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Target Date: Begin exploratory testing mid 2005

Activities:

ASSAYS: Catalogue assays in public domain

Choice of Assays - pathways related to

carcinogenicity, reproductive and developmental

toxicity

Metabolism - agents that have been tested

Analyze metabolites

Test each metabolite, if possible

AGENTS: 500+ that have been tested in bioassay

HPV chemicals





Activities:

ASSAY PROPERTIES: Reproducible

Validated

Predictive

Transportable

Span wide dose range

FUNDING: In-house, contracts, grants, consortia

DATABASE: Consistent with CEBS knowledge

base

ANALYSIS: Pattern recognition, systems biology

approach





Activities:

EFFECTIVENESS OF

PROGRAM: Regular internal reviews

Periodic external review by Board etc.

COMMUNICATION: Convey to public HTS vs. bioassays





Roadmap Target #1: HTS Activity Matrix

SEQUENCE	TIMELINE		
	Short-term	Mid-term	Long-term
	('04) Catalogue assays	('06) Analyze metabolites from non-conforming	('09) Develop universal metabolizing system
	('05) Workshop to select tests	('07) Validation of assays to predict mechanistic endpoint	('10) Availability of agents & tissues for HTS to extramural scientists
	('05) Understand metabolism	('07) Develop systems biology method for analysis	('10) Validation of battery of tests for prediction
	('05) Test ±600 NTP carc., developmental & reprod. toxicity agents	('07) Develop database as part of CEBS	
		('07) Review after 36 months and periodically	('10) Review after 5 years and periodically

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