The grant was extremely helpful with this new line of research that I have started. The project allowed me to develop relationships with key stakeholders, develop relationships with key patient groups, and to gain traction for larger projects and grants.

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This grant was extremely helpful for me to switch my focus to a new area of research. I am now one of the leading Canadian researchers in [this new area].