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Title: Lost in Translation? Approaches to Developing Discoveries for Patient Benefit

Each year 37 million people develop thrombosis or blood clots. A safe and effective therapy for dissolving thrombi could reduce death and disability from cardiovascular disease and ischemic stroke. Scientific findings from our lab are changing the conceptual paradigm for thrombosis and have spawned an innovative therapy to dissolve thrombi without serious bleeding. We will discuss our efforts to translate scientific insights into a new therapeutic product, from pre-clinical to clinical phase II studies, using NIH funding and other mechanisms.