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Do we need a new paradigm for HIV vaccine development?

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The development of an HIV vaccine is an extremely difficult challenge. Please join us for a webinar “Do we need a new paradigm for HIV vaccine development?” with Dr. José Esparza (formerly of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation) who will provide Canadian researchers and members of the Canadian HIV Vaccine Initiative Research and Development Alliance with a greater understanding of some of the lessons learned after 30 years of HIV vaccine development. This webinar will include a brief history of HIV vaccine development, some reflections about why it has been so difficult, and personal recommendations to accelerate the development of an HIV vaccine. The webinar will be of particular interest to all trainees and researchers from various disciplines with an interest in HIV vaccine development. All are welcome.

Learning Objectives:

1. Identify different paradigms that have been explored in the search for an HIV vaccine.
2. Describe the RV144 surprise.
3. Understand the challenges to exploring new paradigms.
4. Identify recommendations to accelerate the development of an HIV vaccine.
5. Understand some interesting vaccine concepts.

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