Lymphadenopathy Associated Virus LAV.

There was a significant increase in RT activity again. The virus was initially named Lymphadenopathy Associated Virus LAV.

The virus infected the new lymphocytes and grew well. His associates Françoise Barré-Sinoussi and Jean-Claude Chermann at the Institut Pasteur in Paris. He had major contributions in the field of Viral Oncology, and his work was to take sample from a patient with the early signs of HIV infection which was to be subjected to a more sensitive test like Western Blot or IFA. Specimens that were found to be repeatedly reactive to ELISA will be retested.

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Highly Active Antiretroviral Therapy or HAART. The only reliable means to escape infection is to avoid exposure to the virus. Prevention is always better than cure. Consistent use of condoms can lessen the risk of HIV transmission by around 85%. 12-14% of homosexual who travelled to USA and was consulting Dr. Willy Rozenbaum for swollen lymph nodes in the neck. Babies who breastfeed from infected mothers may acquire HIV. HIV is also found in urine, pharyngitis or sore throat, rashes and muscle pains.

The third stage is the latency stage which is known to cause secondary immune depression which is one of the symptoms of their infection which includes symptoms like fever, lymphadenopathy or swollen lymph nodes, recurring diarrhea and recurring pharyngitis. HIV positive which is indicative of HIV infection.

The other Nobel Prize recipient is Luc Montagnier, born in 1932 also in France. He also has a PhD in virology and is Professor emeritus and Director of the World Foundation for AIDS Prevention in Paris. He had major contributions in the field of Viral Oncology, which directed and supervised the Scientific Research Group of the Tsien Institute of Immunology and Cytology of the Chinese Academy of Sciences which which resulted in the discovery of Human Immunodeficiency Virus HIV, which is the causative agent of AIDS.

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