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Ethicon Grant/Fellowship Report Form

Grant Holder Name	Jaime Doody
Brief biography, including qualification and year of graduation (no more than 100 words)	Graduated Trinity College Dublin Medical School 2006 BST, RCSI 2007 – 2009 (MRCS 2008) MD in surgery, NUIG 2009 – 2011 HST in ENT, RCSI 2012 – 2018 (FRCS ORL-HNS 2017)
Title of Project/Fellowship	Clinical Fellowship in Pediatric Otolaryngology, Boston Childrens Hospital/Harvard Medical School
Year of Award: Commencement Date: Conclusion Date:	2019 1 st July 2018 30 th June 2019

Summary (no more than 250 words)

I completed a 1-year clinical fellowship in pediatric otolaryngology under the auspices of Harvard Medical School and Boston Children's Hospital.

Boston Children's Hospital is the number one ranked hospital in the USA. We have over 120 ICU beds and approximately 400 beds in total.

My work was mainly clinical. I performed over 500 procedures in the year including complex airway reconstruction surgeries, excision of advanced neck masses and nearly 20 cochlear implantations. I have learned a myriad of new techniques. I published two papers and presented at a national meeting in the US.

Grant Report (in the region of but no more than 500 words)

Objectives of Project/Fellowship:

To learn advanced surgical techniques. To learn how to manage acutely sick children. To expand the scope of my practice. To publish in peer-reviewed journals.

Did you achieve these objectives?

Yes

In your opinion, what is the value of your award to:

(a) Yourself

I have greatly improved my surgical technique this year. In particular I feel my otology has improved greatly which is an area I specifically wanted to work on. The award I received helped me come to this institution and helped with the financial burden of relocating to an entire continent for the year. I arrived in Boston in summer 2018 with two suitcases and had to build an entire life here from scratch and the award helped massively in that endeavor

(b) The institution in which you worked

I contributed to the institution in which I worked. I was on call 1 in 4 and was on the emergency airway service. Because the award allowed me to come here I could not only provide competent clinical service, I also published 2 articles in peer reviewed journals on behalf of the department which helps, in a small way, maintain its status as a powerhouse of medical research.

(c) In the future for Irish patients

This award allowed me come to the United States to a fantastic institution where I learned skills and performed surgeries not done anywhere else in the world. The award facilitated my working in one of the top hospitals in the world and by working here I am a vastly better doctor and when I return to Ireland I will bring all those skills and surgical knowledge with me and use it to give Irish patients the best possible care