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Cast Innovation: Reducing the Risk

Division: Health Sciences / None

Category: Junior

Region: Calgary Youth City: Calgary, AB

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Abstract: A risk exists in wearing a cast while playing sports: you could break your

arm at the edge of the cast if you fall. I designed and tested two cast innovations to see if I could increase the force necessary to break a "bone simulant" (wood dowel) casted within. One of these, the elastic-edge cast,

was successful and could reduce the risk for cast-wearers.

Biography

Bio removed by request.

Awards	Value
The Actuarial Foundation of Canada Award - Junior	\$500
The University of Western Ontario Scholarship	\$1 000
Bronze Medallist - \$1000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: University of Western Ontario	
Bronze Medal - Engineering - Junior	\$300
Sponsor: Youth Science Foundation Canada	
Total	\$1 800



