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**FOIA to CDC re: scientific proof of "herpes virus", or purification**

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

Fri, Mar 3, 2023 at 5:31 PM

March 3, 2023

To:  
Roger Andoh  
Freedom of Information Officer  
1600 Clifton Rd NE MS T-01  
Atlanta, Georgia 30333  
Email: [FOIARequests@cdc.gov](mailto:FOIARequests@cdc.gov)  
Phone: 770-488-6277  
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Greetings Roger,

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

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- In this case, the 1 manipulated variable would be the presence/absence of purified particles suspected of being a "virus"
- Consistent results from valid, controlled experiments (i.e. identical "genomes", consistent in vivo effects)

2. **If the CDC has no studies responsive to #1 above**, then please indicate such explicitly, and provide all studies and/or reports in the possession, custody or control of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and/or the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) describing the **purification** of particles that are alleged to be this virus, directly **from bodily fluid/tissue/excrement or from a cell culture, with purification confirmed via EM imaging** (the images must be available as well).

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
- created an in silico "genome", and/or
- produced electron microscopy images of unpurified things.

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 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 small things).

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**Format:**

Pdf documents sent to me via email; please don't ship anything to me;

**Contact Information:**

email: [cmssyc@gmail.com](mailto:cmssyc@gmail.com)

Thank you in advance and best wishes,

christine: unincorporated woman of the Massey family, not surety for a bankrupt franchise or any "public debt"



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**Your CDC FOIA Request #23-00840-FOIA**

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

Wed, Mar 8, 2023 at 7:19 AM

March 8, 2023

Request Number: 23-00840-FOIA

Dear Ms. Massey:

This is regarding your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of March 7, 2023, for 1. All studies/reports in the possession, custody or control of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and/or the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) that scientifically prove the existence of the alleged herpes virus (herpes simplex virus type 1 (HSV-1) and herpes simplex virus type 2 (HSV-2); Note: Scientific proof is NOT • Opinions • Speculation • Review papers • Descriptive papers Scientific proof requires • Use of the scientific method • Repeatable and falsifiable hypotheses that have been tested using valid, controlled experiments where only 1 variable differs between the experimental and control groups • In this case, the 1 manipulated variable would be the presence/absence of purified particles suspected of being a "virus" • Consistent results from valid, controlled experiments (i.e. identical "genomes", consistent in vivo effects) 2. If the CDC has no studies responsive to #1 above, then please indicate such explicitly, and provide all studies and/or reports in the possession, custody or control of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and/or the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) describing the purification of particles that are alleged to be this virus, directly from bodily fluid/tissue/excrement or from a cell culture, with purification confirmed via EM imaging (the images must be available as well). 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 • created an in silico "genome", and/or • produced electron microscopy images of unpurified things..

Please see the attached letter.

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

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**2 attachments****23-00840 Acknowledgement.pdf**

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**FOIA to CDC re\_ scientific proof of \_herpes virus\_\_ or purification.msg**

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March 8, 2023

Christine Massey

Via email: [cmssyc@gmail.com](mailto: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 March 3, 2023. Your request assigned number is 23-00840-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/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](mailto: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).

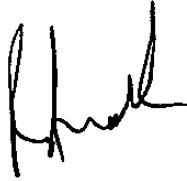
If you don't provide us with a date range for your request, the cut-off date for your request will be the date the search for responsive records starts.

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](mailto:wzj6@cdc.gov).

We reasonably anticipate that you should receive documents by May 29, 2023. 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,

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Roger Andoh  
CDC/ATSDR FOIA Officer  
Office of the Chief Operating Officer  
(770) 488-6399  
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**MNHarper@cdc.gov** <MNHarper@cdc.gov>

Mon, Apr 10, 2023 at 1:59 PM

To: cmssyc@gmail.com

April 10, 2023

Request Number: 23-00840-FOIA

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 **23-00840 Final Response No Records.pdf**  
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Centers for Disease Control  
and Prevention (CDC)  
Atlanta GA 30333  
April 10, 2023

Ms. Christine Massey



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A search of our records failed to reveal any documents pertaining to your request. Program does suggest you may wish to contact the National Institutes of Health (NIH) at the following address:

NIH  
Freedom of Information Act Office  
Building 31, Room 5B35  
9000 Rockville Pike  
Bethesda, Maryland 20892  
Phone: 301-496-5633  
FOIA Officer: Gorka Garcia-Malene  
FOIA Public Liaison: Denean Standing-Ojo

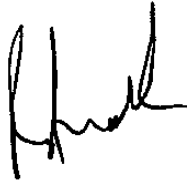
You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6246 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services 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,



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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 July 9, 2023.

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