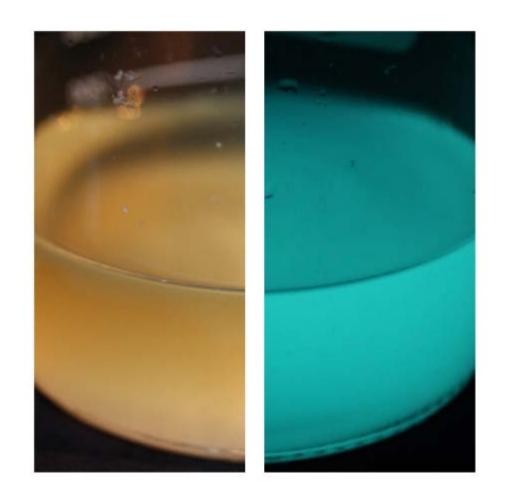
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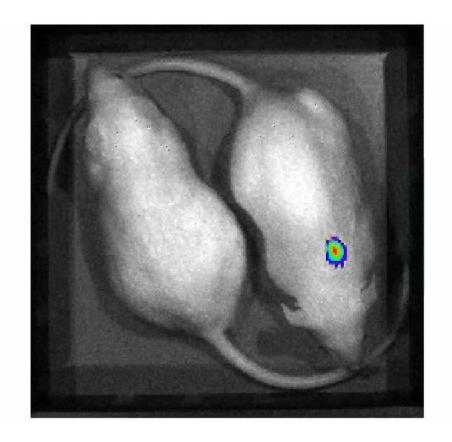


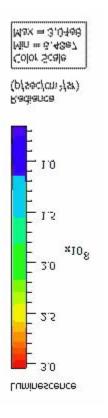






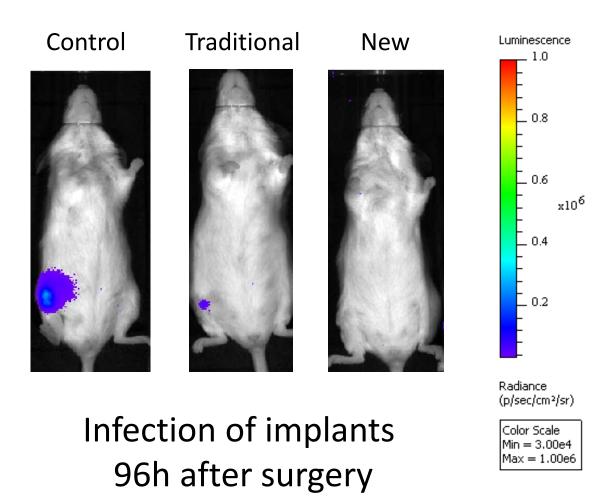








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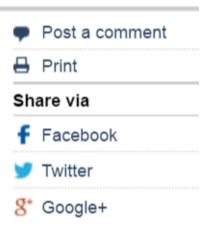
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By Mark Henderson

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A new approach to using mice in research has won a £10,000 prize for improving the welfare of laboratory animals.

The inaugural Replacement, Refinement and Reduction Prize, also known as the Three Rs Prize, is sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline and will be awarded today to Siouxsie Wiles, of Imperial College, London. Lord Sainsbury of Turville, the Science Minister, will make the presentation. Dr Wiles has been honoured for a mouse study into the effects of E. coli bacteria. By allowing the experimental mice to infect



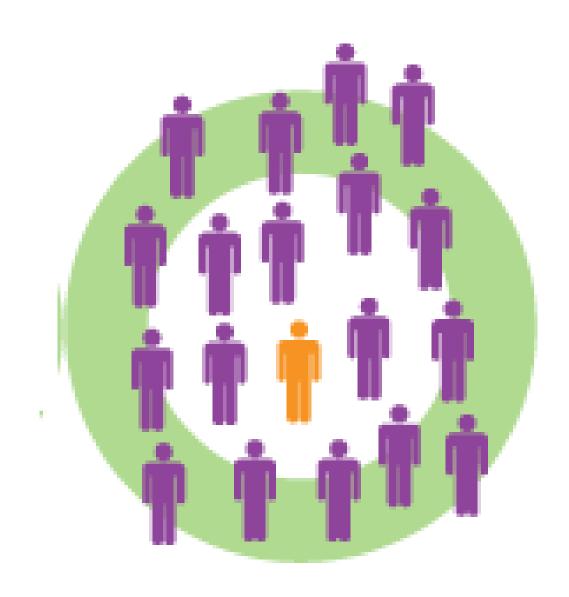


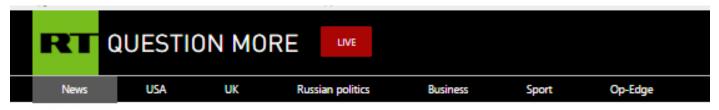
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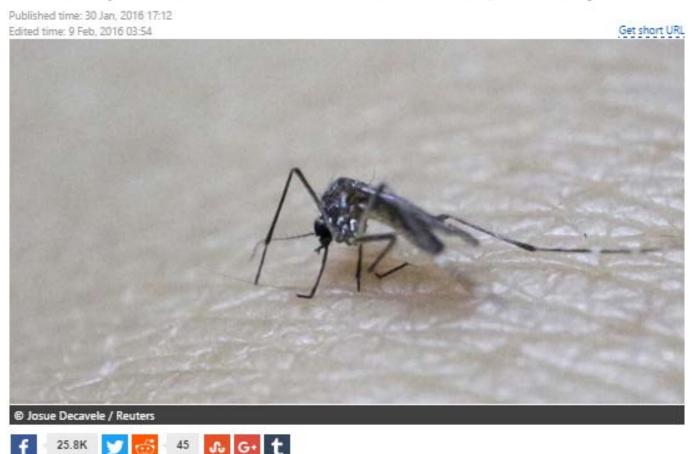


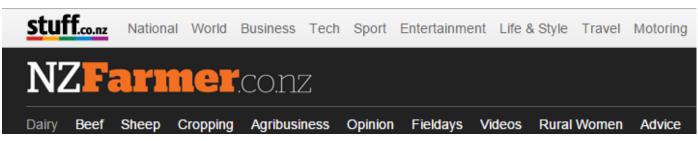
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Matamata veterinarian and farm performance consultant Frank Rowson says Fonterra should be tracing the source of the Clostridium botulinum bacterium back to farms or their own water supply.

He doubts Clostridium botulinum was caused by an old pipe at Fonterra's Hautapu plant and said it had to get in there in the first place.

Rowson planned to discuss the threat of glyphosate contamination links in the food chain at a meeting in a few weeks time, which included Fonterra's Risk Manager Lindsay Burton and the president of GE Free NZ, Claire Bleakly.



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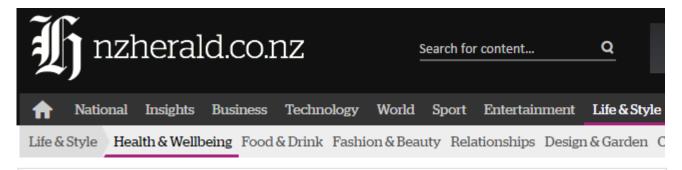


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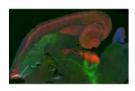




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