Rebuild Project Receives $225,000 Grant

Giving back to the community and making a difference is at the heart of the University of Regina’s mission. This is why the Rebuild Project, a partnership between the University and the Saskatchewan Government, received a $225,000 grant from the National Football League’s (NFL) Rebuild Project. This funding will support research into both the physical and psychological impacts of concussions in football.

"The NFL’s Rebuild Project is a great example of how our community can come together to support important issues," said President and Vice-Chancellor Jeff Keshen. "This grant will enable us to continue our important work in the area of concussion research and help shape the future of the sport."

The grant will support the University of Regina’s Rebuild Project, which aims to improve the understanding of the effects of concussions and develop strategies to prevent and treat them. The project is led by Dr. Ryan Kavanagh, a professor in the Faculty of Kinesiology and Recreation, and Dr. Michael Fine, a professor in the Faculty of Medicine.

"This funding is a major step forward in our research and will allow us to continue to make a significant impact on the field of concussion research," said Dr. Kavanagh. "We are grateful to the NFL for their support and look forward to working with them to advance our understanding of this important issue."

The NFL’s Rebuild Project is committed to funding research that can help to improve the safety and health of players in the sport. The University of Regina is one of 10 institutions to receive a grant from the project.

The Rebuild Project is one of many initiatives that the University of Regina has been involved in over the past decade. The University has been active in supporting students, research, and community initiatives, and has received funding from a variety of sources, including government, corporate, and individual donors.

"We are proud of the work we have done over the past decade, and we look forward to continuing to make a difference in the future," said President Keshen. "Thank you to all of our donors who have supported our work and helped shape a better world for all of us."