



Information Management Team

FOI Reference: 5440345

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Date: 4 November 2021

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Dear [REDACTED]

Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information under Freedom of Information Act 2000 received 19 October 2021.

Your request states:

Description of Requested Records:

All studies and/or reports and/or records in the possession, custody or control of the addressed body corporate describing the purification (i.e. via filtration and ultracentrifugation and chromatography) of any 'COVID-19 virus' (aka 'SARS-COV-2', including any alleged 'variants' i.e. 'B.1.1.7', 'B.1.351', 'P.1') directly from a sample taken from a diseased man, 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, liver cancer cells) and also studies and/or reports and/or records in the possession, custody or control of the addressed body corporate proving a causal link between Sars-Cov-2 and the suspected infectious disease Covid-19.

Please note that I am not requesting studies/reports where researchers failed to purify the suspected 'virus' (separate the alleged 'virus' from everything thing else in the patient sample) and instead:

- *cultured an unpurified sample or other unpurified substance, and/or*



🎬 performed an amplification test (i.e. a PCR test) on the total RNA from a patient sample or from a cell culture, or on genetic material from any unpurified substance, and/or

🎬 fabricated a genome based on PCR-detected sequences in the total RNA from a patient sample or from a cell culture or from any unpurified substance, and/or

🎬 produced electron microscopy images of unpurified things in a cell culture.

Clarification of Request

For further clarity, please note I am already aware that according to virus theory a 'virus' requires host cells in order to replicate, and I am not requesting records describing the replication of a 'virus' without host cells.

Further, I am not requesting private patient information, or records that describe a suspected 'virus' floating in a vacuum; I am simply requesting records that describe its purification (separation 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, for example (but not limited to) any published peer-reviewed study authored by anyone, anywhere. This includes your own website which claims to have the virus isolated ; given your body corporate/politick receives publick treasure, the worldwide 'interest' and that more than 100 institutions other have no virus isolate this is for publick record/evidence.

If any records match the above description of requested records and are currently available in the public domain, 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.

The Council's Response

We have detailed below the information that is being released to you.



Public Health for the City and Hackney do not hold the information requested. This information can be obtained from individual laboratories in the UK Health Security Agency by email enquiries@ukhsa.gov.uk.

To make information access requests including Freedom of Information (FOI) requests, Environmental Information Regulations (EIR) requests and data subject access requests (SAR) to UKHSA, please email InformationRights@UKHSA.gov.uk.

Please quote the reference number **5440345** in any future communications.

Appeals & Complaints Procedure

If you are dissatisfied with this response and wish to request an internal review, please write to the Information Management Team as a reply to this message.

Your request should be submitted to us within 40 working days of receipt by you of this response. Any request received after this time will only be considered at the discretion of the Council.

If you are still dissatisfied with the Council's response after the internal review you have a right of appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

<https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/email/>

Telephone: 0330 123 1113

We will now close your request as of this date.

Yours faithfully

Information Management Team
London Borough of Hackney

