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Sent:

Tuesday, May 31, 2005 9:39 PM

To: Subject: Nemeroff, Charles B RE: Astrazeneca gift

OK. Thanks. Very nice of Asta to do this.

From: Charles B. Nemeroff [mailto:@emory.edu]

Sent: Tuesday, May 31, 2005 9:26 PM **To:** Claudia Adkison, J.D., Ph.D. **Subject:** Re: Astrazeneca gift

Dear Claudia,

We have had this award for many years and similar ones from Forest, Wyeth and Abbott. They are "internal" departmental research career development awards. I use them to protect junior faculty time as part of their recruitment package or during times of lean funding. The criteria are research potential and need. I choose the faculty in consultation with the vice chair for research, and if appropriate the Exec Comm of the dept. There is absolutely NO input from Astra Zeneca as to the choice of the faculty member or the area of research. The fund is largely for faculty salary support, though it can be used to support research itself. I have a bunch of faculty who could really use this support. I do not currently consult with this company, though they sponsored one lecture at APA that I gave this year. I don't believe that any of our faculty consult with them... Was on their Advisory board and I don't know if he still is. Hope this addresses your questions. Charlie

At 08:46 PM 5/31/2005, you wrote:

Charlie, I am looking over the gift agreement from Astrazeneca for Young Faculty Development Program Award. Just a couple of Qs. How will faculty be selected for this; what are the criteria? How many/year, and what will be the size of the award to each. Does the research they do have any relationship or tie to Astrazeneca? Would Astra be expecting any kind of report on research results? Do you already have faculty in mind for this?

Do any of your faculty or you have consulting or similar arrangements with Astra?

Whatever the answers, I will work this out. Just want to anticipate additional work we may need to do.

Thanks. CRA

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