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FOIL Control #: 2021FR02848_Re: [EXTERNAL] FOIL request to NYC Depts of Health & MH/Hospitals re: "SARS-COV-2" purification

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To: Christine Massey <cmssyc@gmail.com>
Cc: Bernadette O'Donnell <bodonnell1@health.nyc.gov>

Thu, Nov 4, 2021 at 9:06 PM

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The New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (DOHMH) acknowledges receipt of your Freedom of Information Law request. It has been assigned the above-noted control number and has been processing.

You should receive a response within twenty(20) business days. Please note that as of January 1, 2019, the Department may charge the statutorily allowable fee of 25¢ per page for photocopied pages of FOIL responses.

All inquiries about the status of your request should be made with the control number noted above.

Thank you,

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November 4, 2021

To:
Records Access Officer
New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
[42-09 28th Street](#)
[Queens, NY 11101](#)
Submitted via email to: recordsaccess@health.nyc.gov.

Records Access Officer
New York City Department of Health and Hospitals
[125 Worth Street, Room 527](#)
[New York, New York 10013](#)
Submitted via email to: hhcfoil@nychhc.org

Dear Freedom of Information Officers,

This is a formal request for access to general records, made under the *New York State Freedom of Information Law*.

Subject Matter:

Communicable Disease Prevention, Surveillance & Control.

Description of Requested Records:

All studies and/or reports in the possession, custody or control of the New York State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and the New York City Department of Health and Hospitals describing the **purification** of any "COVID-19 virus" (aka "SARS-COV-2", including any alleged "variants" i.e. "B.1.1.7", "B.1.351", "P.1") (for example: via filtration, ultracentrifugation and chromatography), directly from a sample taken from a diseased human where the patient sample was not first combined with any other source of genetic material (i.e. monkey kidney cells aka Vero cells; fetal bovine serum).

Please note that I am not requesting studies/reports where researchers failed to **purify** the suspected "virus" and instead:

- cultured an unpurified sample or other unpurified substance, and/or
- performed an amplification test (i.e. a PCR test), and/or
- fabricated a "genome", and/or
- produced electron microscopy images of unpurified things.

I am already aware that according to virus theory a "virus" requires host cells in order to replicate, and am not requesting records that describe **replication** of a "virus" without host cells. Nor am I requesting records that describe a strict fulfillment of Koch's Postulates, or records that describe a suspected "virus" floating in a vacuum, or private patient information.

I simply request records that describe **purification** (separation of the alleged "virus" from everything else in the patient sample, as per standard laboratory practices for the purification of other very small things).

Please note that my request includes any study/report matching the above description, **authored by anyone, anywhere**.

If any records match the above description of requested records and are currently available to the public elsewhere, please provide enough information about each record so that I may identify and access each one with certainty (i.e. title, author(s), date, journal, where the public may access it). Please provide URLs where possible.

Format:

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

Contact Information:

Last name: Massey

First name: Christine

Address: [REDACTED] Peterborough, Ontario, Canada [REDACTED]

Phone: [REDACTED]

Email: cmssyc@gmail.com

Thank you in advance and best wishes,

Christine Massey, M.Sc.

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Cc: Jerome Baa <jbaa@health.nyc.gov>

Fri, Apr 22, 2022 at 1:35 PM

Dear Ms. Massey:

I am very sorry about the delay. The NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene does not have records responsive to your Freedom of Information Law request with the above-referenced control number. DOHMH does not conduct research lab benchwork.

Again, my apologies for the delay.

Bernadette O'Donnell
Records Access Officer / Agency Attorney
NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
42-09 28th St., CN 14-29
Long Island City, NY 11101

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