

## ST. LOUIS ISOLATE OF BOURBON VIRUS (BRBV-STL)

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This strain of the Bourbon virus was isolated from the serum of an infected St. Louis-area patient. The isolated virus was used to demonstrate *in vitro* and in a mouse model that the antiviral drug favipiravir has prophylactic and therapeutic efficacy against the Bourbon virus, indicating it as a good candidate for treatment in humans.

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