



# **Multiplexed POC System for HIV and Co-Infection Serodiagnosis**

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# Background

- mBio Diagnostics, Inc., Boulder CO
- Collaboration with UCSD
  - Drs. Schooley and Benson
- Point-of-care (POC); low-cost, instrumented tests
  - Global health focus



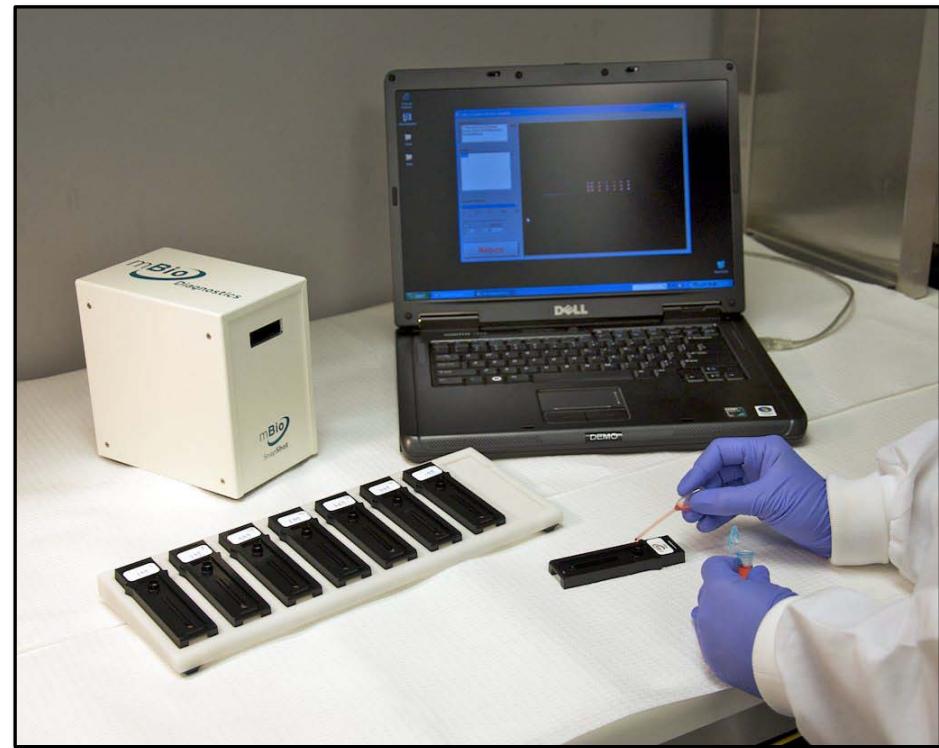
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# mBio SnapEsi™ System

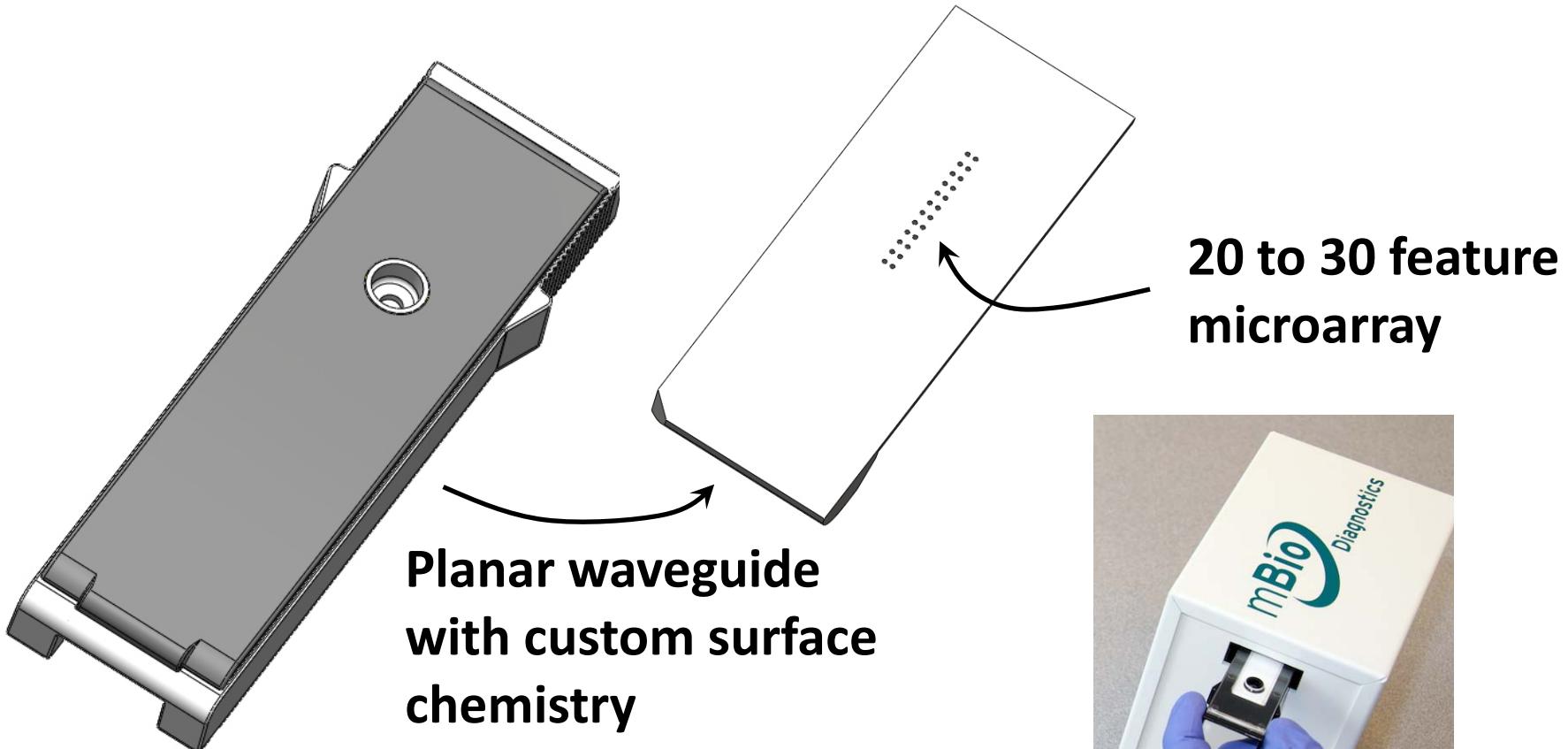
- Fluorescence immunoassays
- Digital and quantitative
- Designing for CLIA-waiver

**Address limitations of  
visually read rapid tests**

- Interpretation
- Training; QA/QC
- Connectivity

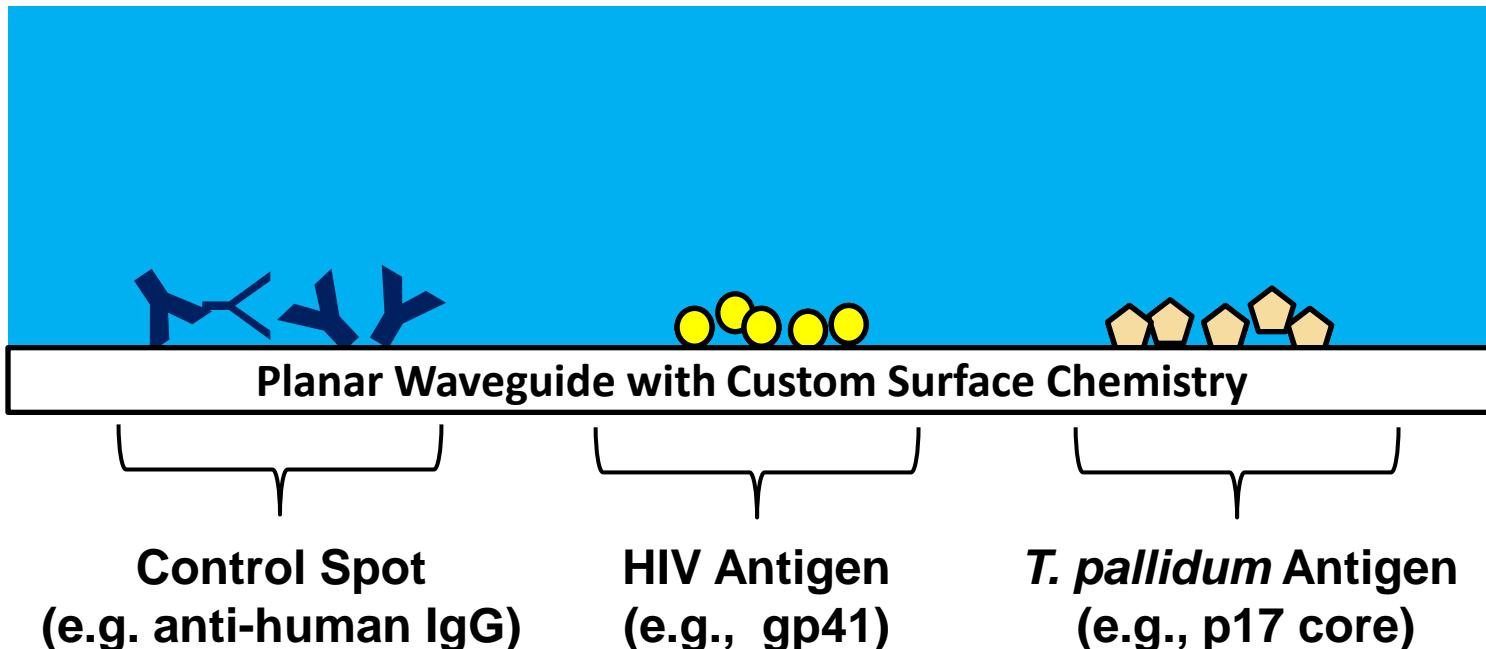


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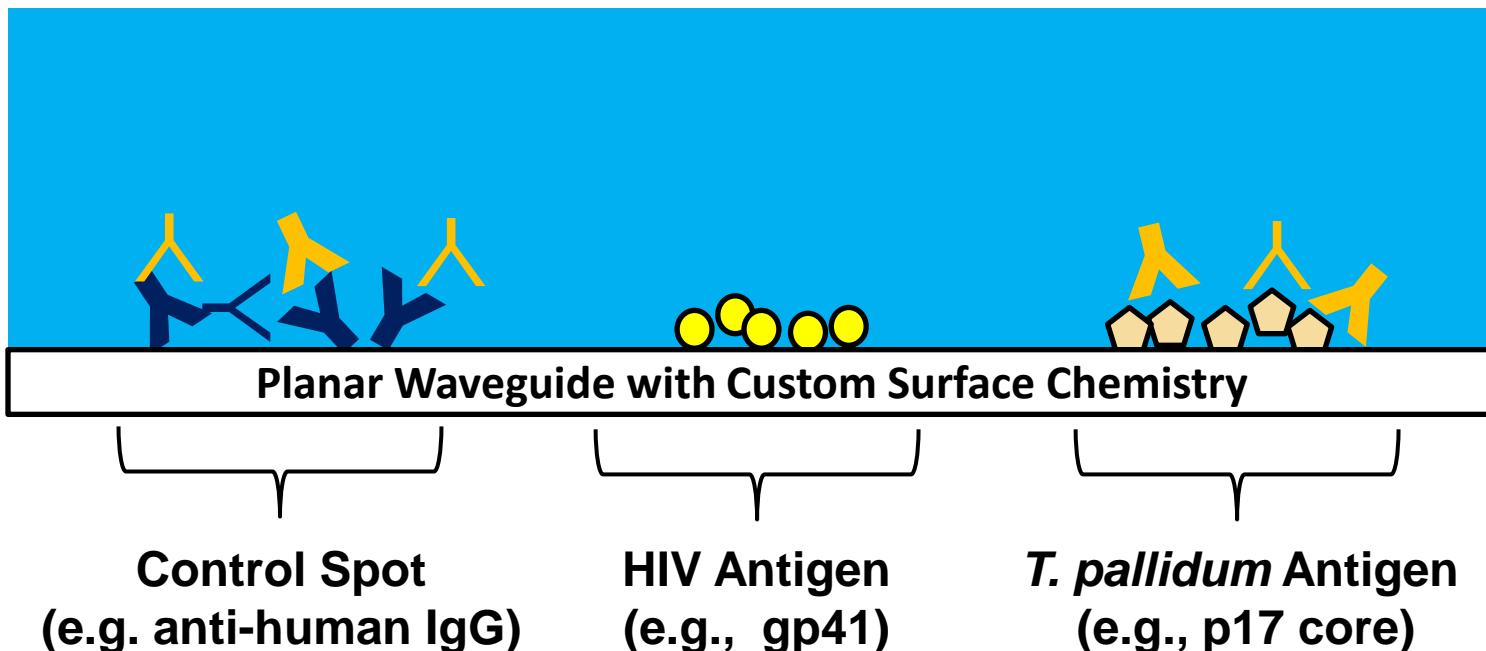
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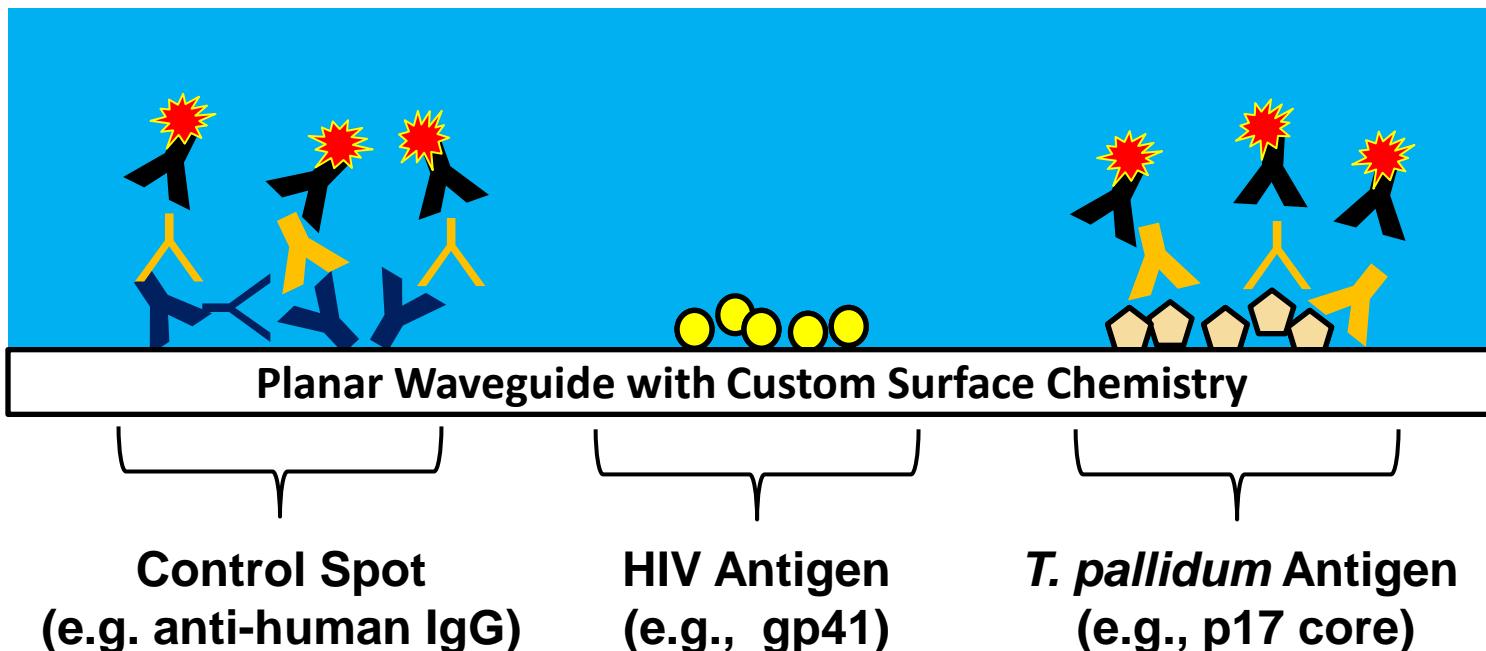
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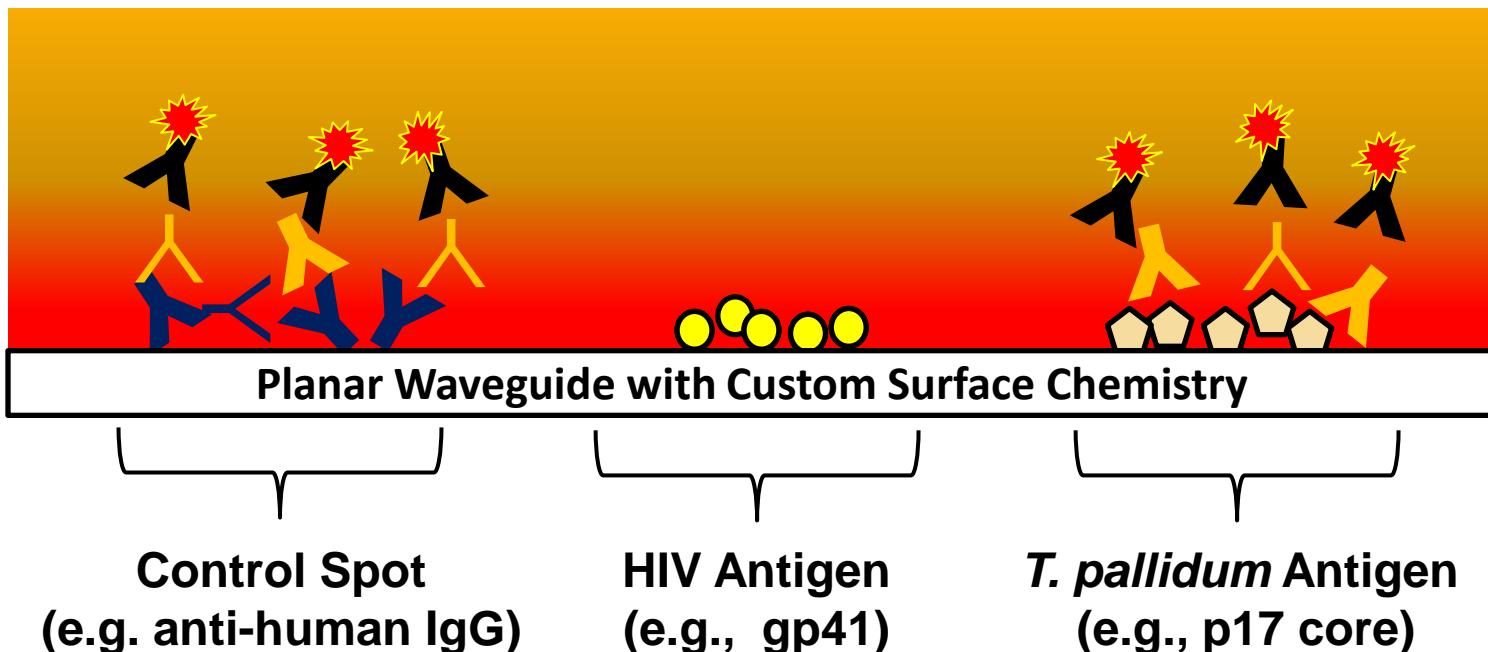
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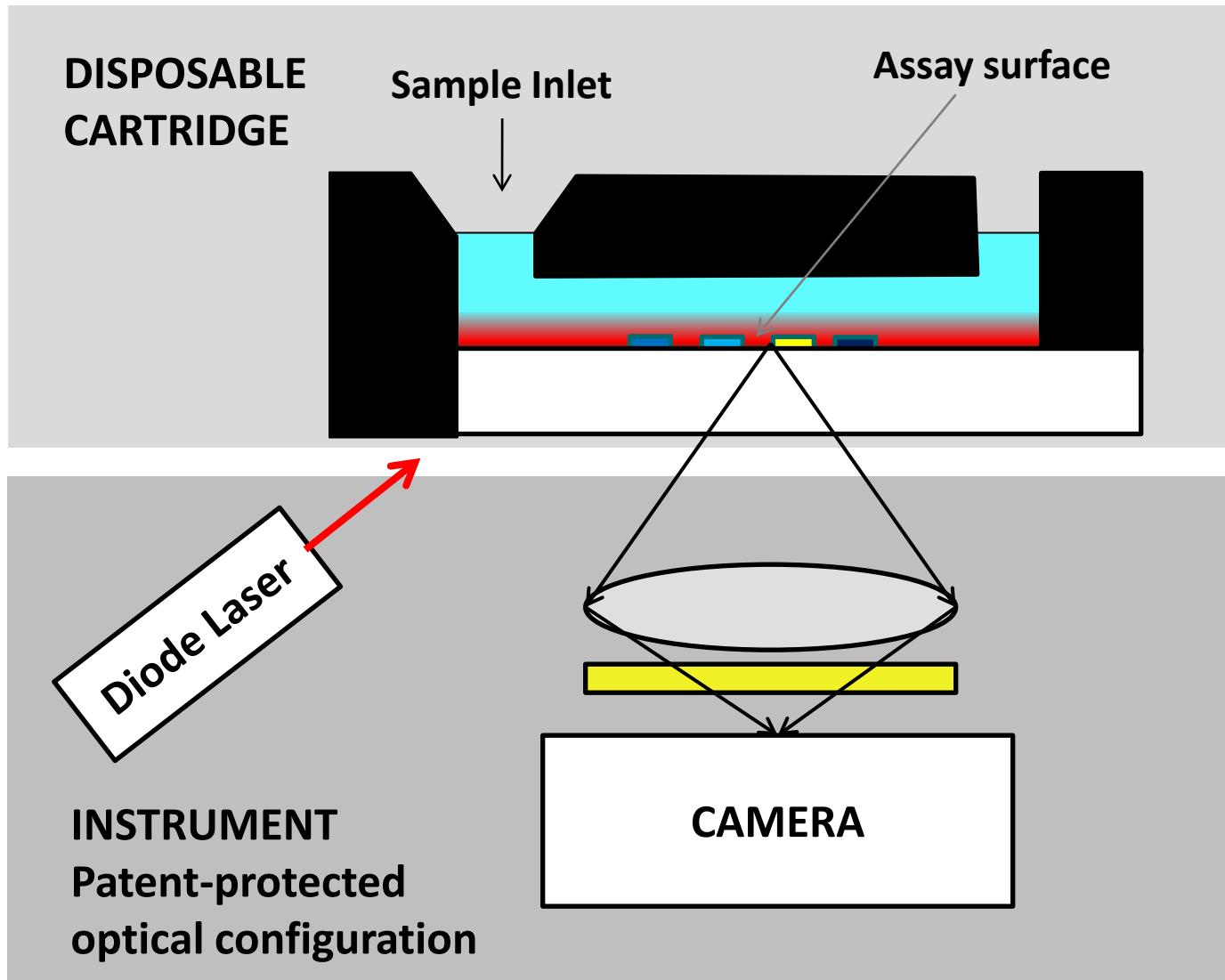
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- Fluorescence imaging detection
- Patent-protected planar waveguide design
- Robust, reproducible illumination at very low cost

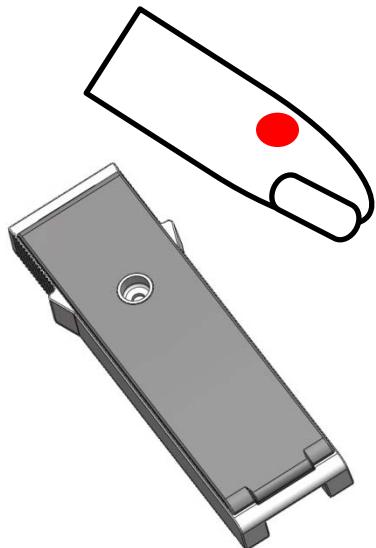


# mBio SnapEsi™ System

## Low Cost Fluorescence Imaging



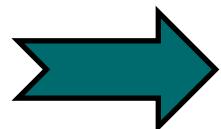
# SnapEsi™ HIV-1/Syphilis Workflow



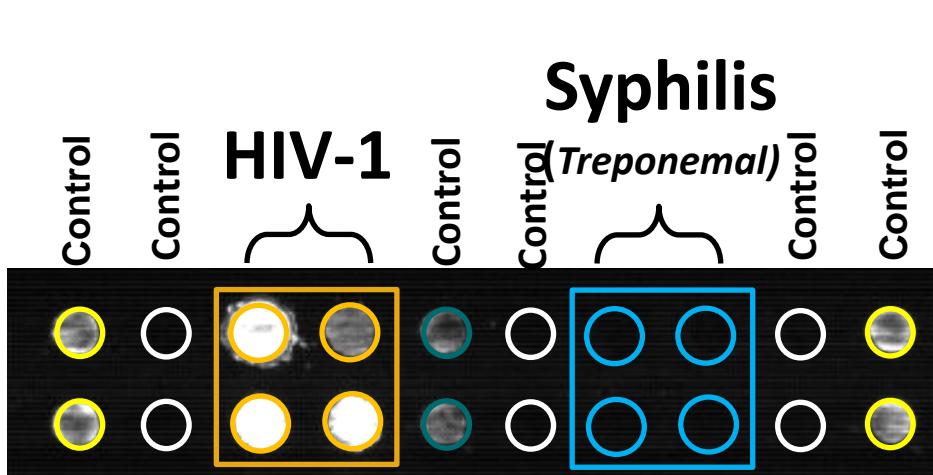
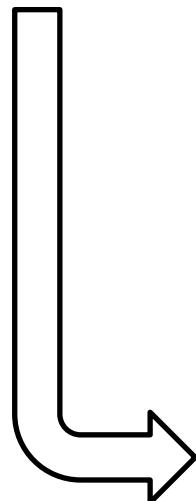
- **5 to 10 microliter sample**
- **Total assay time ~25 min**
- **Batch processing; one operator:**
  - 16 cartridges in parallel
  - 60 to 80 per shift
- **Read window: 10 min to hours**



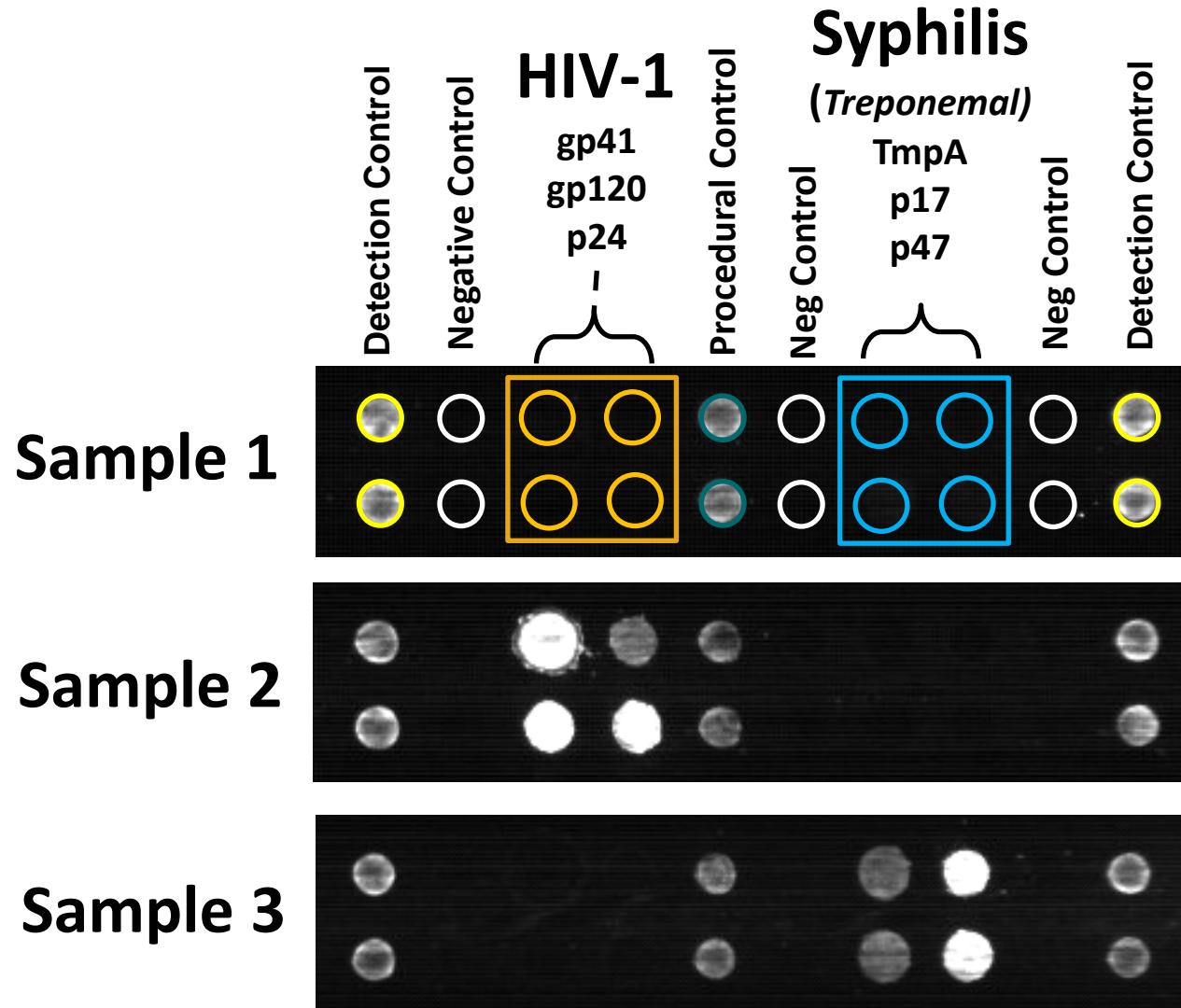
# SnapEsi™ Ab Reactivity Output



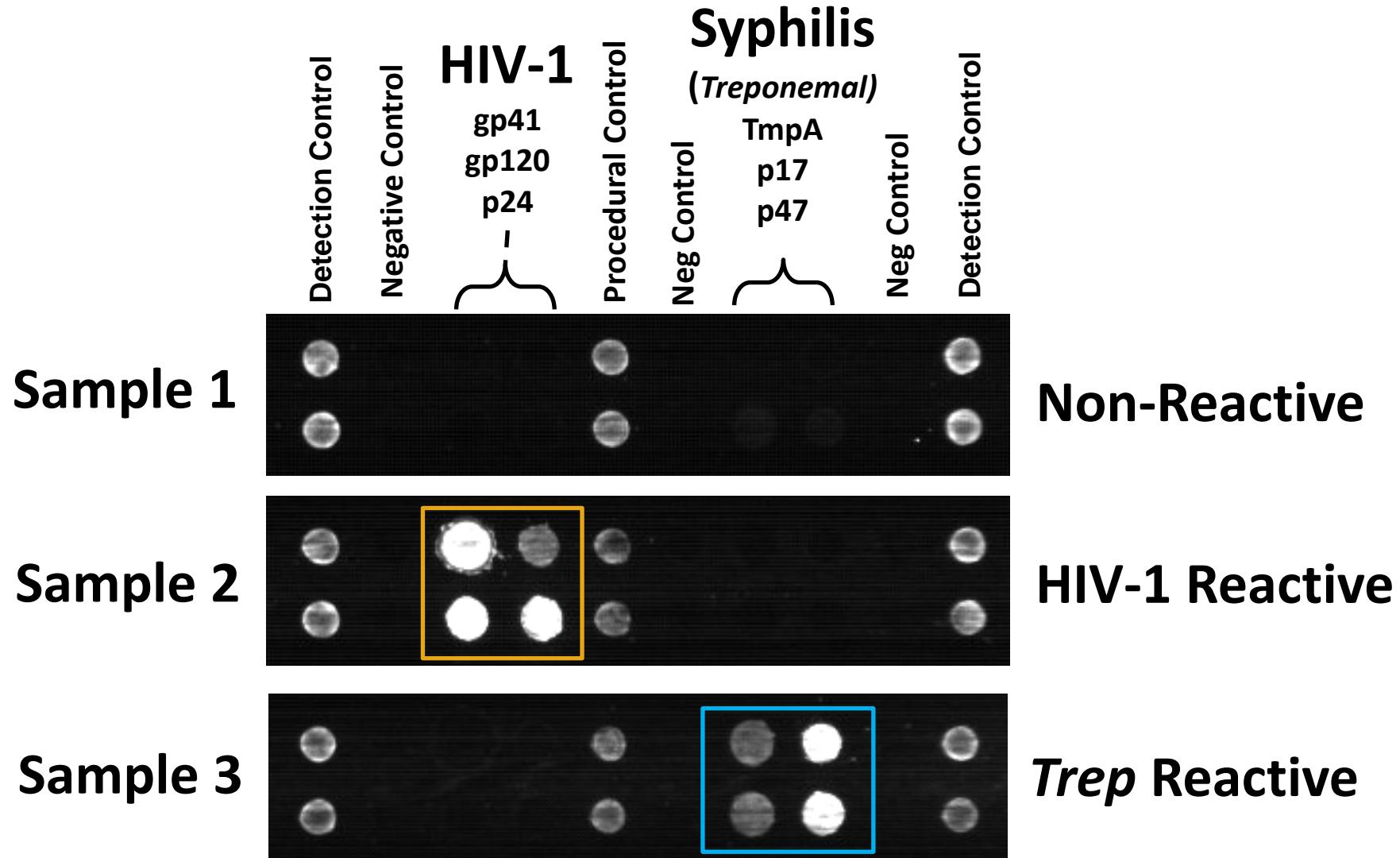
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HIV	POSITIVE	gp41 gp120 p24	5.0 5.4 7.8
<i>T. pallidum</i>	NEGATIVE	p47 p17 TpA	0.0 0.0 0.0
Control	Good Test	Anti-Hu IgG	4.1



# HIV-1 / Syphilis Combination Assay

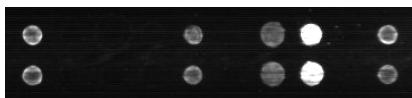
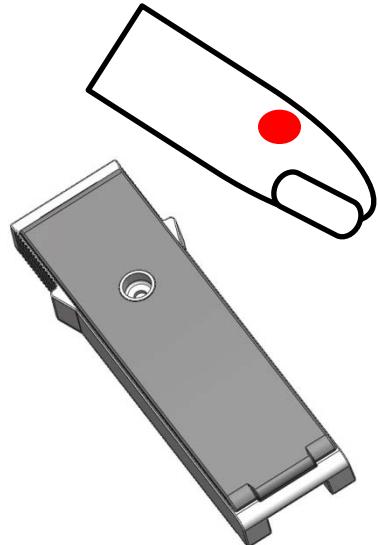


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# Example Data Output

## *Treponemal Ab* Reactive Sample



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		p17	3.7
		TmpA	8.8
<b>Control</b>	<b>Good Test</b>	Anti-Hu IgG	6.1

# HIV-1/Syphilis Clinical Sample Results

- Serum Samples from University of California San Diego Clinical Micro Lab (Siemens ADVIA Centaur analyzer)
- Commercial controls (including negatives)
  - ❖ Sensitivity and Specificity based on same dataset used to establish cutoffs

HIV		n = 170	
True Pos	False Neg*	True Neg	False Pos
54	1	115	0
Sensitivity		Specificity	
98.2%		100.0%	

\*Also negative on OraQuick®



# HIV-1 Seroconversion Panel

## PATH (Seattle, WA) Evaluation Result

		mBio SnapEsi™		Maxim Western Blot	Siemens Advia Centaur	
Sample	Days since 1st bleed	Result	s/co	Result	s/co	
PRB956-01	0	NEG	0.1	NEG	0.1	
PRB965-02	5	NEG	0.1	NEG	0.1	
PRB965-03	7	NEG	0.2	NEG	0.7	
PRB965-04	12	POS	>17.7	IND	>50	
PRB965-05	14	POS	>17.7	POS	>50	
PRB965-06	21	POS	7.6	POS	>50	
		<b>PATH Result</b>	<b>Package Insert Data</b>			



# mBio SnapEsi Syphilis (*Treponemal*) Clinical Serum Sample Results

## *T. pallidum* Positives

- 46 confirmed *Trep*-positive (TPPA)
- 45 SnapEsi POS; one indeterminate
- 97.8% Sensitivity

## RPR Negatives

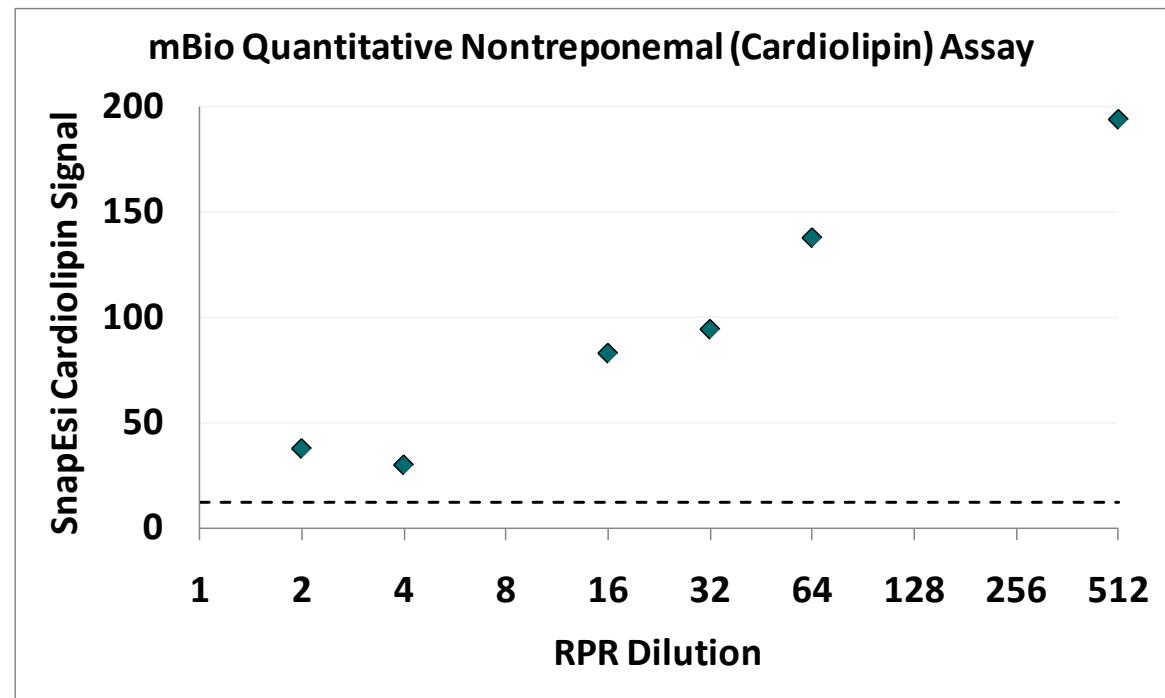
- 111 RPR negatives
- 108 SnapEsi *Trep* NEG
- 3 SnapEsi POS are likely resolved/treated infection

# SnapEsi™ Syphilis T/NT

## (Treponemal / Nontreponemal)

- Preliminary quantitative anti-cardiolipin results

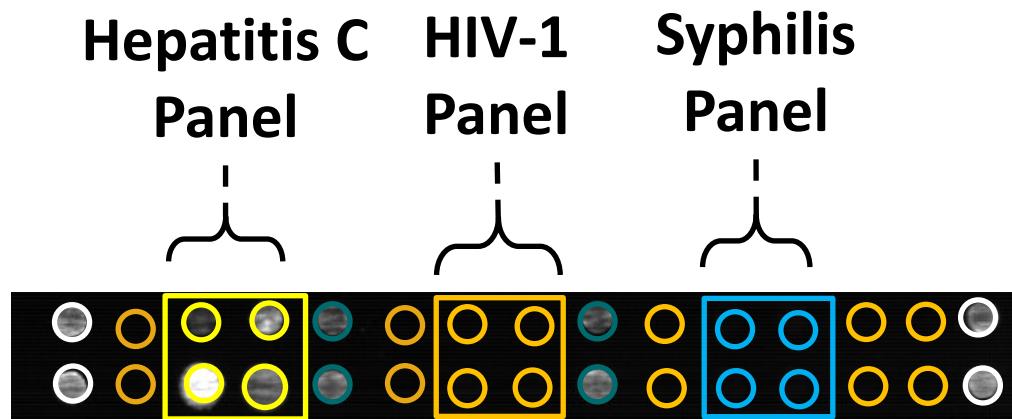
Anti-cardiolipin assay in same array as anti-*T. pall* assay



Dashed line is signal for pooled normal human serum.

# mBio Development Pipeline: Quantitative Antigen Detection & Panel Expansion

- Hepatitis B Surface Antigen (HBsAg)
- HIV-1 p24 direct antigen detection
- HIV-2 serology
- Hepatitis C serology





# Summary

- Simple, low-cost fluorescence imaging system with disposable assay cartridge
- mBio focus: HIV, coinfection, global health apps
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