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The National Endowment for Financial Education (NEFE) is a Denver-based nonprofit foundation dedicated to helping Americans acquire the information and gain the skills necessary to take control of their financial lives. The NEFE grants program seeks innovative research and research-based development programs that can make a profound contribution to the field of financial literacy. Inquiries from disciplines in fields as diverse as behavior, economics, neuroscience, sociology, psychology, marketing, finance, education, change theory, decision sciences, and others are encouraged.

Project outcomes should be actionable in the field of financial literacy, directly relevant to the financial well-being of the public, and have the ability to be applied broadly. Project outcomes must be capable of achieving traction and measurable impact with one or more audiences such as financial education intermediaries, researchers, practitioners, decision makers, and/or entities who can achieve effective outreach to a target population with an unmet financial literacy need or the public in general.

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A. Osteoporosis: Literature for the week of October 24, 2007:

<http://www.amedeo.com/medicine/ost.htm>

B. Alzheimer's Disease: Literature for the week of October 24, 2007:

<http://www.amedeo.com/medicine/ad.htm>

C. Parkinson's Disease: Literature for the week of October 24, 2007:

<http://www.amedeo.com/medicine/pd.htm>

D. Prostate Cancer: Literature for the week of October 24, 2007:

<http://www.amedeo.com/medicine/prc.htm>

E. Stem Cell Research: Literature for the week of October 24, 2007:

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