Quarterly update from the DMRC

Hi everyone,

It's been such an exciting year at the Diabetes Mellitus Research Center (DMRC) and I'm thrilled to share some progress we've made. In the past year, we've continued to advance the science, improve patient care, and make a difference in the local community.

Research Highlights

We're proud to announce that Dr. Jared Rutter has been named an HHMI investigator. This is a testament to his dedication and excellence in research. About a month ago, we received an untied grant totaling $5.5 million from the American Diabetes Association and the University of Utah. This grant will help us continue to drive out diabetes. It has also helped us fund a Diabetes Initiative for the next three years.

In the past year, the DMRC received support from over 130 grants and published over 470 papers. In terms of presentations, we had a great turnout with 221 presentations at internal and external venues. Our grant submissions also increased by 33% compared to the previous year. We continue to be grateful to be part of such a great community.

A lot of our success is due to our community. We're proud to say that we've had 700 people in our diabetes education classes this year. We're also providing free glucose monitoring strips and meter to people who need it. Our community has been a true supporter of this work.

Employees of the DMRC have been working hard to improve access to insulin. While 2022 is starting off with some uncertainty, it is with confidence that we are looking forward to the year ahead. We are excited about the upcoming grant submission and we will continue to excel.

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In summary, the DMRC had a great year in 2021. We're excited about the upcoming year and we're looking forward to continuing our impact on diabetes research and care.