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FOIA request to CDC re: scientific proof of the alleged "SARS-COV-2" or alleged "HIV"

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To: "FOIA Requests (CDC)" <FOIARequests@cdc.gov>

Mon, Oct 3, 2022 at 5:41 PM

October 3, 2022

To:
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Dear Roger,

I require access to general records, as per the *Freedom of Information Act*.

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Format:

Pdf documents sent to me via email; I do not wish for anything to be shipped to me.

Contact Information:

Family name: Massey
Given name: Christine
Address: CDC has it on file

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Thank you in advance and best wishes,
Christine Massey, M.Sc.



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Your CDC FOIA Request #23-00007-FOIA

MNHarper@cdc.gov <MNHarper@cdc.gov>
To: cmssyc@gmail.com

Tue, Oct 4, 2022 at 1:49 PM

October 4, 2022

Request Number: 23-00007-FOIA


Dear Ms. Massey:


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Please see the attached letter.

Sincerely,
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Office
770-488-6399

2 attachments

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October 4, 2022

Christine Massey

[REDACTED]
Peterborough, Ontario
Via email: cmssyc@gmail.com

Dear Ms. Massey:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) received your attached Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated October 3, 2022. Your request assigned number is 23-00007-FOIA, and it has been placed in our complex processing queue.

In unusual circumstances, an agency can extend the twenty-working-day limit to respond to a FOIA request.

We will require more than thirty working days to respond to your request because we reasonably expect that two or more CDC centers, institutes, and offices (C/I/Os) may have responsive records.

To process your request promptly, please consider narrowing the scope of your request to limit the number of responsive records. If you have any questions or wish to discuss reformulation or an alternative time frame for the processing of your request, you may contact the analyst handling your request Mark Harper at 770-488-8154 or our FOIA Public Liaison, Roger Andoh at 770-488-6277. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Services (OGIS) to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services; National Archives and Records Administration; 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS; College Park, Maryland 20740-6001; e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Because you are considered an "Other requester" you are entitled to two hours of free search time, and up to 100 pages of duplication (or the cost equivalent of other media) without charge, and you will not be charged for review time. We may charge for search time beyond the first two hours and for duplication beyond the first 100 pages. (10 cents/page).

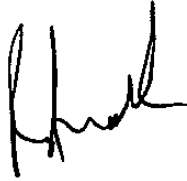
If you don't provide us with a date range for your request, the cut-off date for your request will be the date the search for responsive records starts.

You may check on the status of your case on our FOIA webpage <https://foia.cdc.gov/app/Home.aspx> and entering your assigned request number. If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact me at 770-488-8154 or via email at wzj6@cdc.gov.

We reasonably anticipate that you should receive documents by December 20, 2022. Please know that this date roughly estimates how long it will take the Agency to close requests ahead of your request in the queue and complete work on your request.

The actual date of completion might be before or after this estimated date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Andoh', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Roger Andoh
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Your CDC FOIA Request #23-00007-FOIA

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To: cmssyc@gmail.com

Thu, Oct 20, 2022 at 11:27 AM

October 20, 2022

Request Number: 23-00007-FOIA

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Sincerely,
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Office
770-488-6399

 **Final Response for 23-00007.pdf**
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Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta GA 30333
October 20, 2022

Ms. Christine Massey

[REDACTED]
Peterborough, ON

Via email: cmssyc@gmail.com

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Program provides the following public links as responsive to your request:

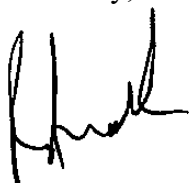
- HIV Research
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/research/index.html>
- HIV Lab Testing Info
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/testing/laboratorytests.html>
- General HIV Diagnosis/Testing
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/testing/index.html>.
- HIV Fact Sheets
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/library/factsheets/index.html>
- HIV Reports
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/library/reports/index.html>
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/library/reports/hiv-surveillance.html>
- 25 Notable HIV and AIDS Reports Published in CDC's Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR)
 - o https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/hiv_aids20.html
- Recent MMWRs on HIV
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/library/reports/mmwr.html>
- Early MMWRs on AIDS:
 - o <https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm5021a1.htm>
 - o https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/june_5.htm

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6246 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may administratively appeal to the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, via the online portal at <https://requests.publiclink.hhs.gov/App/Index.aspx>. Please mark both your appeal letter and envelope

“FOIA Appeal.” Your appeal must be electronically transmitted by January 18, 2023.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Andoh', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Roger Andoh
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Your CDC FOIA Request #23-00007-FOIA

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To: "FOIA Requests (CDC)" <FOIARequests@cdc.gov>
Cc: MNHarper@cdc.gov

Thu, Oct 20, 2022 at 6:55 PM

Dear Roger,

Thank you for your letter dated today, October 20, 2022, in response to my request for records that scientifically prove the existence of the alleged "SARS-COV-2" or the alleged "HIV".

I just wanted to point out that the URLs that you provided lead to resources purported to be about "HIV" diagnosis, transmission, testing, prevention, treatment, morbidity, mortality, policies, programs and cost analyses, but nothing that even purports to describe the testing of falsifiable, repeatable hypotheses regarding the existence of any alleged "virus" as specified in my request.

Also, your response makes no mention of the alleged "SARS-COV-2" and so I take this as an admission that there are no such records with the CDC.

Thank you and best wishes,
Christine

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Your CDC FOIA Request #23-00007-FOIA

MNHarper@cdc.gov <MNHarper@cdc.gov>

Fri, Oct 21, 2022 at 7:32 AM

To: cmssyc@gmail.com

Cc: foiarequests@cdc.gov

October 21, 2022

Request Number: 23-00007-FOIA


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I apologize for the oversight. I forgot to include the attached information now enclosed in the attached letter. .

Sincerely,
Mark Harper
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Office
770-488-8154

2 attachments

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 **Final Response - IsolatedPurifiedIdentified Covid.pdf**
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October 21, 2022

Christine Massey
Ms. Christine Massey

[REDACTED]
Peterborough, ON
Via email: cmssyc@gmail.com

Dear Ms. Massey:

This letter is our final response to your Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of October 3, 2022, assigned #23-00007-FOIA, for:

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For administrative convenience and to fully respond to your request, program staff have provided the following information below with corresponding web links.

SARS-CoV-2 is the virus that causes coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). Active infection with SARS-CoV-2 is detected by [diagnostic tests](#). Currently there are two types of diagnostic tests – molecular tests that detect the virus's genetic material and antigen tests that detect specific proteins on the surface of the virus. For current data showing the total number of SARS-CoV-2-positive cases and deaths, visit the [CDC COVID-19 Data Tracker](#), which shows cases and deaths in the United States broken down by state and county, daily trends in the number of cases by state, and other parameters.

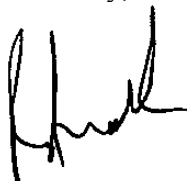
Evidence of SARS-CoV-2 infection can be found in a study entitled, [Pathology and Pathogenesis of SARS-CoV-2 Associated with Fatal Coronavirus Disease](#), which includes electron microscopy images of SARS-CoV-2 in infected lung and upper airway tissues as well as staining of lung and upper airway tissues using an antibody against SARS-CoV-2. The specimens analyzed in this study were from patients with common signs and symptoms associated with COVID-19, including fever, cough, and shortness of breath. All patients had abnormal findings on chest radiographs. There are other similar studies publicly available online. To aid in locating other related studies, please see the articles suggested in the "Similar Articles" and "Cited by" section on the manuscript's [PubMed entry](#).

The SARS-CoV-2 virus may be isolated from human clinical specimens by culturing in cells. In January 2020, CDC [isolated the SARS-CoV-2 virus](#) from a clinical specimen from the first confirmed case of COVID-19 in the United States. There are other similar studies published describing the isolation and characterization of SARS-CoV-2 from human clinical specimens. To aid in locating other related studies, please see the articles suggested in the "Similar Articles" and "Cited by" section on the manuscript's [PubMed entry](#). There are also [several publications](#) documenting SARS-CoV-2 infection and transmission among pre-symptomatic and asymptomatic individuals.

For information about the SARS-CoV-2 genome sequence, see the NIH GenBank website (<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/genbank/sars-cov-2-seqs/>), which includes over 44,000 sequences as of December 7, 2020.

If you need any further assistance or would like to discuss any aspect of the records provided please contact either our FOIA Requester Service Center at 770-488-6399 or our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6277.

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Your CDC FOIA Request #23-00007-FOIA

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Fri, Oct 21, 2022 at 10:02 AM

To: MNHarper@cdc.gov

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Dear Roger and Michael,

Thank you for this new response, however it does not include or cite any records that describe the testing of falsifiable hypotheses using repeatable, valid, controlled experiments where only 1 variable (the presence/absence of purified particles suspected of being a "virus") differs between the experimental and control groups, which is what I requested.

The Pathology and Pathogenesis paper has been cited several times before as evidence of the alleged SARS-COV-2, but it only describes tests that have never been validated with the necessary gold standard (an actual virus / viral disease), not valid controlled experiments where purified particles are the independent variable.

The infamous Harcourt et al. paper cited describes the assembly of a theoretical in silico "genome" based on sequences of unknown provenance that were extracted from the authors' monkey/cow/human/bacterial/fungi mixture (cell culture), not the discovery of an intact genome in the physical realm.

Also, Harcourt et al. attributed "cytopathic" effects (cell breakdown) in starved/poisoned monkey kidney cells to "the virus", but alleged "virus" particles were not the independent variable in any valid controlled experiment to demonstrate that this was the case. Further, no controls are mentioned in the Methods section, while "mock infected cells" are only vaguely mentioned in the Results. In **2 FOIA responses**, the CDC failed to disclose necessary details about these "mock infected cells"; it is not clear whether any clinical sample from a healthy or "uninfected" person was even added. Regardless, without purification of the alleged "viral" particles it's clear that no fully controlled experiment has taken place.

Cell Culture, Limiting Dilution, and Virus Isolation

*We used Vero CCL-81 cells for isolation and initial passage. We cultured Vero E6, Vero CCL-81, HUH 7.0, 293T, A549, and EFKB3 cells in Dulbecco minimal essential medium (DMEM) supplemented with heat-inactivated fetal bovine serum (5% or 10%) and antibiotics/antimycotics (GIBCO, <https://www.thermofisher.com> External Link). We used both **NP and OP swab specimens** for virus isolation. For isolation, limiting dilution, and passage 1 of the virus, we pipetted 50 μ L of serum-free DMEM into columns 2–12 of a 96-well tissue culture plate, then pipetted 100 μ L of **clinical specimens** into column 1 and serially diluted 2-fold across the plate. We then trypsinized and resuspended Vero cells in DMEM containing 10% fetal bovine serum, 2 \times penicillin/streptomycin, 2 \times antibiotics/antimycotics, and 2 \times amphotericin B at a concentration of 2.5×10^5 cells/mL. We added 100 μ L of cell suspension directly to the clinical specimen dilutions and mixed gently by pipetting. We then grew the inoculated cultures in a humidified 37°C incubator in an atmosphere of 5% CO₂ and observed for cytopathic effects (CPEs) daily. We used standard plaque assays for SARS-CoV-2, which were based on SARS-CoV and Middle East respiratory syndrome coronavirus (MERS-CoV) protocols (9,10).*

When CPEs were observed, we scraped cell monolayers with the back of a pipette tip. We used 50 μ L of viral lysate for total nucleic acid extraction for confirmatory testing and sequencing. We also used 50 μ L of virus lysate to inoculate a well of a 90% confluent 24-well plate.

The Furukawa paper cited is a review, not a study; it does not describe valid controlled experiments using purified particles. In the section on Virologic Evidence it discusses RT-PCR (admitting that "RT-PCR... cannot determine whether infectious virus is present"), and so-called "viral" culture and demonstration of "cytopathic" effects (all based on circular reasoning / begging the question, wherein the conclusion was included in the premise - if A then B; B therefore A - a logical fallacy).

So, once again it is clear that the CDC has no scientific proof that either alleged "virus" particle even exists let alone causes any disease, which is consistent with the responses from hundreds of other institutions around the world..

Freedom of Information Responses reveal that health/science institutions around the world (211 and counting!) have no record of SARS-COV-2 (the alleged covid virus) isolation/purification, anywhere, ever:

<https://www.fluoridefreepeel.ca/fois-reveal-that-health-science-institutions-around-the-world-have-no-record-of-sars-cov-2-isolation-purification/>

FOIs reveal that health/science institutions have no record of any “virus” having been found in a host and isolated/purified. Because virology isn’t a science:

<https://www.fluoridefreepeel.ca/fois-reveal-that-health-science-institutions-have-no-record-of-any-virus-having-been-isolated-purified-virology-isnt-a-science/>

Do virologists perform valid control experiments? Is virology a science?

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