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**top headlines**

**Mobile health**
An IU researcher has earned a grant to create a smartphone app to support health care workers in Kenya.

**New autism research**
A team including IU School of Medicine researchers has developed a new technology to screen for autism.

**Clinic expands hours**
The IU Staff and Faculty Clinic has expanded its hours to include Saturday appointments.

**editor’s picks**

**Opportunities**

**Education expert**
An award-winning educator will lead a workshop on principles that inform the IUSM curriculum reform process on Aug. 23.

**Grants**

**Internal grant deadlines**
The application deadline for two internal grant programs at the IU School of Medicine is Sept. 3.

**News to Use**

**South split construction**

**features of the week**

**story**

**New investments**
A biotechnology company based upon research by Mark R. Kelley at the IU School of Medicine has received new investment from the National Cancer Institute of the National Institutes of Health and BioCrossroads' Indiana Seed Fund II to advance the fight against pediatric leukemias.
Closures on I-65 and I-70 between the north and south splits will likely affect the IUPUI community.

**Kudos**

**Cancer grants awarded**
Five IU cancer researchers and one program have received more than $1.4 million from the Susan G. Komen for the Cure.

**faculty & staff spotlight**

**Program manager**
Paula Parker-Sawyers, former deputy mayor of Indianapolis, has joined the Indiana Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute.

**student spotlight**

**Hands-on experience**
Christian McGill, a recent high school graduate, spent his summer working in the research lab of Ragini Vittal.

**'Sound Medicine'**
This week on "Sound Medicine," IU School of Medicine faculty member Vincent Gattone concludes a two-part interview about his decision to use his personal experience with terminal illness as a learning experience for his students. Other topics include the ethics of an infamous CIA vaccination hoax and the dangers of hospital "alarm fatigue."

**events & lectures**

- **White Coat Ceremony**
  08-10-2013
- **New Faculty Welcome**
  08-13-2013
- **Educational Conference on Personalized Medicine**
  09-05-2013

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