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# Next Generation Sequencing in Limited Resource Settings

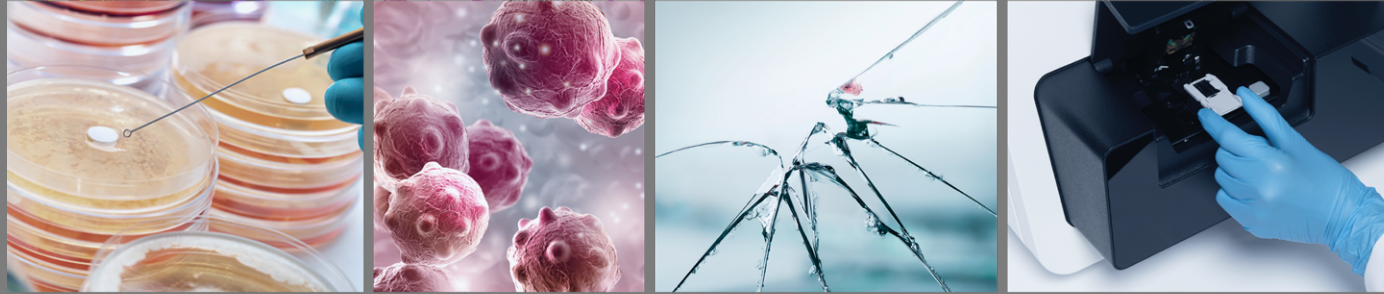
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# Illumina's Mission



Unlocking the power of the genome to improve human health



# Genomic Research & Testing is Unlocking Insights

Empowering genetic analysis and facilitating a deeper understanding of genetic variation and function to drive advancements in medicine, agriculture, and many other areas



## Genomics Research Today

Takes place in government, university, pharmaceutical, biotechnology, and agrigenomics laboratories around the world, to better our understanding of the relationship between gene sequence and biological processes



## Advancing Healthcare

Researchers who investigate human and non-human genetic variation to understand the mechanisms of disease are enabling the development of more effective diagnostics and therapeutics



## Advancing Quality of Life

Research also provides greater insight into genetic variation in plants (e.g., food and biofuel crops) and animals (e.g., livestock and domestic), enabling improvements in crop yields and animal breeding programs.

# Potential Genomics Use Cases in Country



## Infectious Disease

*Drug resistance testing to influence best course of treatment – improvement over current culture-based testing*



## Infectious Disease Surveillance

*More comprehensive surveillance that monitors pathogens and antimicrobial resistance*



## Agriculture

*Advance breeding programs for local plant & animal species*



## Oncology

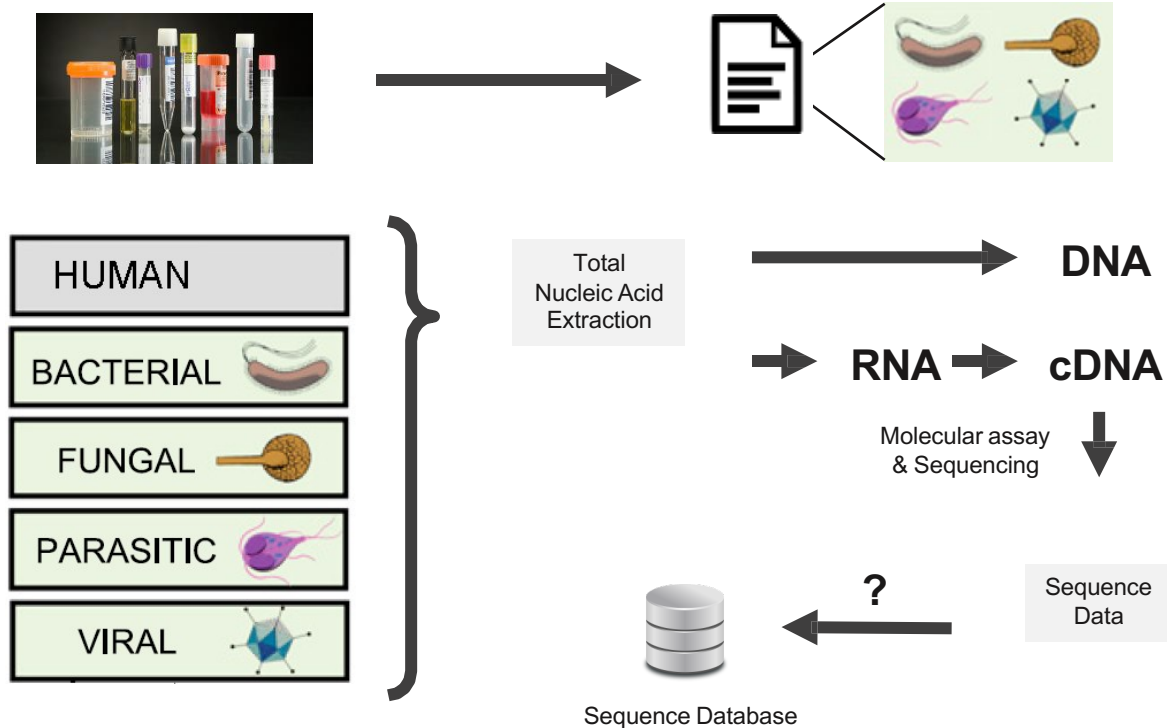
*Screening test for hereditary risk of cancer to identify high-risk individuals in population (eg, breast, colon cancer)*



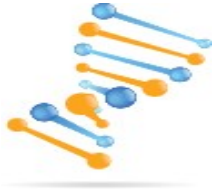
## Genetic Disease

*Facilitate early detection and intervention*

# Interrogation of Nucleic Acid Sequences Allows for Unbiased Detection of Organisms



# Clinical Microbiology Workflow and Applications using NGS



## Isolate Sequencing

Whole genome sequencing of a single culture

*de-novo* assembly and gene annotation



## Targeted Panels

Enrichment of a specific set of targets (organism, functional genes, antimicrobial resistance)

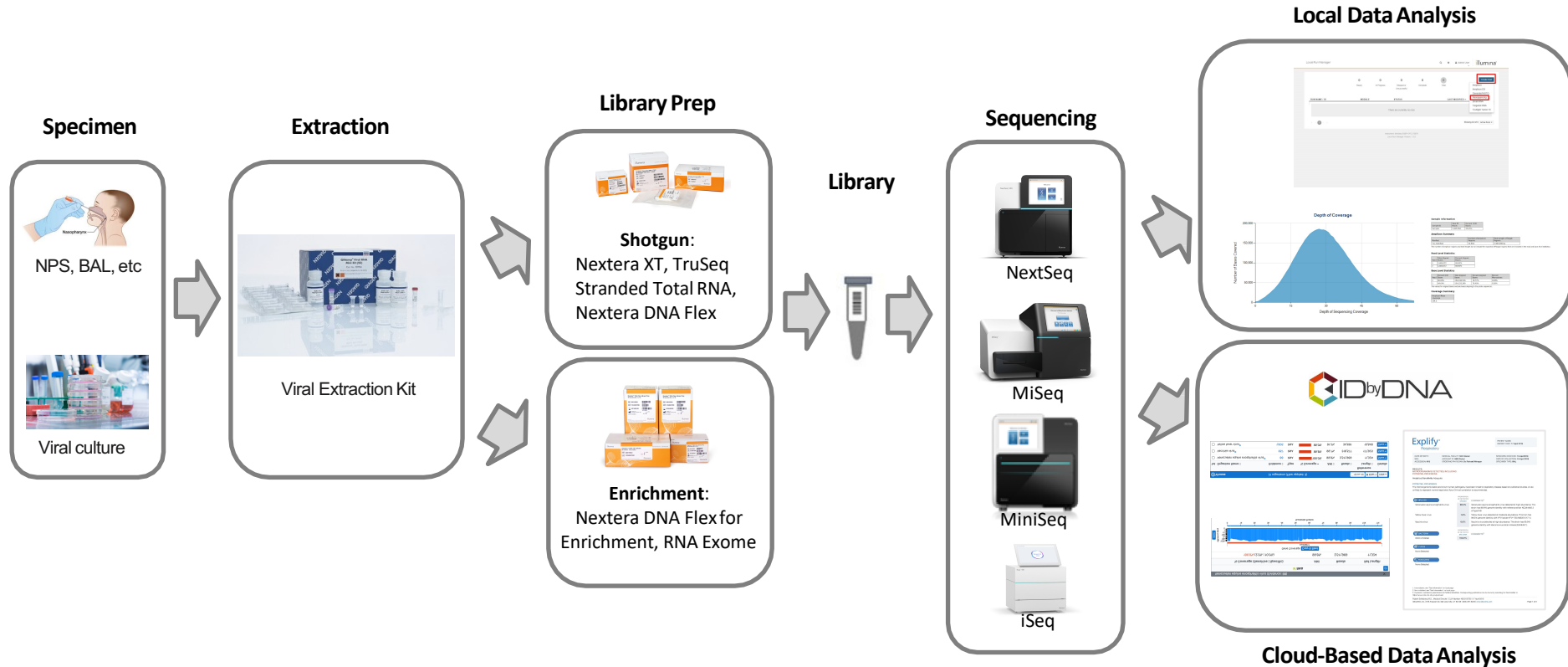


## Shotgun Metagenomics

Whole genome sequencing directly from microbiology clinical samples

Comparison to reference microbial genome databases

# Basic Workflows for Cultured/Direct from Patient Samples





iSeq 100



MiniSeq



MiSeq Series +



NextSeq 550 Series +



NextSeq 2000

| Popular Applications & Methods                                    | Key Application | Key Application | Key Application | Key Application | Key Application |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Large Whole-Genome Sequencing (human, plant, animal)              |                 |                 |                 |                 |                 |
| Small Whole-Genome Sequencing (microbe, virus)                    | ●               | ●               | ●               | ●               | ●               |
| Exome & Large Panel Sequencing (enrichment-based)                 |                 |                 |                 | ●               | ●               |
| Targeted Gene Sequencing (amplicon-based, gene panel)             | ●               | ●               | ●               | ●               | ●               |
| miRNA & Small RNA Analysis  | ●               | ●               | ●               | ●               |                 |
| DNA-Protein Interaction Analysis (ChIP-Seq)                       |                 |                 | ●               | ●               | ●               |
| Methylation Sequencing  |                 |                 |                 | ●               | ●               |
| 16S Metagenomic Sequencing  |                 | ●               | ●               | ●               | ●               |
| Metagenomic Profiling (shotgun metagenomics, metatranscriptomics) |                 |                 | ●               | ●               | ●               |
| Cell-Free Sequencing & Liquid Biopsy Analysis                     |                 |                 |                 | ●               | ●               |
| <b>Run Time</b>   | 9.5–19 hrs      | 4–24 hours      | 4–55 hours      | 12–30 hours     | 24–48 hours     |
| <b>Maximum Output</b>   | 1.2 Gb          | 7.5 Gb          | 15 Gb           | 120 Gb          | 300 Gb*         |
| <b>Maximum Reads Per Run</b>                                      | 4 million       | 25 million      | 25 million †    | 400 million     | 1 billion*      |
| <b>Maximum Read Length</b>  | 2 × 150 bp      | 2 × 150 bp      | 2 × 300 bp      | 2 × 150 bp      | 2 × 150 bp      |

- **Shotgun metagenomic workflows are most efficiently performed on the MiSeq and NextSeq550**
- **Enrichment workflows can be performed on lower-throughput instruments, such as MiSeq, MiniSeq, and iSeq**



# Hybridization Capture - Management of Disease Outbreaks

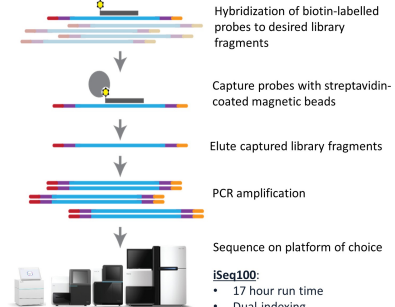
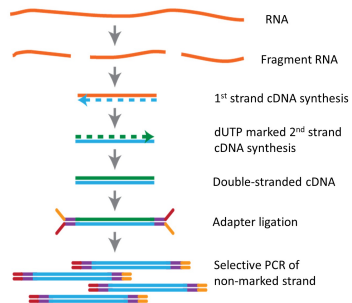


Pelican box with foam padding used for transport of the iSeq100



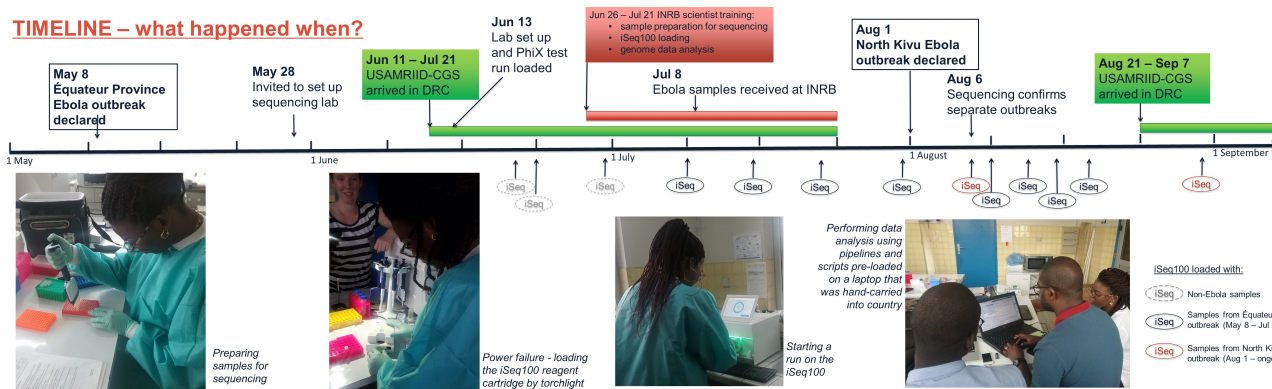
iSeq100 running samples in the DRC genomics lab

## METHOD – stranded RNA-seq with targeted enrichment



- iSeq100:**
- 17 hour run time
  - Dual-indexing
  - up to 2 x 151 cycles

## TIMELINE – what happened when?



# Example: Infectious Disease

## *TB Drug Resistance Testing to Influence the Best Course of Treatment*



- Drug-resistant TB is a public health crisis and focus for the WHO and country TB programs
  - Globally, 3.4% of new TB cases and 18% of previously treated TB cases had drug-resistant TB<sup>1</sup>
- Rapid detection & screening is done with cheaper methods. **However, these methods cannot resolve complex drug resistance, which is essential to guide patient care.**
  - Comprehensive drug susceptibility testing (DST) is performed after patients test positive for TB and then positive for resistance to first-line therapy (rifampicin-resistant TB)
  - Today, comprehensive DST is performed using culture, which takes 4+ weeks
- Opportunity for NGS tests to replace conventional DST: accurate and more rapid results for both first-line and second-line anti-TB drug<sup>1</sup> vs. culture



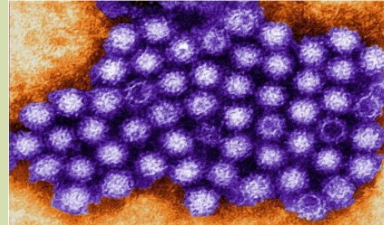
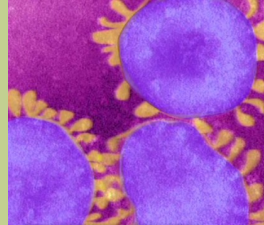
<sup>1</sup>(1)WHO 2019 report, pg. 2 and pg. 57, respectively



# Example: Infectious Disease Surveillance

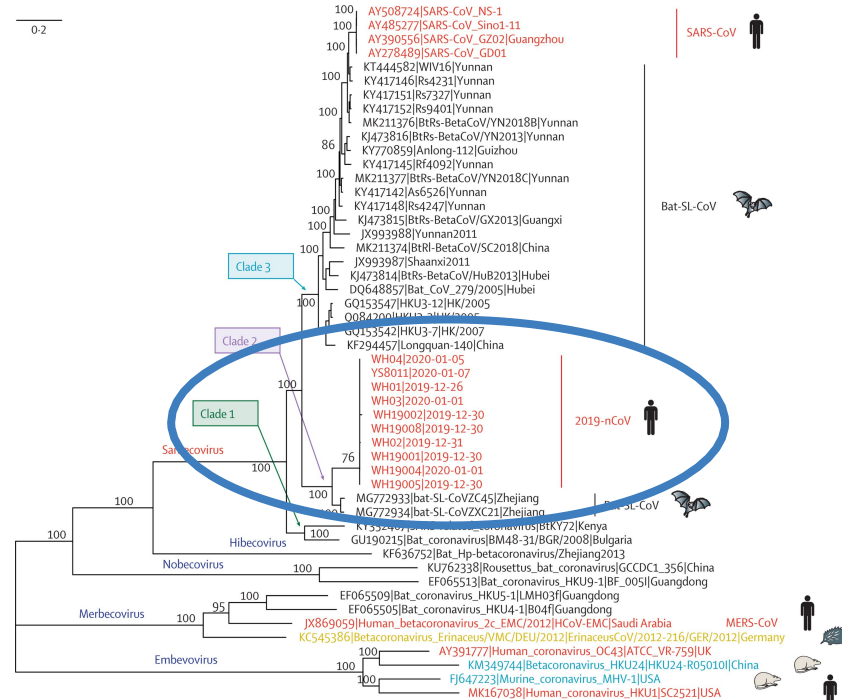
## *Tracking Pathogens and Antimicrobial Resistance*

- Traditional methods of assessing infectious agents are typically limited to a small & defined set of organisms
- NGS provides a universal, hypothesis-free method for infectious disease surveillance that can be used with viruses, bacteria, or parasites
- NGS is also able to better identify & monitor antimicrobial resistance
- **Future opportunity in HIV drug resistance testing**
  - HIV/TB co-infection rates are high, and HIV is another global health priority (95-95-95 UNAIDS goal)
- **Additional opportunity for Surveillance panel**
  - Public Health (e.g. CDC Africa; Flemming Fund) and professional societies are strengthening surveillance efforts in Africa from One-Health perspective
  - Long-term opportunity for a “pan-infectome” and antimicrobial resistance (AMR) NGS panel approaches for broad detection of pathogen AMR, mainly starting in surveillance



# Use of Clinical Metagenomics in the 2019-nCoV Outbreak

- **NGS was used to initially identify the unknown virus from Wuhan Province, China**
  - Shotgun metagenomic workflow enabled unbiased characterization of unknown viral pathogen
- **Bioinformatic analysis linked sequence to Betacoronavirus genus**
- **Phylogenetic tree showed a distinct species related to bat CoV and relatively distant from SARS and MERS**
- **Information concerned public health officials, as novel viruses have unpredictable transmissibility, morbidity, and mortality**

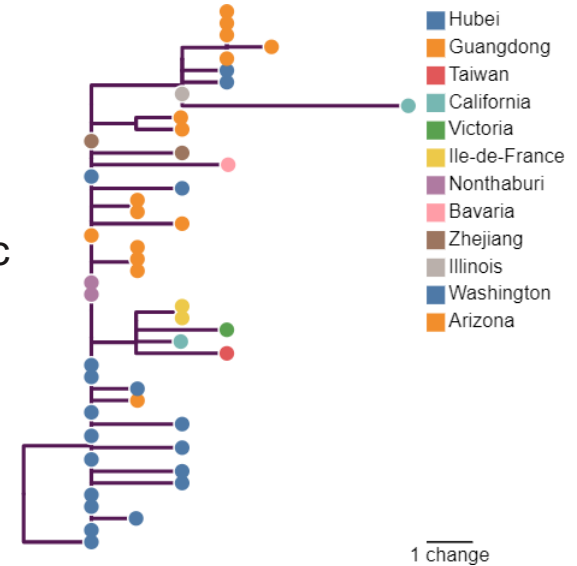


Lu, et al. The Lancet. [https://doi.org/10.1016/S0140-6736\(20\)30251-8](https://doi.org/10.1016/S0140-6736(20)30251-8)



# NGS in 2019-nCoV Outbreak Management

- **The use of NGS remains vital to ongoing outbreak management, to enable:**
  - Confirmation of all PCR positive samples, per guidance by WHO<sup>1</sup>
  - Viral evolution tracking
  - Monitoring for viral shift or potential to escape PCR diagnostic
  - Development of vaccine candidates
- **Sequencing can be performed from viral culture or directly from clinical specimens, such as BAL**

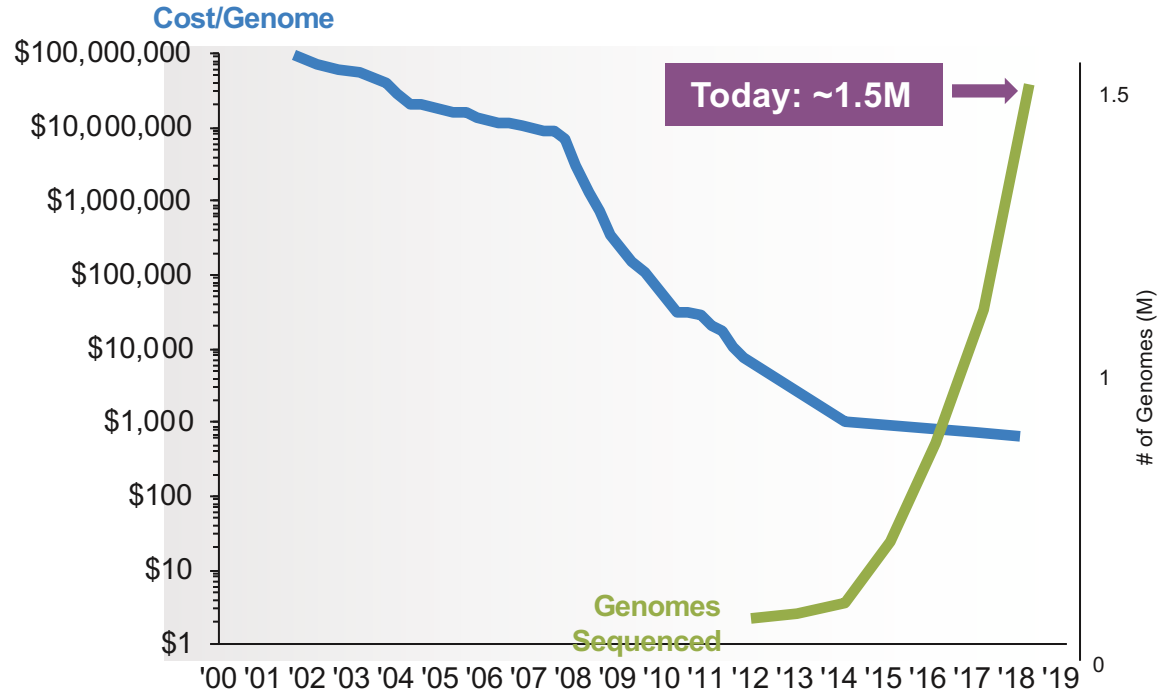


<http://virological.org/t/phylogenetic-analysis-46-genomes-31-jan-2020/356>

# Illumina NGS Technology Has Helped Reduce the Cost of Sequencing While Providing Ability to Scale

Ability to **cost-effectively** sequence **large sample sizes** **quickly and accurately**, generating vast amounts of high-quality data.

These break-throughs in **cost** & **throughput** allow for greater adoption of sequencing, which further enables communities to unlock genomic insights that drive advancements

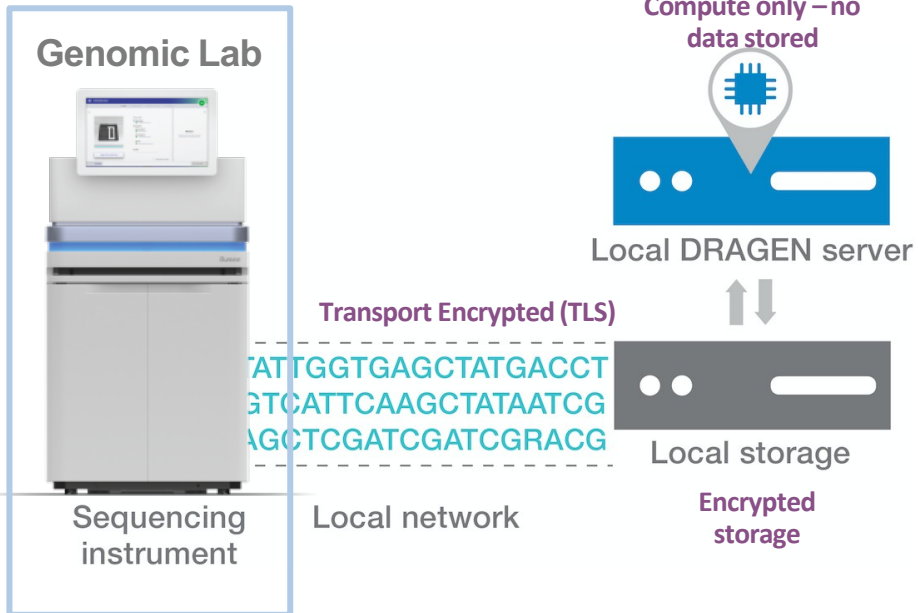


# Country Data Infrastructure

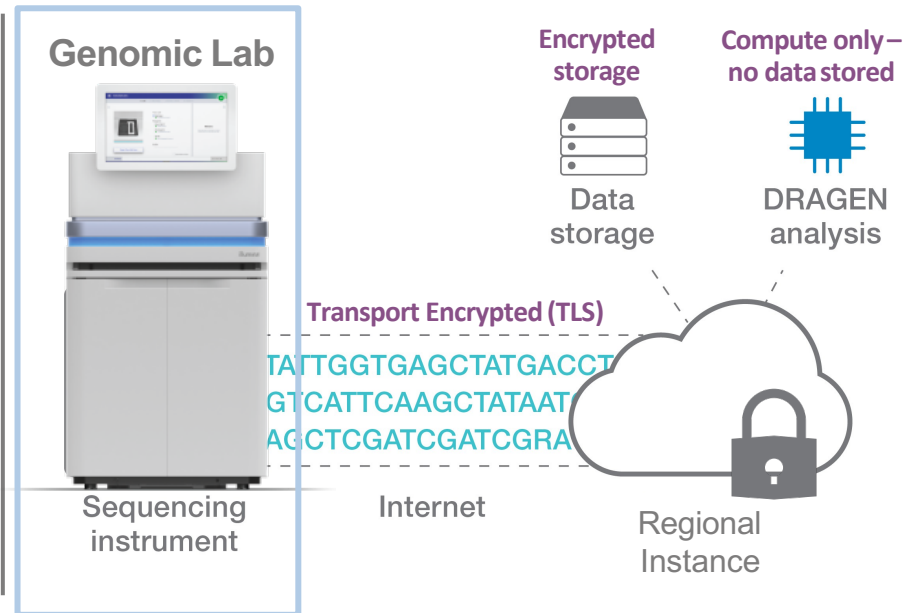
Local data stays local, and is encrypted and protected to international security standards

## Two Potential Options for Storage & Security

### Local In-Country Storage



### Country Cloud Instance\*



15 \*A cloud-based data center will be set up in-country, meaning that the data will physically reside within that country's borders

# Embedded Commitment to Data Security





# Rare and Undiagnosed Genetic Disease



**When considered as a whole, genetic diseases are a global public health crisis**

Individuals with HIV: **~40M<sup>4</sup>** | Number of Malaria cases/year: **212M<sup>4</sup>**

<sup>1</sup><https://www.omim.org>

<sup>2</sup>Global Genes RARE Facts & Statistics: <https://globalgenes.org/rare-diseases-facts-statistics/>

<sup>3</sup>Rare Disease Impact Report: Insights from patients and the medical community. Shire. 2013

<sup>4</sup>World Health Organization. <http://www.who.int/>

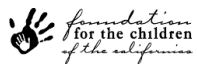
# Diagnostic Yield Across Studies

| Study*                                       | Diagnostic Yield         | Notes   |
|--|--------------------------|---|
| Yang et al 2013<br>NEJM                      | ~22%                     | Clinic-based WES pilot study (N=250)  |
| Yang et al 2014<br>JAMA                      | ~25%                     | Follow-up to the above; N=2000, 504 with diagnosis; ~5% ACMG incidental findings return                                     |
| Lee et al 2014<br>JAMA                       | ~25–30%                  | Rare disease cohort of 814 patients; proband-only and trio sequencing   |
| Srivastava et al 2014<br>Ann Neurology       | 41%                      | WES in a child neurology clinic   |
| Gilissen et al 2014<br>Nature                | 60%                      | WGS in children with Intellectual Disability  |
| Taylor et al 2015<br>Nature Genetics         | 34% (57%)                | WGS of 68 Mendelian disorders (14 with trios)   |
| Stavropoulos et al 2016<br>Genomic Medicine  | 34%                      | WGS of 100 Neurodevelopmental Delay patients; direct comparison to array  |
| Retterer et al. 2016<br>Genetics in Medicine | 28–55%<br>per indication | 3,040 consecutive WES cases at GeneDx   |
| Vanderver et al. 2016<br>Annals of Neurology | 42% (+)                  | WES of 71 children with white matter disease; family trio+  |
| Tarailo-Graovac et al 2016<br>NEJM           | 68%                      | WES of 41 patients with intellectual developmental disorder and unexplained metabolic phenotypes. 44% had a change in care. |
| Tan et al 2017<br>JAMA Pediatrics            | 52%                      | WES of ambulant children with suspected monogenic conditions  |
| Lionel et al 2017<br>GIM                     | 41%                      | WGS and panel assessment of pediatric outpatients from diverse subspecialties   |

# iHope Network

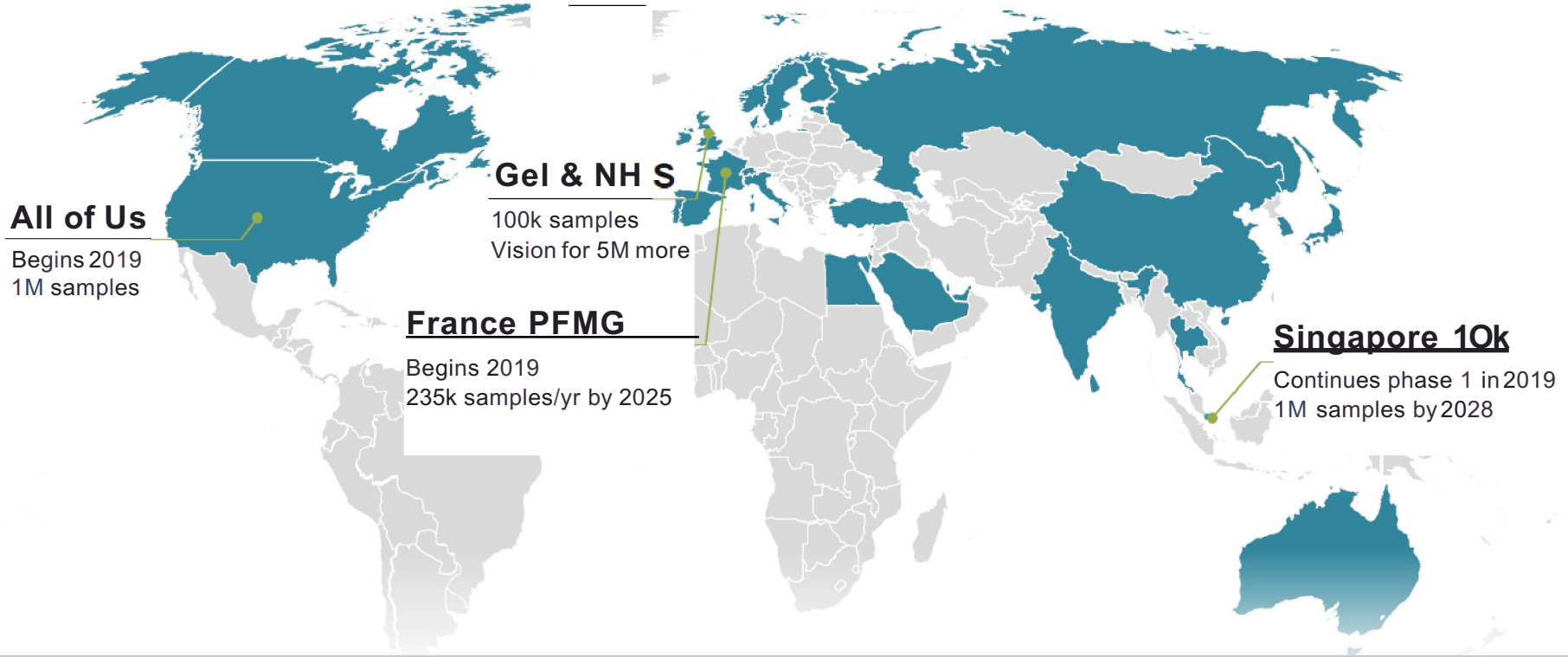
Donating clinical whole genome sequencing tests (cWGS) to help find answers for underserved families with children facing rare and undiagnosed diseases

<https://www.illumina.com/company/ihope.html>



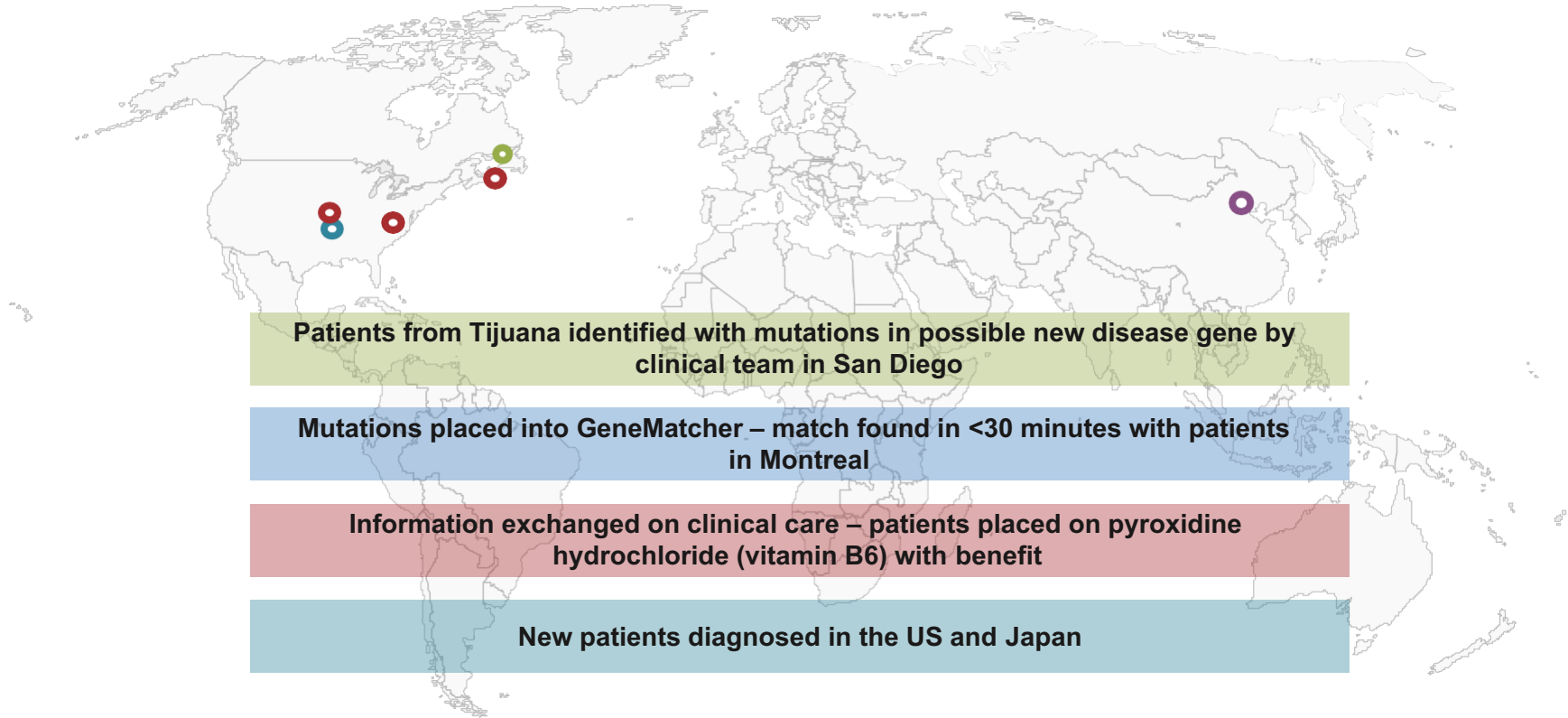
- **Clinical team is led by Dr Marilyn Jones and Diane Masser-Frye MS MSW**
- **Phenotyping and sample collection take place on “Genome Days”**
- **Thus far 60 cases have been processed**
- **Majority had no previous genetic testing**
- **Mutations span the mutational spectrum, but more than half were structural variations that would have been missed by many other tests**
- **Returned likely causal variants in 41 cases (68% diagnostic yield)**
- **Despite resource limitations, 29% had a change in management**

# Global Emergence of Population Genomics



—50 Programs

# A New Disease...a New Treatment



# Why WGS is Ready for Prime Time

1

Most **comprehensive** methodology

2

**Simpler, faster** workflow than WES

3

The **best way to interrogate the exome** is through WGS

4

Better ability to detect ***de novo*** variants

5

Ability to identify **multiple genetic variants in single patient** contributing to phenotype

6

**Capable** of re-analysis of non-diagnosed patients

# Illumina Commitment to Quality and Patient Care

## iHOPE Network

- Illumina launched consortium of member institutions in 2017
- iHope Network members have committed to a minimum philanthropic donation of 10 whole-genome tests per year (patients from a clinical referral network of >30 US and international sites)
- Agreed to donate the variants to public databases (e.g., Clinvar)

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## Undiagnosed Diseases Network

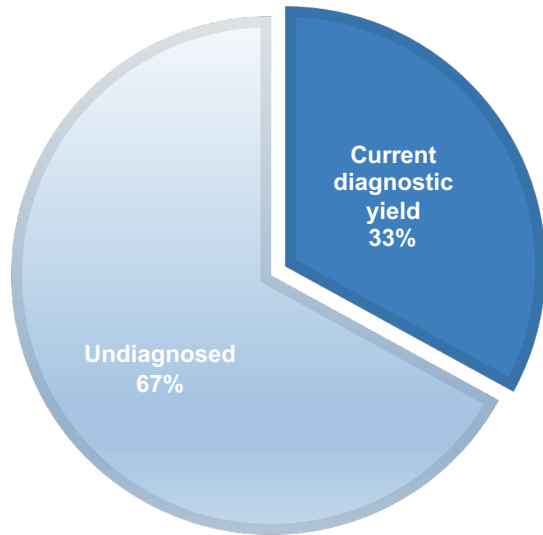
- Illumina is a supporter of the Undiagnosed Diseases Network (UDN)
- The UDN made up of clinical and research centers across the United States working to improve diagnosis and care of patients with undiagnosed diseases
- To date, the UDN has completed exome or genome sequencing for over 1000 patients and has published over 50 manuscripts

## Medical Genome Initiative

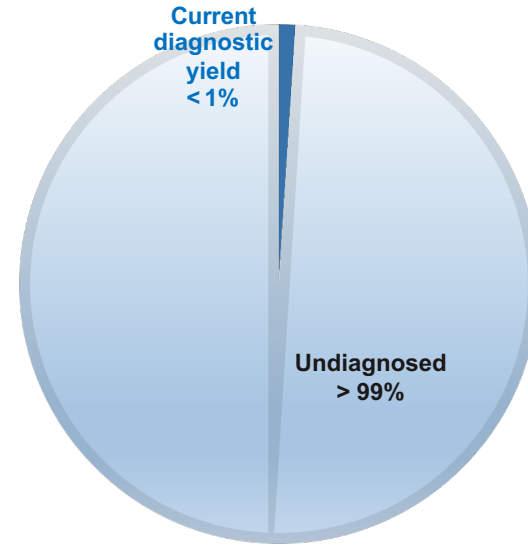
- Consortium from 8 leading health care and research organizations in the U.S. and Canada
- Focus on the publication of common laboratory and clinical best practices for the application of clinical Whole-Genome Sequencing
  - Baylor Genetics
  - Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard
  - HudsonAlpha Institute for Biotechnology
  - Illumina
  - Mayo Clinic
  - Rady Children's Institute for Genomic Medicine
  - The Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids Toronto)
  - Stanford Medicine



# Diagnostic yields remain very low



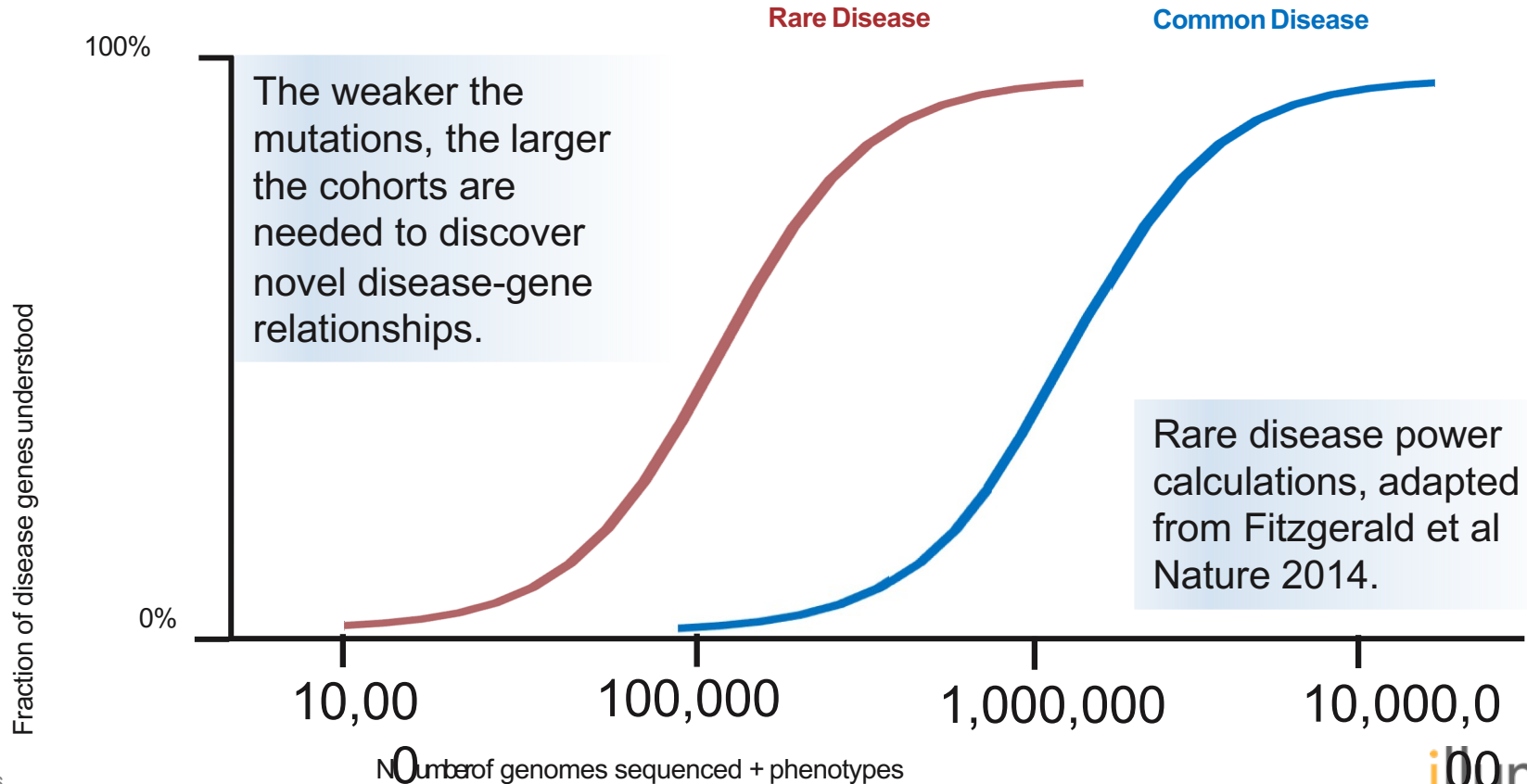
Current RUGD diagnostic yield:  
**33%**



Current common genetic disease diagnostic yield:  
**< 1%**

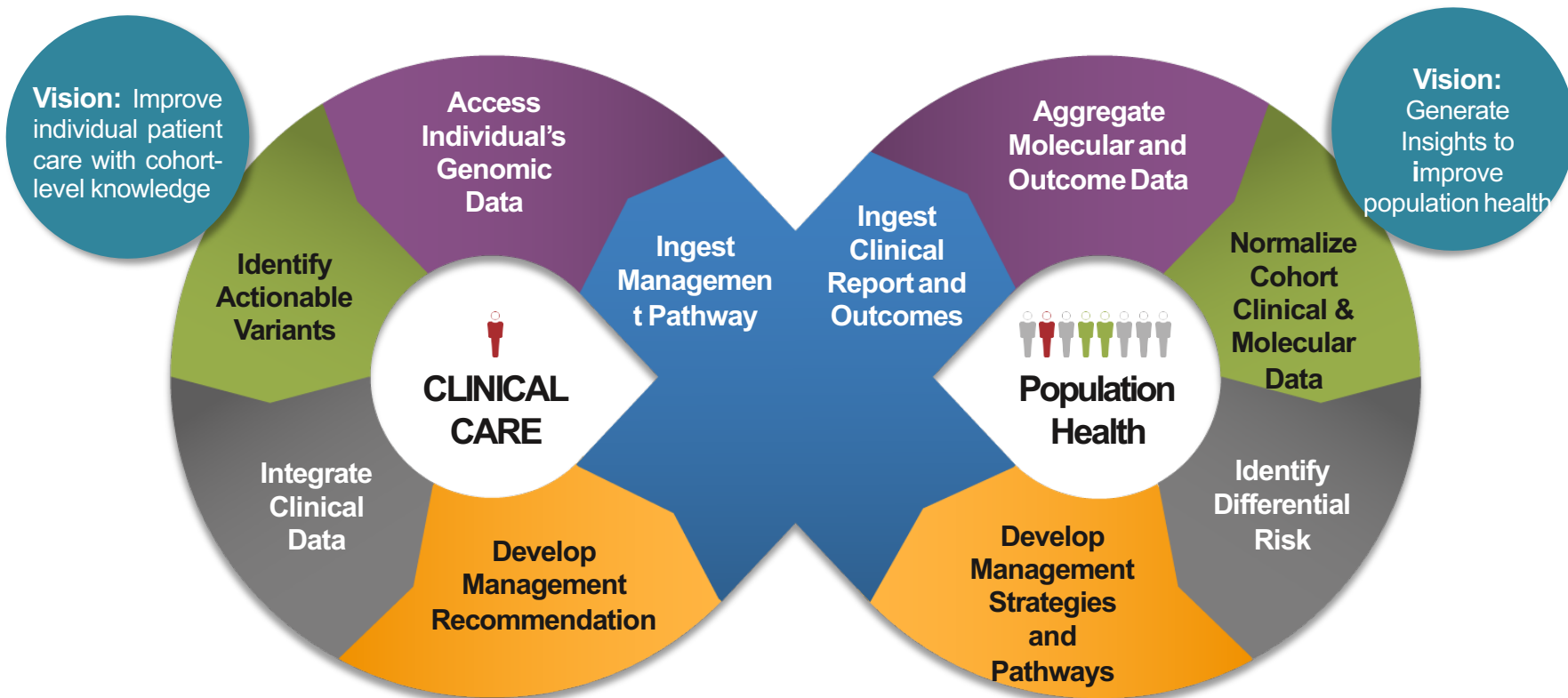
Yang et al, JAMA 2014, Clark et al, Genomic Medicine 2018, Fitzgerald et al, Nature 2014, Franke et al, Nature Genetics 2010, Sanders et al, Neuron 2015, Khera et al, Nature Genetics 2018

# > 50% of disease genes are yet to be discovered



# Concept of a Learning Health System

*The Infinite Cycle of Genomic Medicine: Fully Reap the Benefits of Big Data in the Context of Clinical Care*



# Thank you

