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July 1, 2012 – June 30, 2013

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PI: Kim Waller, PhD* 09/01/2012 – 08/31/2014
CDC/NIOSH
Parental Exposure to Ionizing Radiation and Birth Defects
Status: Funded
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PI: X. Neil Dong, PhD 09/01/2012 – 05/30/2013
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Status: Funded

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PI: David Corry, MD* 07/01/2013 – 06/30/2017
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Status: Funded
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PI: David Douphrate, PhD, MPT, MBA, CPE 09/01/2014 – 08/31/2017
U01 UTHSC-Tyler/CDC
Development of Safety Management and Leadership Training Program for Logging Contractors
Status: Funded

July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016

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Jayadas, Aditya. Empathic & Co-Design: Redesign of Duty Belts for Police Officers

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PRESENTATIONS:


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PI: Zhang, Kai
R03 - NIOSH
Assessing Heat-Related Morbidity among Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers
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