Industry partnerships to pioneer new advances in diagnostic testing

Diagnostic Testing for Healthy Lives

Quality, timely diagnostics are key to achieving health for all. The foundation of treatment and public health decision-making, early diagnosis has been consistently linked to improved health outcomes, as well as providing critical data to inform disease management and surveillance. Despite this fact, diagnostics remain the weakest link in the care cascade. In today’s modern world, critical gaps in the development of – and access to – affordable, fit-for-purpose diagnostic tools undermine progress towards universal health coverage and threaten our ability to respond to health emergencies.

1.1 million premature deaths in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs) could be avoided annually by reducing the diagnostic gap for six priority conditions.*

About FIND

FIND, seeks to ensure equitable access to reliable diagnosis around the world. We connect countries and communities, funders, decision-makers, healthcare providers and developers to spur diagnostic innovation and make testing an integral part of sustainable, resilient health systems.

Established in 2003, FIND works with local, regional and global partners to accelerate the development, production and roll-out of fit-for-purpose tests.

Closing the Diagnostic Gap

With almost 20 years’ operational experience, we help innovators pioneer transformative solutions and navigate the complexities of product development, validation, and endorsement. We also work with in-country partners to promote and enable key market access, and build diagnostic capacity in LMICs.

Together, we can inspire innovation and drive new progress in diagnostics to address current global health challenges and strengthen health systems for the future.

Programmes

Antimicrobial Resistance • Fever & Malaria • Hepatitis
Neglected Tropical Diseases • Non-Communicable Diseases
Pandemic Threats • Tuberculosis • Women’s Health
PARTNERSHIPS IN ACTION

Partnerships are the backbone of our work. Together, we can accelerate product development, bring much-needed transparency to the diagnostic market, and generate new data to inform decision-making at every level. Working hand in hand with researchers, developers, and manufacturers, we provide a combination of bespoke support and open access resources to drive forward solutions from concept and feasibility to validation, manufacturing, and roll-out.

20 YEARS’ OPERATIONAL EXPERIENCE
Expert guidance and support Established partnership networks Training and capacity building Funding and investment

BESPOKE PARTNER SUPPORT
Technology assessment Development planning Clinical evaluations Technology transfers Roll-out and access

OPEN ACCESS RESOURCES
Product landscaping Market insights Biobank services Target product profiles Online test directories

FIND 2015–2020 STRATEGY IN NUMBERS

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SPOTLIGHTS

PIONEERING THE DEVELOPMENT OF TRANSFORMATIVE TECHNOLOGIES
A game changer in the field of hepatitis C virus (HCV), the upcoming HCV core antigen rapid diagnostic test (RDT) is designed to simplify diagnostic algorithms and enable decentralized point-of-care testing.

BRINGING LOCAL INNOVATION TO GLOBAL SCALE
Supported assay development and multi-centre studies to help secure WHO endorsement of Truenat™ – India’s first point-of-care molecular tuberculosis test – and bring it to a global market.

EXPANDING LOCAL AND GLOBAL MANUFACTURING CAPACITY
As part of the ACT-Accelerator, FIND supported capacity building and technology transfers in Asia, South America and Africa to help secure the production and supply of COVID-19 antigen RDTs in LMICs.

PARTNER WITH US
As we work to close the gap in diagnostic testing, we are looking to expand our partnership network. Opportunities to partner with FIND are advertised through an open, transparent, and objective request for proposals process, tendered through our organizational website.

Help break new ground in diagnostic testing.

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