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## Year-in-Review

Thank you for another remarkable year. In 2025, KidneyCure established the [Norman and Sandra Coplon Research Scholar Grant](#) with a \$2 million donation from Satellite Healthcare and \$2 million donation from ASN. Additionally, KidneyCure, [awarded](#) over \$3 million to 45 kidney investigators through research grant programs, supported 10 [endowed lectures](#) at ASN Kidney Week 2025, and introduced Bridge Grants to help sustain researchers affected by federal funding cuts. These accomplishments were made possible with the support and generosity of the kidney community.

ASN and KidneyCure wish you and yours a happy holiday season.

## Grant Recipient Spotlight: Jennifer L. Pluznick, PhD

Jennifer L. Pluznick, PhD, received a Carl W. Gottschalk Research Scholar Grant in 2013. An Associate Professor of Physiology at the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Dr. Pluznick studies the role of sensory receptors in regulating renal and cardiovascular function. In 2022, Dr. Pluznick received the ASN-American Heart Association Donald W. Seldin Young Investigator Award.



[In this interview](#), Dr. Pluznick gives an update on her current work and shares how her KidneyCure grant came at a crucial time in her career.

## Grant Recipients at Work

Current and former KidneyCure grant recipients work across the research spectrum to advance community understanding and treatment of kidney diseases. Find recent publications and press coverage highlighted by KidneyCure grant recipients [here](#).

## Grant Recipients' 2025 Top Achievements

KidneyCure celebrates grant recipients' professional achievements from the year, including awards, promotions, and other major accomplishments. Learn more about the top 2025 highlights as [reported by grant recipients](#).

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