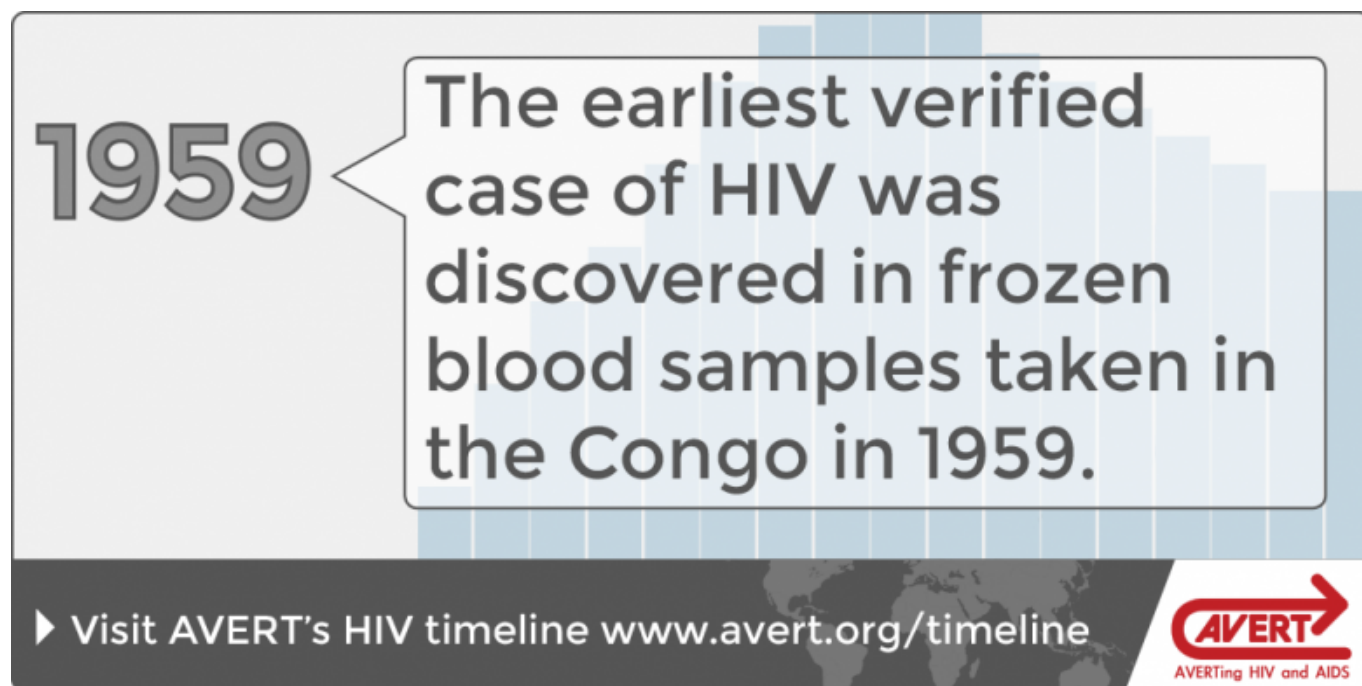


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1959 HIV timeline fact.



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The earliest verified case of HIV was discovered in frozen blood samples taken in the Congo in 1959.

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