“We Saw an Opportunity to Transform Medicine ... And We Acted.”

Two years ago, we opened California’s first purpose-built stem cell research building, Sue & Bill Gross Hall, on the UC Irvine campus. We are proud to call it home to the science behind the world’s first clinical trial of a human embryonic stem cell-based therapy. Current trials include neural stem cell treatments for chronic spinal cord injury and for a childhood brain disorder.

We’re making history because others make it possible — people like philanthropists Sue and Bill Gross, whose transformational gift has opened labs that will change lives.

On the horizon: New treatments for age-related blindness, Multiple Sclerosis, Alzheimer’s and Huntington’s diseases. We’re working on them all, thanks to a supportive community.

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