

NEWS ITEM - SOUTHWESTERN MEDICAL SCHOOL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

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Southwestern Medical School of The University of Texas has recently been awarded the following grants from the United States Public Health Service, National Institutes of Health:

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| (1) A-332(C) for research in adrenal steroids on acid-base equilibrium - with Dr. Donald Seldin, Professor of Internal Medicine, as principal investigator | \$6,642.00 |
| (2) M-739 for research on effect of experimental neurosis on gastric activity - with Dr. Alvin Shapiro, Assistant Professor of Internal Medicine, as principal investigator | 4,104.00 |
| (3) H-1574 for research on plasma disappearance curves in experimental hypertension in dogs - with Dr. John Vanatta, Associate Professor of Physiology, as principal investigator | 6,480.00 |
| (4) G-4077 for research in pharmacology on Mannich bases and their quaternary derivatives - with Dr. Myron Slomka, Assistant Professor of Pharmacology, as principal investigator | 4,428.00 |

In addition, a United States Army Contract reimbursable to a maximum of \$18,440.00 has been received for research on the factors responsible for the toxic and lethal effects of bacterial endotoxins - with Dr. A. I. Braude, Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, as principal investigator

Dr. Allen Reid, Professor of Biophysics, has been awarded a \$5,000 grant by the American Cancer Society for investigation of the relationship of a naturally occurring metabolic inhibitor to the cancerous state.

Recent guest lecturers at the medical school include:

- Dr. Charles H. Best of the University of Toronto
- " Priscilla White of Tufts College Medical School
- " Robert F. Pitts of Cornell University Medical School
- " Henry W. Brosin of the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine
- " Robert Good of the University of Minnesota Medical School
- " Robert Aldrich of the University of Oregon Medical School

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