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Dear Aaron Siri:

This letter is in response to your attached original Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (CDC/ATSDR) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of May 1, 2024. You modified your request as follows per the attached email:

*Vaccines: Our client is seeking any and all documents comparing health outcomes of individuals who have received any licensed vaccine(s), against health outcomes of individuals who have not received any vaccines. Therefore, our client is interested in all vaccines which were formerly or are currently licensed.*

*Timeframe: The time frame of the request is from the year 1914 to the date of search.*

The Immunization Safety Office (ISO) responds as follows:

*CDC is unaware of vaccine safety studies comparing health outcomes of individuals who have received any licensed vaccine(s), against health outcomes of individuals who have not received any vaccines.*

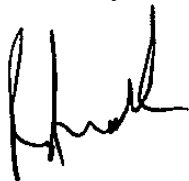
*ISO recommends that this FOIA be sent to the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The FDA has the authority to conduct possible comparisons during phase 2 and/or phase 3 of the clinical trial process. For more information, please visit <https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/development-approval-process-cber/vaccine-development-101>*

You may contact our FOIA Public Liaison at 770-488-6246 for any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request. Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov); telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may administratively appeal to the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, via the online portal at <https://requests.publiclink.hhs.gov/App/Index.aspx>.

Please mark both your appeal letter and envelope "FOIA Appeal." Your appeal must be electronically transmitted by August 28, 2024.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roger Andoh". The signature is stylized with a large initial "R" and a long horizontal stroke.

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