies of cognition in Down syndrome.

NIH – National Institute for Child Health and Human Development (NICHD)

Award Number: U13 HD075580

Total costs since 2012: \$15,000

Title: NIH support of conferences and scientific meetings.

NIH – National Institute for Child Health and Human Development (NICHD)

Award Number: R21 HD07456

Total costs since 2012: \$437,685

Title: Combinatorial pharmacotherapies for neuronal abnormalities in Down syndrome.

NIH – National Institute for Child Health and Human Development (NICHD)

Award Number: R03 HD091639

Total costs since 2012: \$77,750

Title: Cognitive deficits in Down syndrome: contributions from HSA21 orthologs on mouse chromosome 10.

**Dr. Huntington Potter:**

NIH – National Institute on Aging (NIA)

Award Number: R01 AG037942

Total costs since 2012: \$1,230,712

Title: Abnormal low density lipoprotein receptor localization and function in AD.

NIH – National Institute on Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NINDS)

Award Number: R01 NS076291

Total costs since 2012: \$1,271,782

Title: Neuronal dysfunction caused by a-beta inhibition of MT motors.

Signature:



Date: October 20, 2017