TRACKING HIV AND HEPATITIS VIRUSES

HIV and hepatitis viruses can evolve into new and different strains. Abbott is committed to ongoing research to help our tests keep pace with these viruses. In 1994, Abbott established the Global Viral Surveillance Program to monitor and track new viral strains around the world.

SAMPLES COLLECTED FROM 45 COUNTRIES ACROSS 6 CONTINENTS

ABBOTT PARK, ILLINOIS: ABBOTT'S GLOBAL VIRAL SURVEILLANCE PROGRAM HOUSES MORE THAN 70,000 SAMPLES CONTAINING HIV AND HEPATITIS VIRUSES, MAKING IT ONE OF THE LARGEST SUCH LIBRARIES IN THE WORLD.1

Abbott has identified and characterized more than 5,000 virus strains so our tests can detect a wide range of HIV and hepatitis viruses.1-2

Abbott has identified and characterized rare HIV Group N and P viruses. Abbott is 1 of only 2 institutions in the world to have done so.2-5

Abbott's research to monitor the diversity of HIV and hepatitis viruses globally helps our tests stay up-to-date.2

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