

Video: Can pooling samples speed up testing?

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Testing individual samples one-by-one will tell doctors whether or not specific patients may or may not have a disease, but it's inefficient for finding single carriers in larger populations.

In this <u>video</u>, CIDD researcher Nita Bharti explains a common method for pooling samples, which can help epidemiologists rapidly process tests from large numbers of potentially infected people.

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