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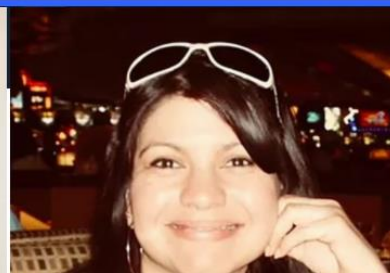
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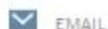
# MEDICAL DEVICE DANGERS

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## *Spy Agencies Tap Data Streaming From Phone Apps*

By JAMES GLANZ, JEFF LARSON and ANDREW W. LEHREN JAN. 27, 2014



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When a smartphone user opens Angry Birds, the popular game application, and starts slinging birds at chortling green pigs, spies could be lurking in the background to snatch data revealing the player's location, age, sex and other personal information, according to secret British intelligence documents.

In their globe-spanning surveillance for terrorism suspects and other targets, the National Security Agency and its British counterpart have been trying to exploit a basic byproduct of modern telecommunications: With each new generation of mobile phone technology, ever greater amounts of personal data pour onto networks where spies can pick it up.

According to dozens of previously undisclosed classified [documents](#), among the most valuable of those unintended intelligence tools are so-called leaky apps that spew everything from the smartphone identification codes of users to where they have been that day.

The N.S.A. and Britain's Government Communications Headquarters were working together on how to collect and store data from dozens of smartphone apps by 2007, according to the [documents](#), provided by Edward J. Snowden, the former N.S.A. contractor. Since then, the agencies have traded recipes for grabbing location and planning data when a target uses Google Maps, and for vacuuming up address books, buddy lists, telephone logs and the geographic data embedded in photographs when someone sends a post to the mobile versions of Facebook, Flickr, LinkedIn, Twitter and other Internet services.

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## Leaked Cables Offer a Raw Look Inside U.S. Diplomacy



### Dispatches Chronicle Threats and Tensions

By SCOTT SHANE  
and ANDREW W. LEHREN

WASHINGTON — A cache of a quarter-million confidential American diplomatic cables, most of them from the past three years, provides an unprecedented look at back-room bargaining by embassies around the world, brutally candid views of foreign leaders and frank assessments of nuclear and terrorist threats.

Some of the cables, made available to The New York Times and several other news organizations, were written as recently as late February, revealing the Obama administration's exchanges over crises and conflicts. The material was originally obtained by WikiLeaks, an organization devoted to revealing secret documents. WikiLeaks posted 220 cables, some redacted to protect diplomatic sources, in the first installment of the release.

# Flow of unregulated chemicals flow from China into pharmaceuticals in the US and developed nations

## Bad actors among prominent suppliers

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*This article was reported by Walt Bogdanich, Jake Hooker and Andrew W. Lehren and written by Mr. Bogdanich.*

MILAN — In January, Honor International Pharmatech was accused of shipping counterfeit drugs into the United States. Even so, the Chinese chemical company — whose motto is “Thinking Much of Honor” — was openly marketing its products in October to thousands of buyers here at the world’s biggest trade show for pharmaceutical ingredients.



At least 82 Chinese companies at a Milan trade show, none of them certified, sold they trade pharmaceutical ingredients. (AP Photo for the New York Times)

Other Chinese chemical companies made the journey to the annual show as well, including one manufacturer recently accused by American authorities of supplying steroids to illegal underground labs and another whose representative was arrested at the 2006 trade show for patent violations. Also attending were two exporters owned by China’s government that had sold poison mislabeled as a drug ingredient, which killed nearly 200 people and injured countless others in Haiti and in Panama.

Yet another chemical company, Orient Pacific International, reserved an exhibition booth in Milan, but its owner, Kevin Xu, could not attend. He was in a Houston jail on charges of selling counterfeit medicine for schizophrenia, prostate cancer, blood clots and Alzheimer’s disease, among other maladies.

While these companies hardly represent all of the nearly 500 Chinese exhibitors, more than from any other country, they do point to a deeper

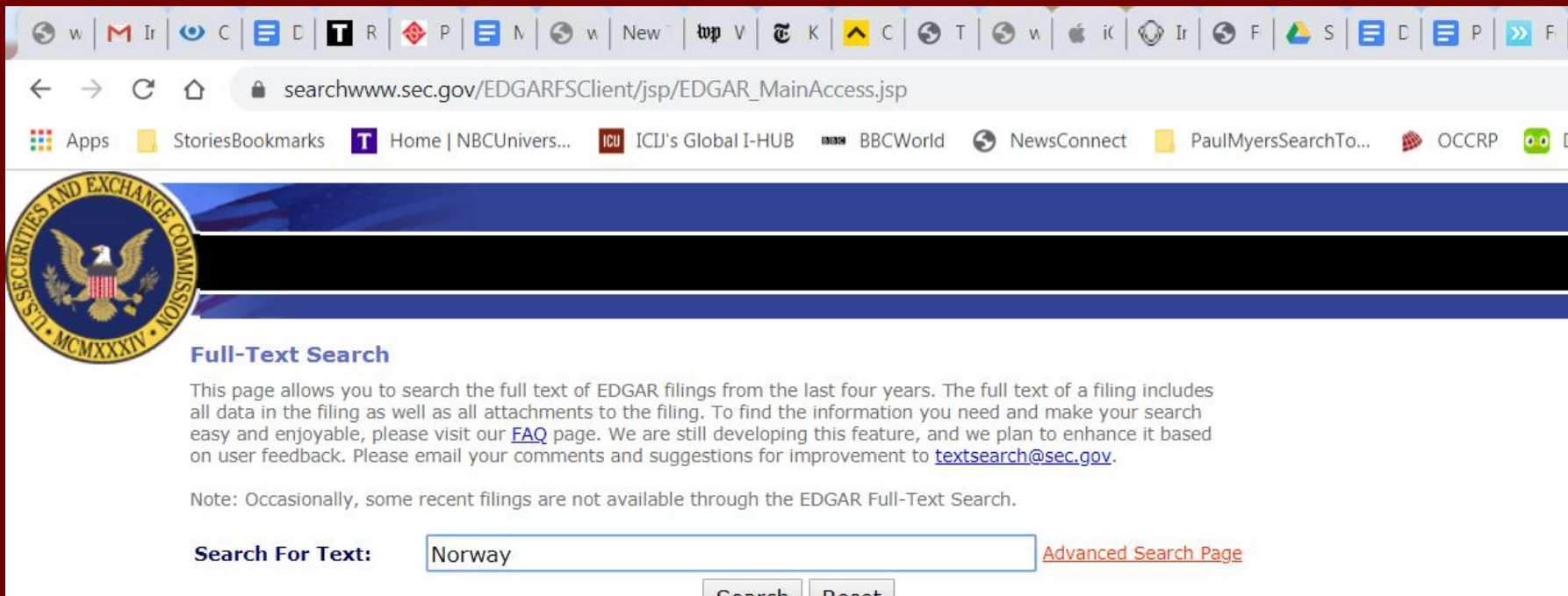
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MOORESVILLE, N.C. — Business is booming here at the Trump National Golf Club.

The real estate office is selling million-dollar homes, the membership roster is nearly maxed out, and the private club is booking a record number of events, including a sold-out “[Bag-Lady Luncheon](#),” where luxury leather handbags were [auctioned](#) for a charity that supports military veterans.

“How do we get busier?” asked Jennifer Minton, the club’s controller, during a recent tour of the grounds. “We only have so many weekends.”

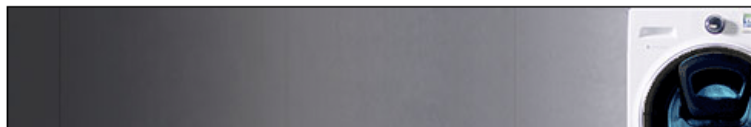
It is a very different story in Los Angeles.

The Trump National Golf Club there, a public course, has seen a double-digit drop in revenue from golf in the first six months of 2017 compared with a year earlier, according to documents obtained through a public records request. A large crowd assembled this spring, but they were protesters spelling out “RESIST!” with their bodies.

The divergent fortunes of the North Carolina and Los Angeles clubs reflect a broader pattern across President Trump’s business empire: The red-blue political divide is not only informing the president’s policies, it is influencing his family-owned company’s bottom line.

Mr. Trump’s most recent financial disclosure statement, a [98-page report in June](#), showed that the Trump Organization brought in at least \$597 million in revenue during his 2016 campaign and the first few months of his presidency, down about 3 percent compared with his previous filing in May 2016.

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- Records are not at one place.
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- With each new presidential administration, expect new lobbyists.

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JUSTICE DEPARTMENT

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# Why Cameroon pays a civil-rights star

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Yaounde from the slope of Mt. Febe

By Stuart White and Agnes Taile

On April 27, 2010, Bibi Ngota died in Kondengui prison in the tiny West African nation of Cameroon. According to prison documents made public by his family, Ngota perished because of “abandonment, improper care,” by prison authorities, and “failure to render assistance.”

Ngota wasn't a career criminal. He was a journalist, the editorial director of the publication Cameroon Express. He was imprisoned for investigating alleged corruption involving Laurent Essou, a high-ranking politician who serves as both secretary general of the president's office and chairman of the state-run oil company.

## Musharraf charity in US faces scam

Spokesman says it took too long to establish operations

Alex Wolf and Sehar Mughal

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**NEW YORK:** While General (R) Musharraf faces serious legal and criminal charges in Pakistan, he is about to be hit by financial misappropriations in the US where his foundation raised \$2 million for Pakistan and not a dollar was sent there. His organisation touted branches not just in Pakistan, but also in the United Kingdom and the United States, in a mass appeal for humanitarian aid to flood victims.

Three years later, Musharraf's effort is in shambles. **Amid allegations of misspending after raising more than \$2 million, its Pakistan operation closed this spring.** In February, the United Kingdom's government oversight agency, the Charity Commission, officially removed the foundation from its list of charities.

But gone unnoticed amid those well-publicised closures is that the Musharraf Foundation continues to operate in the United States. Its website, as of this month, still seeks donations, with images of children in flood damaged areas, headlines about diseases and damaged roads, and ways to contribute cash. And as of mid-November, its phone line is answered by operators willing to accept credit card donations. The fundraising continues despite the US charity ever spending any money for helping Pakistani flood victims.

The Musharraf Foundation's filings with **US tax authorities shows it has raised more than \$35,000. While money was spent for running a website and unspecified professional fees, none of the proceeds went for charitable efforts,** tax records show.

The US charity is led by Dr Raza Bokhari, a medical doctor and entrepreneur who is long-time outspoken supporter of Musharraf, a general who first came to office in a 1999 military coup. The former president himself now faces criminal charges in Pakistan in connection with the murders of political rivals and for ordering a military assault on fundamentalists at an Islamabad mosque who had been calling for his ouster. Musharraf has maintained his innocence and Bokhari has decried the prosecutions as politically motivated maneuvers.



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# Selling Apartheid

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In *Selling Apartheid*, journalist Ron Nixon brings to light a mostly forgotten aspect of the long battle over apartheid: the global propaganda campaign waged by the South African government in an attempt to bolster support for the regime. Drawing on interviews with key players and thousands of... [\*Read More\*](#)

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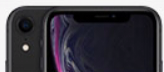
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HEALTH CARE

# Medical device makers spend millions lobbying to loosen regulations in D.C.

“It makes things easier for industry, it makes things worse for patients,” said cardiologist Rita Redberg about a recent industry-backed rule change.

RUSSIA INVESTIGATION

## The Mueller effect: FARA filings soar in shadow of Manafort, Flynn probes



**By Julia Ainsley, Andrew W. Lehren and Anna Schechter**

WASHINGTON – The data firm whose work for Donald Trump's campaign attracted the interest of Robert Mueller's investigators recently filed paperwork showing it had helped spread negative information about Qatar, the Gulf nation targeted by the Saudis and the United Arab Emirates in a bitter propaganda battle.

The parent company, SCL Social Limited, is one of hundreds of new and supplemental FARA filings by U.S. lobbyists and public relations firms since [Special Counsel Mueller charged two Trump aides](#) with failing to disclose their lobbying work on behalf of foreign countries.

The number of first-time filings like SCL Social Limited's rose 50 percent to 102 between 2016 and 2017, an NBC News analysis found. The number of supplemental filings, which include details about campaign donations, meetings and phone calls more than doubled from 618 to 1,244 last year as lobbyists scrambled to avoid [the same fate as some of Trump's associates](#) and their business partners.

Council, with President Trump this month. Mr. Gribbin used to work for Macquarie, a bank that specializes in infrastructure and stands to gain from such undertakings.  
Stephen Crowley/The New York Times

By [Eric Lipton](#), [Ben Protess](#) and [Andrew W. Lehren](#)

April 15, 2017

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WASHINGTON — President Trump is populating the White House and federal agencies with former lobbyists, lawyers and consultants who in many cases are helping to craft new policies for the same industries in which they recently earned a paycheck.

The potential conflicts are arising across the executive branch, according to an analysis of recently released financial disclosures, lobbying records and interviews with current and former ethics officials by The New York Times in collaboration with [ProPublica](#).

In at least two cases, the appointments may have already led to [violations](#) of the administration's own ethics rules. But evaluating if

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subsequently it was learned that George Blake, an officer with the British Secret Intelligence Service with knowledge of the operation, had been under Soviet control since 1952, when he was a prisoner in North Korea. However, the KGB, in order not to risk revealing Blake's treason, refrained from interfering with the operation until a plausible alternative excuse presented itself. Nor did they try to insert disinformation into the tapped communications cables due to concerns over the number of people who would learn of such an operation.<sup>4</sup>

## Ground Stations

CIA intercept operations have also involved funding foreign ground stations as well as operating their own. Norway began operating SIGINT collection sites on behalf of the CIA in 1955. For the 1966-1967 fiscal year the CIA budgeted part of \$104,000 to replace one of the principal ELINT receivers at a Norwegian-operated site at Kirkenes (which had a subsidiary outpost, designated METRO, at Korpjell). The sites intercepted communications, telemetry, and other electronic signals. Included were data on launches out of the White Sea, on air-to-air and air-to-ground missile launches, and on Soviet practice firings from the Barents Sea. The operation also provided COMINT coverage.<sup>5</sup>

But the most important sites operated by the CIA during the Cold War were located in Iran, and known as TACKSMAN I and TACKSMAN II. The first site, a telemetry intercept station, was established in the late 1950s in an ancient hunting castle at Beshahr (not to be confused with Bushehr, location of a well-known nuclear reactor on the eastern shore of the Persian Gulf), on the southeastern corner of the Caspian Sea — with the objective of collecting signals from the Tyuratam test range, which the CIA believed would become a major Soviet test facility.<sup>6</sup>

In 1965 and 1966, the Office of ELINT sought to improve its ability to monitor missile tests emanating from Tyuratam and antimissile activity at Sary Shagan. It established a second telemetry intercept station in northeastern Iran at Kabkan, forty miles east of Mashad. TACKSMAN II was only 650 miles southwest of Tyuratam. As did the Beshahr site, it had a communications intercept capability to permit monitoring of test range communications. The sites could do what no other U.S. intercept sites could do — monitor the last moments of the firing of a missile's first stage, resulting in a greater degree of confidence in determining missile dimensions and throw weight. At their peak, the Iranian stations provided about 85 percent of the hard intelligence the U.S. acquired on the Soviet ICBM program.<sup>7</sup>

President Jimmy Carter considered the sites sufficiently important that he told his ambassador to Iran, William Sullivan, that intelligence cooperation between the CIA and Iran should continue despite the Shah's poor human rights record. But in January 1979, the Shah, in the wake of escalating protests and riots, fled the country — and the sites were eventually seized by the new government. In the wake of that loss, the issue of finding alternatives to the sites became a priority. Thus, in late October 1979, Director of Central Intelligence Stansfield Turner and Secretary of Defense Harold Brown discussed ([Document 32](#)) financial and technical issues related to adding a telemetry intercept capability to an existing SIGINT satellite system — while preserving the existing missions.<sup>8</sup>

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The Nobel Prize-winning author's FBI file showed the U.S. law enforcement agency closely monitored Solzhenitsyn for years, knowing discovery of its surveillance would lead to repercussions.

Solzhenitsyn, perhaps best known for writing *Gulag Archipelago* and *One Day in the Life of*

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Effective from August 28, 2003, through August 27, 2004.

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By **ERIC LIPTON**, **NICOLA CLARK** and **ANDREW W. LEHREN**

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### Suppliers of Parts

North Korea cannot provide all the components its missile customers need. The cables outline how North Korea sought to sell a mobile missile launcher to Yemen. It arranged for a MAZ-543 engine and a ZIL-131 truck from a Russian company, which was to be shipped from Odessa, Ukraine, to Al Hudaydah, Yemen.



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By JAMES OLANZ and ANDREW W. LEHREN  
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The first shots sailed past Iraqi police officers at a checkpoint. They took off in three squad cars, their lights flashing.

It was early in the Iraq war, Dec. 22, 2004, and it turned out that the shots came not from insurgents or criminals. They were fired by an American private security company named Custer Battles, according to an incident report in an archive of more than 300,000 classified military documents made public by WikiLeaks.

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Somehow no one had been hurt, and the contractors found a quick way to prevent messy disciplinary action. They handed out cash to Iraqi civilians, and left.

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Norwegian Air Shuttle and its intercontinental arm, Norwegian Long Haul, hold FAA-issued airline certificates under Norwegian license and provide nonstop services to several U.S. destinations from several European countries, including Norway. These flights are authorized under the U.S.-EU air service agreement, which has applied to Norway since 2011 (even though Norway is not an EU member state). In 2013, a Norwegian Air Shuttle subsidiary, Norwegian Air International (NAI), applied for a permit to serve the United States as well. Some U.S. labor organizations objected to the application, alleging that NAI is based in Ireland because Irish labor laws allow extensive use of pilots and flight attendants who are supplied by temporary labor contractors or are self-employed.

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Our investigation revealed no evidence of abuse of position by Interior Secretary

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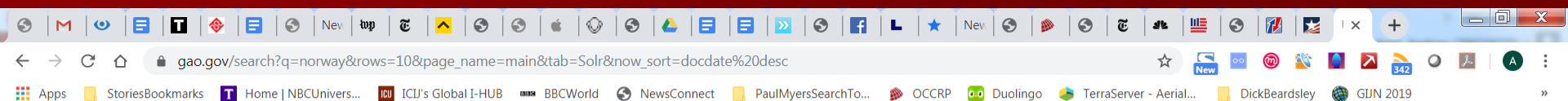
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According to the UN's World Health Organization, tobacco use is one of the leading causes of preventable deaths. It kills over 8 million each year—almost three times the total deaths from tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS, and malaria. We reviewed U.S. global tobacco control efforts for 2015-2018. We found U.S. funding mainly supported research and surveillance—for example, tracking tobacco use. The D...

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Nuclear terrorism remains among the most significant threats to the United States and other nations. Nuclear materials stolen from poorly secured facilities could be used for a nuclear device. The International Atomic Energy Agency's nuclear security work includes helping countries protect these facilities. Among other things, we found the agency's nuclear security program: Doesn't have th...

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B-417450,B-417450.2: Jul 9, 2019

Wamore, Inc., of Phoenix, Arizona, protests the intended sole-source award of a contract to Airborne Systems North America (Airborne Systems), of Pennsauken, New Jersey, under request for proposals (RFP) No. W56HZV-18-R-0077, issued by the Department of the Army,

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## *With the World Watching, Syria Amassed Nerve*

By DAVID E. SANGER, ANDREW W. LEHREN and RICK GLADSTONE    SEPT. 7, 2013

WASHINGTON — Syria's top leaders amassed one of the world's largest stockpiles of chemical weapons with help from the Soviet Union and Iran, as well as Western European suppliers and even a handful of American companies, according to American diplomatic cables and declassified intelligence records.

While an expanding group of nations banded together in the 1980s to try to block the Syrian effort, prohibiting the sale of goods that would bolster the growing chemical weapons stockpile, the archives show that Syria's governing Assad family exploited large loopholes, lax enforcement and a far greater international emphasis on limiting the spread of nuclear arms.

Now, as President Obama confronts enormous difficulties in rallying a reluctant Congress and a skeptical world to punish the Syrian government with a military strike over what is said to be its apparent use of deadly nerve agents last month, he appears to be facing a similar challenge to the one that allowed the Assads to accumulate their huge stockpile. While countries around the world condemned Syria for adding to its arsenal as most nations were eliminating their own, few challenged the buildup, and some were even to profit from it.

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Award ID	Mod	Recipient Name	Action Date	Transaction Amount	Awarding Agency	Awarding Sub Agency
0033	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	9/23/2009	\$326,727,765	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
0049	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	4/20/2010	\$209,708,781	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
0032	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	8/28/2009	\$188,894,999	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
SAQMMA11C0235	0	WALSH CONSTRUCTION GROUP LLC	9/27/2011	\$177,929,000	Department of State	Department of State
0039	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	12/23/2009	\$162,208,210	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
N0001916C0056	PZ0001	LOCKHEED MARTIN CORPORATION	8/10/2017	\$119,395,535	Department of Defense	Department of the Navy
0005	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	5/29/2008	\$117,018,600	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
0039	1	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	4/9/2010	\$97,550,810	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
0054	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	7/30/2010	\$88,424,820	Department of Defense	Department of the Army
0011	0	KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPA...	9/9/2008	\$83,825,709	Department of Defense	Department of the

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- > VETERANS AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF (68)
- > AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT OF (62)
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- > HOMELAND SECURITY DEPARTMENT OF (57)

**Top 10: Contracting Agency Name**

- > DEPT OF THE ARMY (1441)
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- > DEPT OF THE AIR FORCE (556)
- > DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY (400)
- > STATE DEPARTMENT OF (188)
- > NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION (173)
- > NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION (145)
- > NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH (65)
- > FOREST SERVICE (63)
- > VETERANS AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF (62)

**Top 10: Vendor Full Name**

- > KONGSBERG DEFENCE & AEROSPACE AS (1537)
- > LOCKHEED MARTIN CORPORATION (1301)
- > JENSEN NORWAY AS (97)
- > FORSVARETS LOGISTIKKORGANISASJON MARINE EXPEDITIONARY BRIGADE (90)
- > TEAM RELOCATIONS AS (80)
- > STIFTELSEN NORAS (83)
- > STOREBRAND LIVSFORSIKRING AS (71)
- > SPERRE INDUSTRIAS (56)
- > NORSK ROWSENTER (55)
- > KONGSBERG PROTECH AS (51)

**Top 10: Treasury Account Symbol**

- > 974830 (482)
- > 212020 (214)
- > 97842000 (262)
- > 12033 (119)
- > 212040 (124)
- > 979400 (88)

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Award ID (Mod#):	0001 (0) (View)	Award Type:	DELIVERY ORDER
Vendor Name:	SMS GROUP NORWAY AS	Contracting Agency:	DEPT OF THE NAVY
Date Signed:	August 13, 1997	Action Obligation:	\$36,402
Referenced IDV:	N6817197D9732	Contracting Office:	DOD/DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
NAICS (Code):	( )	PSC (Code):	STEVEDORING ( Y114 )
Vendor City:	NORWAY	Vendor DUNS:	731445094
Vendor State:	NO	Vendor ZIP:	
Global Vendor Name:	SMS GROUP NORWAY AS	Global DUNS Number:	731445094

Award ID (Mod#):	00261200006B261009017 (0) (View)	Award Type:	PURCHASE ORDER
Vendor Name:	CANCER REGISTRY OF NORWAY	Contracting Agency:	NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH
Date Signed:	June 15, 2000	Action Obligation:	\$49,000
Referenced IDV:		Contracting Office:	NIH NCI OD OM OA OFC ACQUISITIONS
NAICS (Code):	( )	PSC (Code):	BIOMEDICAL (BASIC) ( AN11 )
Vendor City:	OSIO	Vendor DUNS:	731445375
Vendor State:	*	Vendor ZIP:	
Global Vendor Name:	CANCER REGISTRY OF NORWAY	Global DUNS Number:	731445375

Award ID (Mod#):	00402198712C402C80201V402P1331 (0) (View)	Award Type:	DELIVERY ORDER
Vendor Name:		Contracting Agency:	VETERANS AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF
Date Signed:	December 15, 1987	Action Obligation:	\$1,000
Referenced IDV:	V402P1331	Contracting Office:	402-TOGUS
NAICS (Code):	( )	PSC (Code):	NURSING HOME CARE CONTRACTS ( Q402 )
Vendor City:	NORWAY	Vendor DUNS:	108005943
Vendor State:	ME	Vendor ZIP:	04268
Global Vendor Name:	NORWAY CONVALESCENT CENTER	Global DUNS Number:	108005943

Award ID (Mod#):	00402198806C402C80945V402P1363 (0) (View)	Award Type:	DELIVERY ORDER
Vendor Name:	BOLSTER HEIGHTS NURSING HOME	Contracting Agency:	VETERANS AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF
Date Signed:	June 15, 1988	Action Obligation:	\$6,000

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U.S. Army Sergeant Major	1	FC, BSA, TC, US	General Staff Officer/Mongolian Armed Forces	Sergeant Major Academy	\$70,177	6/20/2016	6/24/2016
Fiscal Year 2016 Program Totals	88				\$1,504,723		
<b>PKO - Fiscal Year 2016 Department of State Training</b>							
Course Title	Qty	Training Location	Student's Unit	US Unit	Total Cost	Start Date	End Date
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	2	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Bangladesh Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	India Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	2	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Indonesia Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	4	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Malaysia Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$9,700	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	9	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Mongolian Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	2	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Nepal Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	New Zealand Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Norway Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
ALT T3-MG Host/PACOM SPT	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	US Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	2/20/2016	3/9/2016
Attendee	1	Indonesia (In Country Training)	Ministry Of Defense Of Mongolia	Indonesia (In Country Training)	\$2,143	9/5/2016	9/21/2016
Attendee	1	Indonesia (In Country Training)	Unit 013, Mongolian Armed Forces	Indonesia (In Country Training)	\$2,143	9/5/2016	9/21/2016
Attendee	1	Sri Lanka (In Country Training)	Unit 350, Mongolian Armed Forces	Sri Lanka (In Country Training)	\$3,920	9/19/2016	9/30/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	2	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Bangladesh Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Indian Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	2	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Indonesia Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	4	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Malaysia Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$5,176	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	9	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Mongolian Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	2	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Nepal Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	New Zealand Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Norway Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
CAPSTONE MID-Planning CONF	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	US Army	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$0	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
Final Plan CONF/AMPE-CAPSTONE	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Navy	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$4,454	3/10/2016	3/14/2016
ID Host/UNLOG-MG ATTEES	1	Indonesia (In Country Training)	Defense University Of Mongolia	Indonesia (In Country Training)	\$3,388	4/4/2016	4/15/2016
ID Host/UNLOG-MG ATTEES	1	Indonesia (In Country Training)	Unit 089, Mongolian Armed Forces	Indonesia (In Country Training)	\$3,388	4/4/2016	4/15/2016
MET Regional PROT OF CIV PKO&PSO (Train the TRNR)	1	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	Peace Support Training Center	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	\$2,255	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
MET Regional UN PKO Contingent Commanders Course	1	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	Mongolian Armed Forces	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	\$3,370	5/20/2016	5/13/2016
MET Regional United Nations Staff Officers Course	1	Sri Lanka (In Country Training)	National Defense University	Sri Lanka (In Country Training)	\$4,778	7/11/2016	7/27/2016
MET Regional United Nations Staff Officers Course	1	Sri Lanka (In Country Training)	Unit 123, Mongolian Armed Forces	Sri Lanka (In Country Training)	\$4,778	7/11/2016	7/27/2016
MG Attendee To UNOMICM/CF Host	1	Malaysia (In Country Training)	Defense University	Malaysia (In Country Training)	\$1,508	2/15/2016	2/26/2016
MG Attendee To UNOMICM/CF Host	1	Malaysia (In Country Training)	General Staff	Malaysia (In Country Training)	\$1,508	2/15/2016	2/26/2016
MG Attending/BG Hosting	1	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	General Staff	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	\$3,040	2/1/2016	2/11/2016
MG Attending/BG Hosting	1	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	Unit 150	Bangladesh (In Country Training)	\$3,040	2/1/2016	2/11/2016
MG Host/T3 CAPSTONE/PACOM SPT	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Navy	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$3,300	1/25/2016	2/9/2016
MG Host/CAPSTONE CONF SPT	1	Mongolia (In Country Training)	Navy	Mongolia (In Country Training)	\$15,000	1/25/2016	1/29/2016
Nepal UNSOC/MG Attendee	1	Nepal (In Country Training)	Unit 284	Nepal (In Country Training)	\$3,094	1/18/2016	2/3/2016
Nepal UNSOC/MG Attendee	1	Nepal (In Country Training)	Unit 311	Nepal (In Country Training)	\$3,094	1/18/2016	2/3/2016
PKO Contingent Commanders Course (PKOCC)	1	Rajendrapur, Bangladesh	N/A	N/A	\$7,417	5/1/2016	5/12/2016
PKO Instructors Course (PKOIC)	1	Panchkhal, Nepal	N/A	N/A	\$3,478	3/28/2016	4/8/2016
PKOIC/CF Host/G MG ATTG	1	Nepal (In Country Training)	Peace Support Operations Training Center, Mongolian Armed Forces	Nepal (In Country Training)	\$3,394	3/28/2016	4/8/2016

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3003814522 || Dentaco A.S. || 76EFW || 15-Apr-2019 || 791-1526451-2/11/1

**Manufacturer FEI** 3003814522  
**Manufacturer Name** Dentaco A.S.  
**Manufacturer Address line 1** UNNELANDSVEIEN 258 , HAUKELAND  
**Manufacturer Address line 2**  
**Manufacturer's City** BERGEN  
**Manufacturer Province/State** HORDALAND  
**Manufacturer Country/Area** Norway  
**Product Code** 76EFW  
**FDA Product Description** TOOTHBRUSH, MANUAL  
**Refusal Date** 15-Apr-2019  
**FDA District** DSEI  
**ENTRY/DOC/LINE/SFX** 791-1526451-2/11/1  
**FDA Sample Analysis** No  
**FDA Record of Private Lab Sample Analysis** No  
**Charge(s)**

Violation Code	Section	Charge Statement
FRNMFREG	502(o), 801(a)(3); MISBRANDING	The article is subject to refusal of admission pursuant to section 801(a)

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years

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☐ Older Adult (65+)

Sex ⓘ :

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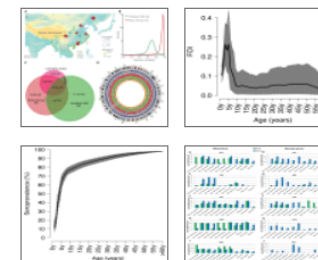
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**Family needs at one and two years after severe traumatic brain injury: a prospective study of changes and predictors.**

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**Abstract**

**Objective:** To assess changes in family needs between the first and second years after severe traumatic brain injury (sTBI) and to identify factors predicting unmet family needs. **Design:** Prospective Norwegian multicenter cohort study. **Participants:** The family members of 110 patients with sTBI were followed up at one year, and family members of 70 patients also at two years after trauma. **Main measure:** The Family Needs Questionnaire-Revised (FNQ-R). **Results:** Mean ratings of met family needs changed with a small decline between one year and two years post-injury on the FNQ-R subscales of Health Information and of Community Support Network. Proportions of needs met at one and two years ranged between 28% and 55%. Family needs most often met were from the Health Information subscale, and needs most often unmet were from the Emotional Support subscale. Caring for older patients, patients with more functional disabilities, female patients and being a spouse of a patient were associated with statistically significantly greater unmet family needs. **Conclusion:** Family members of

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Vendors peddling their wares to bus passengers traveling into northern Uganda  
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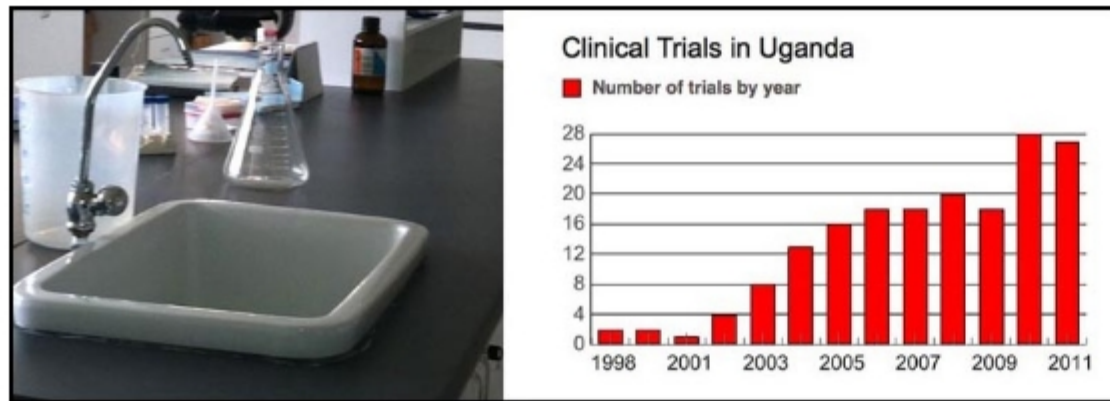
trials seeking new and better treatments for HIV/AIDS and other diseases.

Trials are closely monitored and fully supplied, according to researchers, creating a dilemma for Ugandan patients: to opt for proven treatments that may be in short supply, or to sign up for a possibly risky clinical trial and at least be assured of a full course of treatments.

Signing up for a trial is voluntary, but that doesn't make the decision easier – especially for parents who must decide what is best for their children.

“The problem is that inadequate medical care creates a strong impetus for parents to agree to have their kids in research,” said Elizabeth Woeckner, president of Citizens for Responsible Care and Research, an organization that works to protect people who are the subjects of scientific research.

“What should be voluntary is not quite so.”



The bars represent the number of pharmaceutical trials started in Uganda during a particular year.

(Photo and Chart by Rebecca Sesny. Source: U.S. National Institutes of Health)

# Flow of unregulated chemicals flow from China into pharmaceuticals in the US and developed nations

## Bad actors among prominent suppliers

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*This article was reported by Walt Bogdanich, Jake Hooker and Andrew W. Lehren and written by Mr. Bogdanich.*

MILAN — In January, Honor International Pharmatech was accused of shipping counterfeit drugs into the United States. Even so, the Chinese chemical company — whose motto is “Thinking Much of Honor” — was openly marketing its products in October to thousands of buyers here at the world’s biggest trade show for pharmaceutical ingredients.



At least 82 Chinese companies at a Milan trade show, none of them certified, sold they trade pharmaceutical ingredients. (The caption for the New York Times)

Other Chinese chemical companies made the journey to the annual show as well, including one manufacturer recently accused by American authorities of supplying steroids to illegal underground labs and another whose representative was arrested at the 2006 trade show for patent violations. Also attending were two exporters owned by China’s government that had sold poison mislabeled as a drug ingredient, which killed nearly 200 people and injured countless others in Haiti and in Panama.

Yet another chemical company, Orient Pacific International, reserved an exhibition booth in Milan, but its owner, Kevin Xu, could not attend. He was in a Houston jail on charges of selling counterfeit medicine for schizophrenia, prostate cancer, blood clots and Alzheimer’s disease, among other maladies.

While these companies hardly represent all of the nearly 500 Chinese exhibitors, more than from any other country, they do point to a deeper

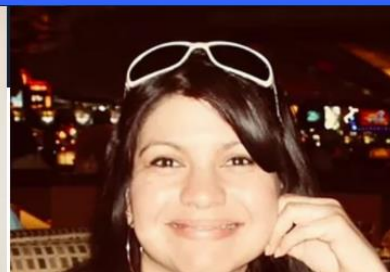
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# MEDICAL DEVICE DANGERS

An unprecedented examination of the safety and regulation of medical devices routinely used in a wide variety of procedures: NBC News, as part of a team of more than 250 journalists spanning 36 countries, joined the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists.



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# Exporting pain: U.S.-made medical devices cause serious injuries, pain overseas

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## How can a medical device deemed unsafe in another country still be sold in the U.S.?

Andrew Chappell, whose metal hips had to be removed, wishes he'd known Australia had issued a warning about them. "That would've saved me 3 years of pain."



# The NBC News team

- Our effort began with three people exploring different story possibilities in the data, through interviews with experts
- Checked what had gone unreported
- Saw lots of opportunities to explore unexamined territory
- Not going to ride shotgun

Nov. 27, 2018, 6:01 AM EST

By Emily R. Siegel, Andrew W. Lehren and Sarah Fitzpatrick

Andrew Chappell was in agony. The biology professor's active life had included wrestling in high school and serving in the Army reserves. But by age 40, he was plagued by a condition called avascular necrosis, a degenerative disease of the bone caused by poor blood flow.

In 2011, his surgeon replaced his left hip with a Magnum hip. [Proton Retton](#), the metal joint, was supposed to be "active patients," and strong enough to last two decades.

At first, Chappell was pain free. But just six years after the operation, he was crippled. The hip was the problem. The metal joint was leaching metal into his bloodstream.

Each year, flaws are found in thousands of medical devices. The FDA posted more than 2,000 recalls of medical devices last year, warning about how to avoid possible injuries or even deaths. Sometimes it posts these recalls before other nations impose their own regulations.

But there is no global system to make sure that a [product found to be problematic in one country](#) is not sold in another. An NBC News analysis found at least five devices about which other nations issued safety warnings and the FDA did not. These devices include a [knee implant](#) with high failure rates, a [pregnancy test](#) that gave false results, and [dental drills](#) that might damage nerves. In other instances, the FDA has lagged months behind warnings issued in other countries.

Doctors and experts around the world have expressed frustration

# Exporting Pain

MEDICAL DEVICES

## **Exporting pain: U.S.-made medical devices cause serious injuries, pain overseas**

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## Thousands of medical devices made in U.S. are approved only for sale overseas

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The PyroTITAN is one of more than a dozen export-only devices with troubled track records identified by NBC News, including U.S.-made implants for losing weight that instead led to emergency surgeries, [stents](#) that could cut into arteries they were supposed to save, and heart valves sold in Spain and Italy that, according to the FDA, caused severe infections and may have caused a five-year-old child to die. There may well be more. NBC News found these by analyzing and comparing databases in 10 countries, and a lack of international standards for identifying devices means it is difficult to know how many other troubled devices exist.

For U.S. companies, exporting [medical devices](#) is big business, valued last year at [more than \\$41 billion](#). Currently about 4,600 devices are registered with the FDA as "export only" devices. Several executives for medical device makers said registering the devices is faster, less expensive and has involved less oversight than getting them approved for sale inside the U.S. The troubled devices identified by NBC News have been sold around the world. The destinations range from the Netherlands to Namibia, Chile to Canada, Japan to Germany.

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## Medical device makers spend millions lobbying to loosen regulations in D.C.

“It makes things easier for industry, it makes things worse for patients,” said cardiologist Rita Redberg about a recent industry-backed rule change.

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**By Adiel Kaplan, Kalen Goodluck, Kaitlin Sullivan and Paulina Siniauer**

After Teresa Hershey nearly died from complications of a hysterectomy, she wanted future patients to know about the

MEDICAL DEVICES

# Doctors, patients raise alarms about cancer linked to breast implants

Although doctors have linked the cancer to a specific kind of implant, manufacturers have no plans to stop making it.

Nov. 26, 2018, 3:46 PM EST

By Lauren Dunn and Maggie Fox

When Michelle Forney's breast started swelling and itching, doctors told her she had mastitis, a common infection, and treated her with antibiotics. When she discovered that she, in fact, had a rare form of lymphoma and that it was probably caused by her breast implant, she was both furious and frightened.

Forney is just one of hundreds of breast-implant recipients who have

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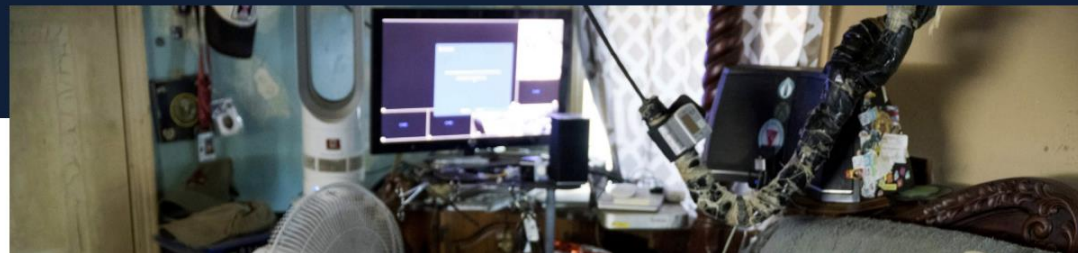
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