

Meeting Recommendations

Need for positive control reference reagents:

- **sCD4-IgG** **Current price ~\$1,000/mg**
1 gm = 2,000 1 ml aliquots
\$1M
- **HIV-1 positive plasmas**
- **TriMab**

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Develop a standard multiclade panel of Tier 1 reference strains:

MN (B)

IIIB (B)

SF162 (B)

Bal (B)

Bx08 (B)

BZ167 (B)

SS1196 (B)

W61D-TCLA (B)

MS208 (A)

92RW020 (A)

MW965 (C)

92BR025 (C)

HIV-0012466-2 (C)

Characterize their neutralization phenotypes with V3 and CD4i MAbs, (also HIV-1-positive sera, broadly neutralizing MAbs)

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Need for parallel neutralization assays:

- PV assays in genetically engineered cells lines using Luc reporter gene (e.g., TZM-bl, U87.CD4.CXCR4.CCR5)
- PBMC assay
- Plaque assay
- Cell-cell transfer assays

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Assay Requirements

- ❑ Sensitive, quantitative, reproducible, high throughput and have correlative value
- ❑ Optimized and validated to meet GCLP requirements for human clinical trials
- ❑ Reagents need to be standardized and traceable
- ❑ Transferable to multiple labs – requires a rigorous program of standardized proficiency testing to assure assay equivalency across labs

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Need to achieve inter-laboratory equivalency in the PBMC assay:

- No efforts to do this in the past
- Reference strains?

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Exploratory assays that detect “other” antiviral antibodies:

- Macrophage FcR assays (Moog)
- Antibody-dependent cell-mediated virus inhibition (ADCVI) (Forthal)
- ADCC (Robert-Guroff, Ferrari, others)
- Complement (Trkola, others)
- Other?