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Dr. Ezaru has particular research interests in patient safety, reducing perioperative complications, and improving surgical outcomes and has developed pathways to decrease complications associated with central line placement and blood transfusions. He is involved in developing perioperative protocols for geriatric and frail patients within the Veterans' Health Care System that can enhance recovery after surgery.

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