

Shapiro Lab A Cure for Diabetes

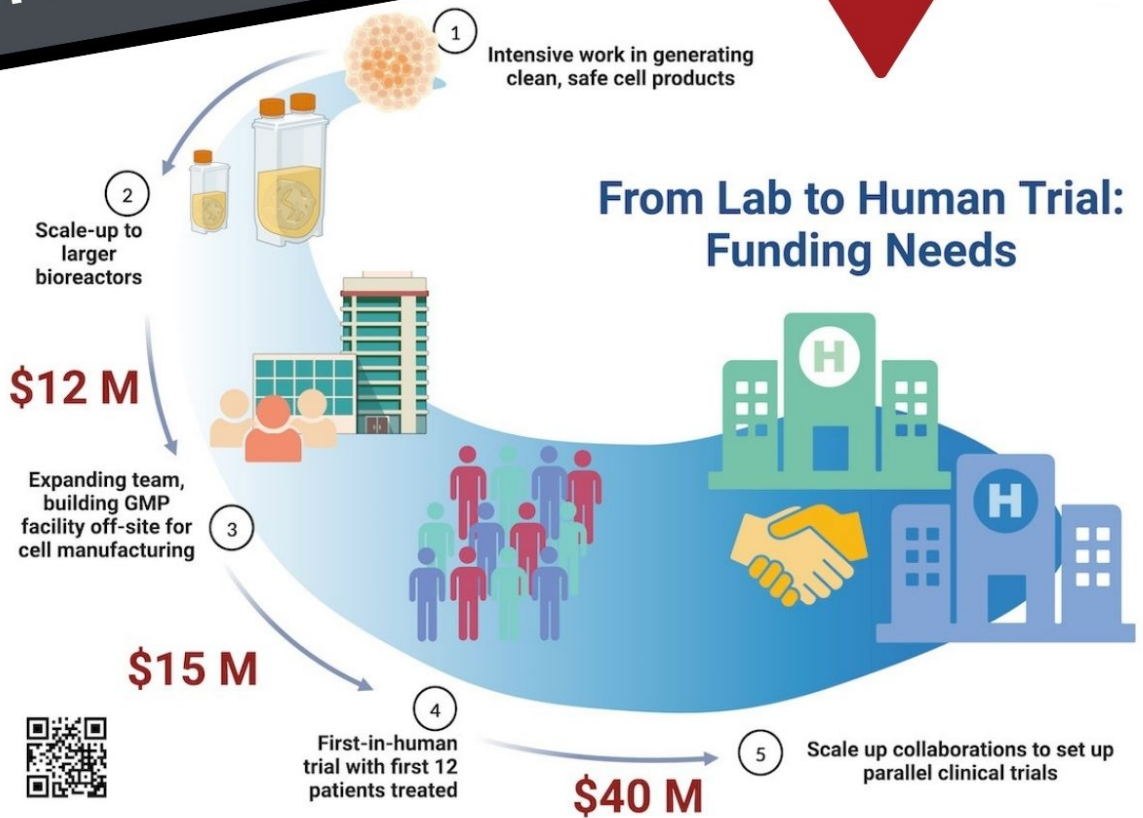


James Shapiro led the team that developed the revolutionary Edmonton Protocol for islet cell transplants - improving quality of life for people with hard-to-control diabetes. Now, his research is further refining the protocol to eliminate the need for anti-rejection medication post-transplantation through the use of stem cell technology. If successful, Dr. Shapiro's work will effectively cure diabetes.

DRIFCan's mission is to directly fund cure-based diabetes research conducted by Dr. James Shapiro and the team at the globally ranked University of Alberta in Edmonton, Canada.



From Lab to Human Trial: Funding Needs



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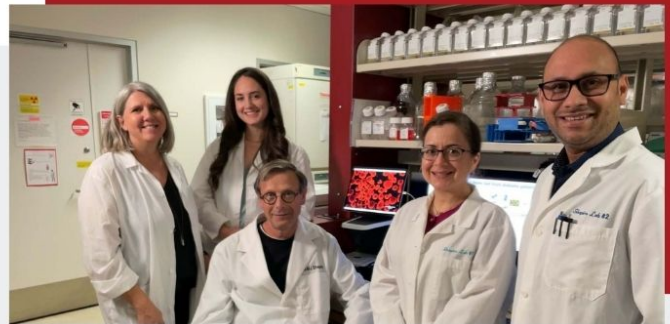
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“This is the future, this is where the horizon is, this is where the sun is rising. I am confident that we, the industry and mankind will find a way to pay for this and justify the cost of these treatments because it will be so much better than insulin. It will prevent all the complications of diabetes and lead to a far better quality of life.”

- Dr. James Shapiro

Diabetes Research Institute Foundation Canada



The Diabetes Research Institute Foundation Canada (DRIFCan) was established in 2005 to fund the Edmonton Protocol. Dr. Shapiro and his team are located at the 25,000-square-foot Alberta Diabetes Institute at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.



MISSION: To generate autologous insulin-producing islets from stem cells with full therapeutic dosing.



Unlimited supply



No immunosuppression



Autoimmunity modulation for T1D



Application for T2D, post-surgical diabetes

Get in contact

Contact Edmonton Global’s Robert Sikora to receive a detailed business case and competitiveness scan for diabetes research and life science opportunities in the Edmonton Metropolitan Region.



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