# NIH ACD Meeting June 2020 Rapid Acceleration of Diagnostics Advanced Technology Program (RADx-ATP)

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### **RADx Projects**



#### RADx Tech - \$500M

Highly competitive, rapid three-phase challenge to identify the best candidates for athome or point-of-care tests for COVID-19



#### **RADx Underserved Populations (RADx-UP)** – \$500M

Interlinked community-based demonstration projects focused on implementation strategies to enable and enhance testing of COVID-19 in vulnerable populations



#### RADx Radical (RADx-Rad) - \$200M

Develop and advance novel, non-traditional approaches or new applications of existing approaches for testing



#### RADx Advanced Technology Program (RADx-ATP) - \$230M

Rapid scale-up of advanced technologies to increase rapidity and enhance and validate throughput — create ultra-high throughput machines and facilities



#### **Data Management Support –** \$70M

Build an infrastructure for and support coordination of the various data management needs of many of the COVID-19 efforts



# RADx-Advanced Technology Programs (RADx-ATP)

- Overarching Goal: Increase capacity and optimize throughput for point-of-care (POC) testing platforms by Fall 2020
- Scale up existing or late-stage technologies that can achieve rapid, substantial increases in POC testing capacity
- Potential approaches: addition of POC testing to existing testing infrastructure, scale-up of late stage technologies, support of new Diagnostic Innovation research hub

\$230M

**Execute RADx-ATP strategy, prioritizing rapid wins to expand capacity by Fall 2020** 

# RADx-Advanced Technology Program (RADx-ATP)

# Scale-up Late Stage Technologies

- Identify promising late-stage technologies that could be deployed by Fall 2020
- Establish rapid
   collaborations with
   key industry partners
   to execute the scale up
- Emphasize
   differential POC
   testing to distinguish
   SARS-Cov-2 vs.
   influenza

# Leverage Existing Testing Networks to Add Capacity

- Explore options to leverage NCI's serology network to add POC testing either in same center or part of same network
- Identify center(s) to connect within RADx-UP program to pilot/evaluate POC testing impact

# **Coordinate Diagnostic Innovation Hub**

Explore opportunity
to set up a Diagnostic
Innovation Hub in
partnership with
other NIH institutes
to accelerate the
research into
innovative testing
technologies (e.g.
NGS) for COVID-19
and future, unknown,
infectious agents



