What is claimed is:

1. A system comprising a periodic cost reimbursement instrument wherein the reimbursements are based on a clinical outcome assigned to a medical intervention event.
2. The system of claim 1, wherein the instrument comprises an annuity.
3. The system of claim 2, wherein the annuity is selected from the group consisting of a fixed-term contract, a reinsurance agreement, an escrow, and a bond.
4. The system of claim 1, wherein the instrument comprises a reverse annuity.
5. The system of claim 1, wherein the event is an acute event.
6. The system of claim 1, wherein the event comprises a therapy selected from the group consisting of gene therapy, cell therapy, or medical nanotechnology.

CLAIMS

1. An invention not claimed in any divisional application.