



HYDROCEPHALUS IN GEORGIA

HYDROCEPHALUS IS A CHRONIC NEUROLOGICAL CONDITION THAT HAS NO CURE. ANYONE AT ANY TIME CAN DEVELOP HYDROCEPHALUS, FROM INFANTS TO SENIORS. THE ONLY TREATMENT REQUIRES BRAIN SURGERY.



CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARD A BETTER TOMORROW

GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

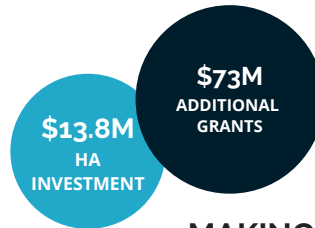
2020 NIH NICHD Grant **\$196,486**
Steerable Robotic Endoscopic Tools for Pediatric Neurosurgery.
Principal Investigator: Desai, Jaydev P.

2019 NIH NINDS Grant **\$183,358**
Towards a Wireless Implantable Intracranial Ultrasound (WICUS) Imaging System. Principal Investigators: Degertekin, F. Levent & Ghovanloo, Maysam

EMORY UNIVERSITY

2021-2023 - NBIB **\$450,081**
iPPSIS: implanted Passive Pressure Sensor Interrogated with (ultra)-Sound. Principal Investigators: Myers, David Richard & Lindsey, Brooks D.

2021-2026 NIH NINDS Grant **\$14,000,000**
Placebo-Controlled Effectiveness of Idiopathic Normal Pressure Hydrocephalus Shunting



MAKING AN IMPACT The Big Picture

- 2 Clinical Research Networks
- 1 Basic & Translational Research Network
- 2 Biobanks
- 1 Hydrocephalus Patient-Powered Registry
- 36% Decrease in Shunt Infection Rates
- 11 Preclinical Drug Therapies in testing
- 1 New Patent for a Drug Target
- 1 FDA Investigational New Drug Application

ATLANTA WALK TO END HYDROCEPHALUS

Alexander Park- Lawrenceville
Saturday, September 28, 2024, 9:15 am
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COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUPS

- Atlanta Community Network
- State-wide Online Facebook Group
- One-on-one Peer Support Volunteers