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IDEAS INTO URGENT ACTION

One of the most outstanding aspects of this Seena Magowitz Golf Classic has been the immediate application of funds to clinical trials in 2 major areas including:

- To improve survival and quality of life for people with pancreatic cancer
- To provide for early detection of pancreatic cancer

There is no mistaking this Golf Classic has turned ideas into urgent action. Progress has been made in both areas. The treatment regimen devised with funds from this tournament is now the most commonly used survival-improving therapy around the world.

It is obvious we have a lot more work to do. The good news is on two fronts:

- We know there are ways to improve survival
- There are multiple new ideas from the laboratory, which need to be tested in clinical trials urgently

The medical research team supported by this tournament promises we will take these best laboratory ideas into urgent action for those in need. The ideas are becoming so good we can "taste" progress. If we apply them, we will not strike out – we will win together.

Yours in urgent action,

Dan