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5	Payment or honoraria for	None	
	lectures, presentations,		
	speakers bureaus,		
	manuscript writing or		
	educational events		
6	Payment for expert	None	
	testimony		
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7	Support for attending meetings and/or travel	None	
	meetings and/or traver		
8	Patents planned, issued or	None	
	pending		
9	Participation on a Data	None	
	Safety Monitoring Board or		
	Advisory Board		
10	Leadership or fiduciary role	None	
	in other board, society,		
	committee or advocacy		
11	group, paid or unpaid Stock or stock options	None	
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12	Receipt of equipment,	None	
	materials, drugs, medical		
	writing, gifts or other		
	services		
13	Other financial or non-	None	
	financial interests		

None.

Please place an "X" next to the following statement to indicate your agreement: