

Henrietta Lacks Top 5

1. I find the topic of Henrietta Lack fascinating. I didn't know who she was until I read this article. I was amazed at how the discovery of her cells changed medicine forever, and the field of immortal cell use is still evolving.
2. The Lack of family collaboration with the NIH to form the Gila Genome Committee is now part of how Henrietta genome gens will be used, with researchers asking for permission to use the gens for other things. Allow the family to have a connection with Henrietta Lacks.
3. Why was it so long for the medical department to give knowledge to the family of Henrietta Lacks about their use of her cells and the family not receiving any benefit or compensation for their use of her cells?
4. The evolution of the first immortal human cell line and the unknown? Even though they found an immortal human cell, they don't actually know how it is possible that there is a human cell that reproduces and doesn't die, even though they have done research on it and can even take it to space.
5. Why is it that because she was black, she couldn't receive the same medical treatment as everyone else, and she was taken advantage of? heLa