amfAR Funds Third Year of HIV Cure Research Consortium

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The Foundation for AIDS Research (amfAR) has announced a third year of funding for the amfAR Research Consortium on HIV Eradication (ARCHE), according to an amfAR statement. The consortium is directing close to half a million dollars in grants to three scientific teams working on various avenues of AIDS research. These include a study of the drug disulfiram and its ability to flush the virus from latently infected cells; research into the difficulties of mobilizing all copies of HIV in latently infected cells; and an analysis of the recent discovery of identical clones of latent HIV, including what the discovery means for efforts to clear the virus from the body.

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