

BAMRAS-VM, An Internet-Based Virtual Microscopy for Proficiency Testing

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Laboratory Diagnosis by Staining

Microbiological Diagnosis

Culture & Identification

- now organism's name
- •3-5 days

Staining

- observe characteristic
- preliminary report
- may not exactly know organism's name
- •< 1 hour







Smear specimen on slide



Staining





Microscopic exam and reporting



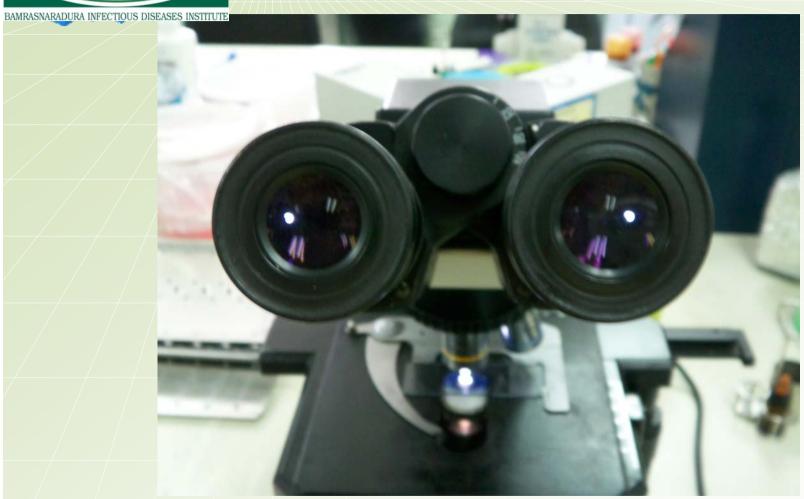




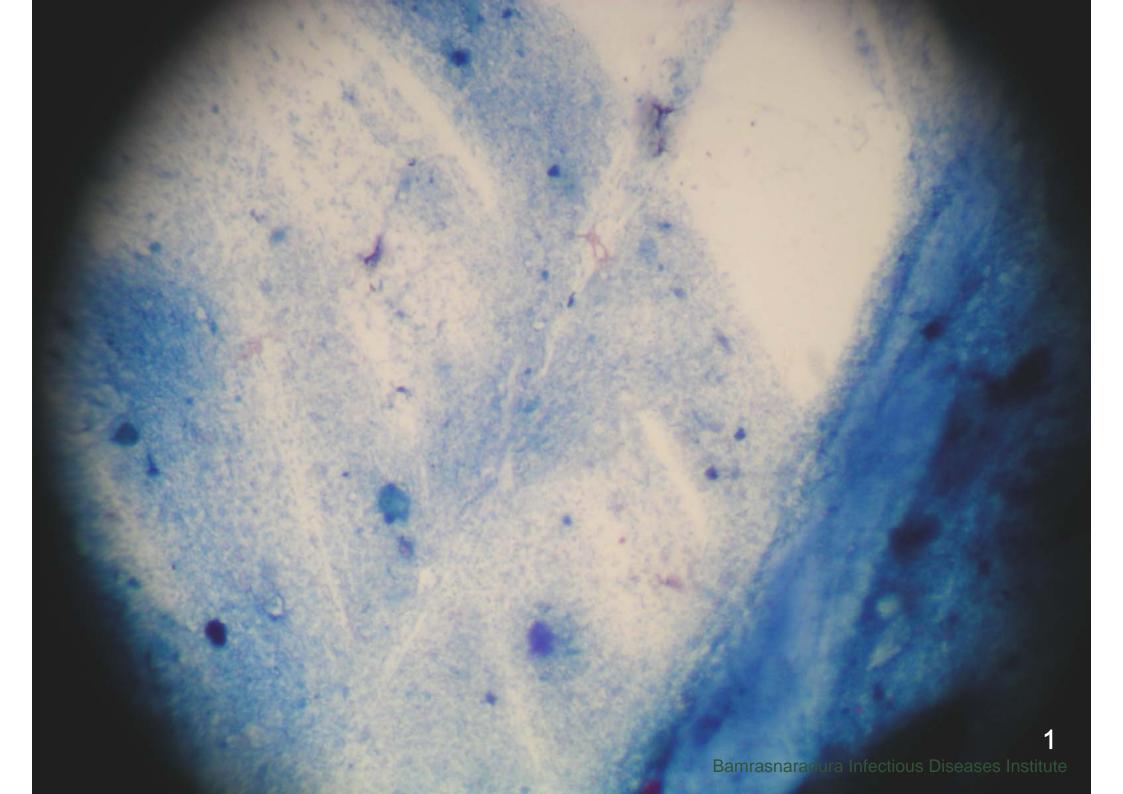
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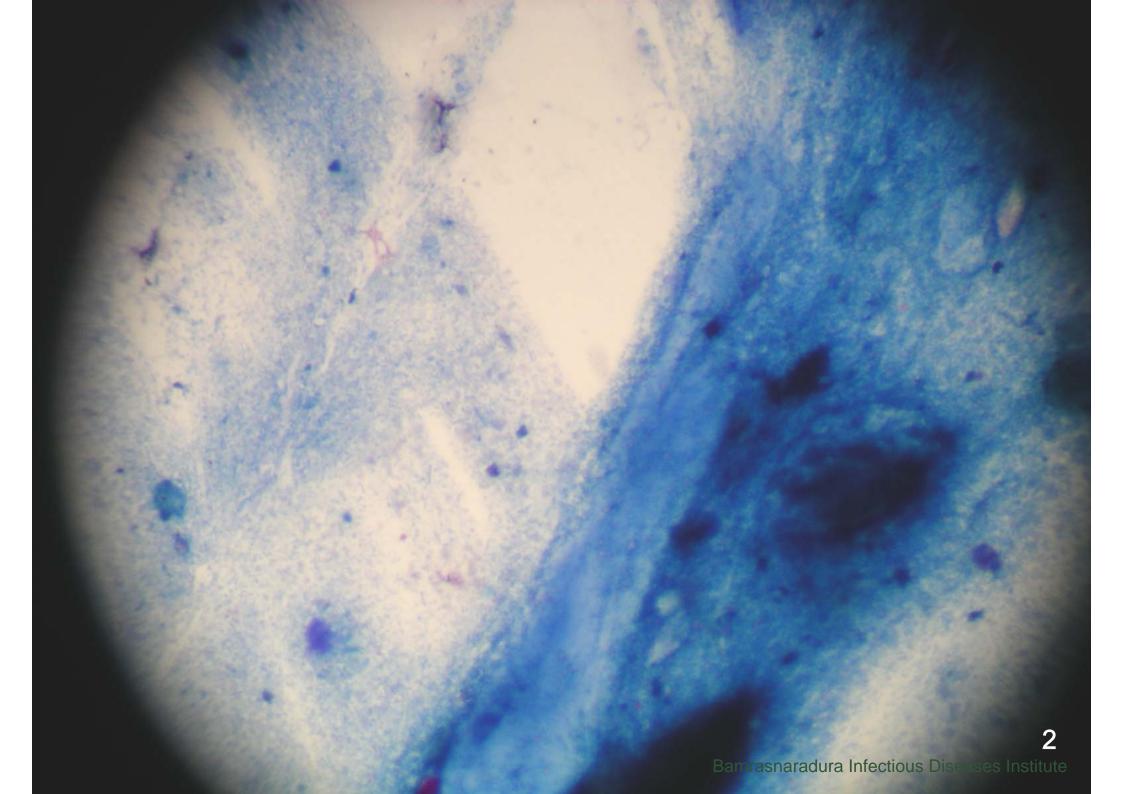


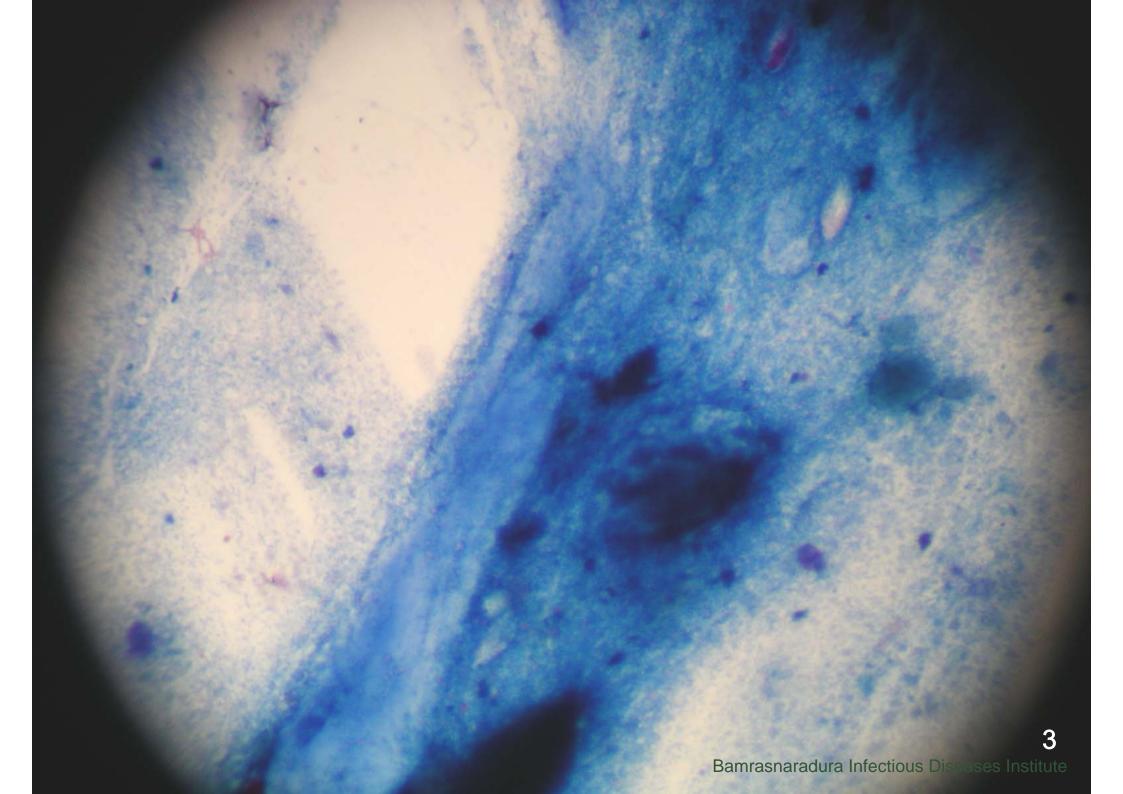


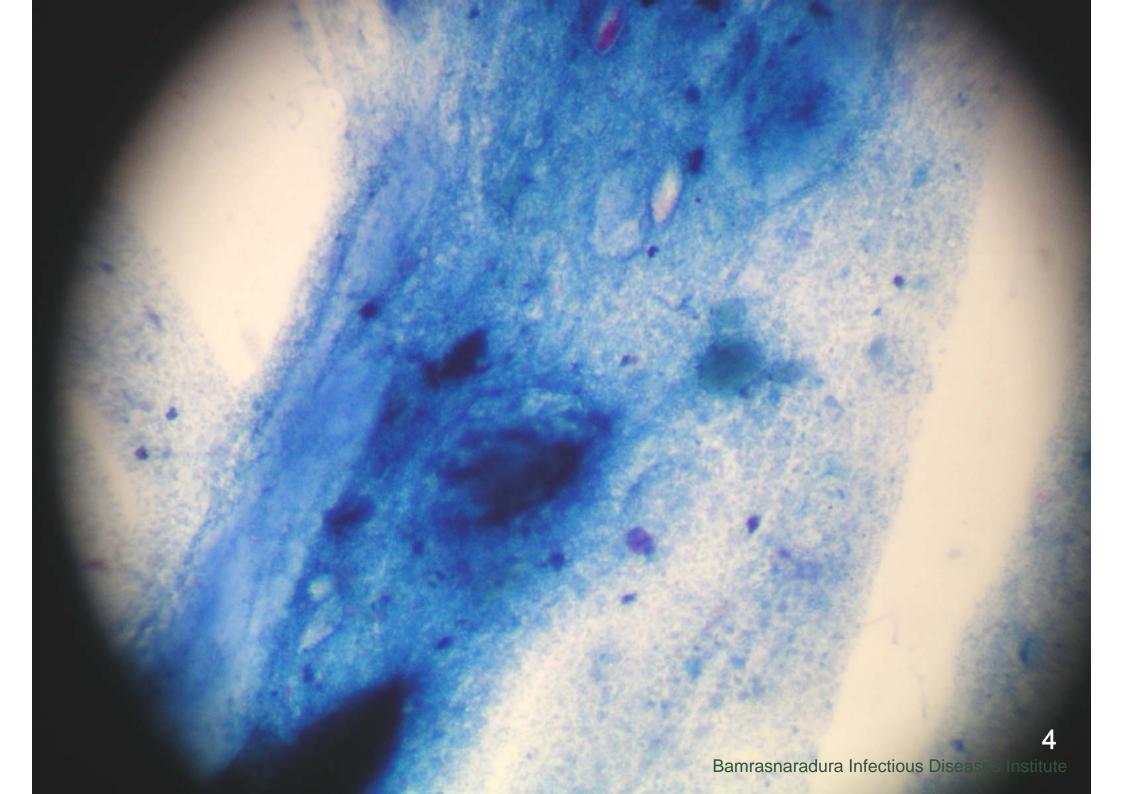


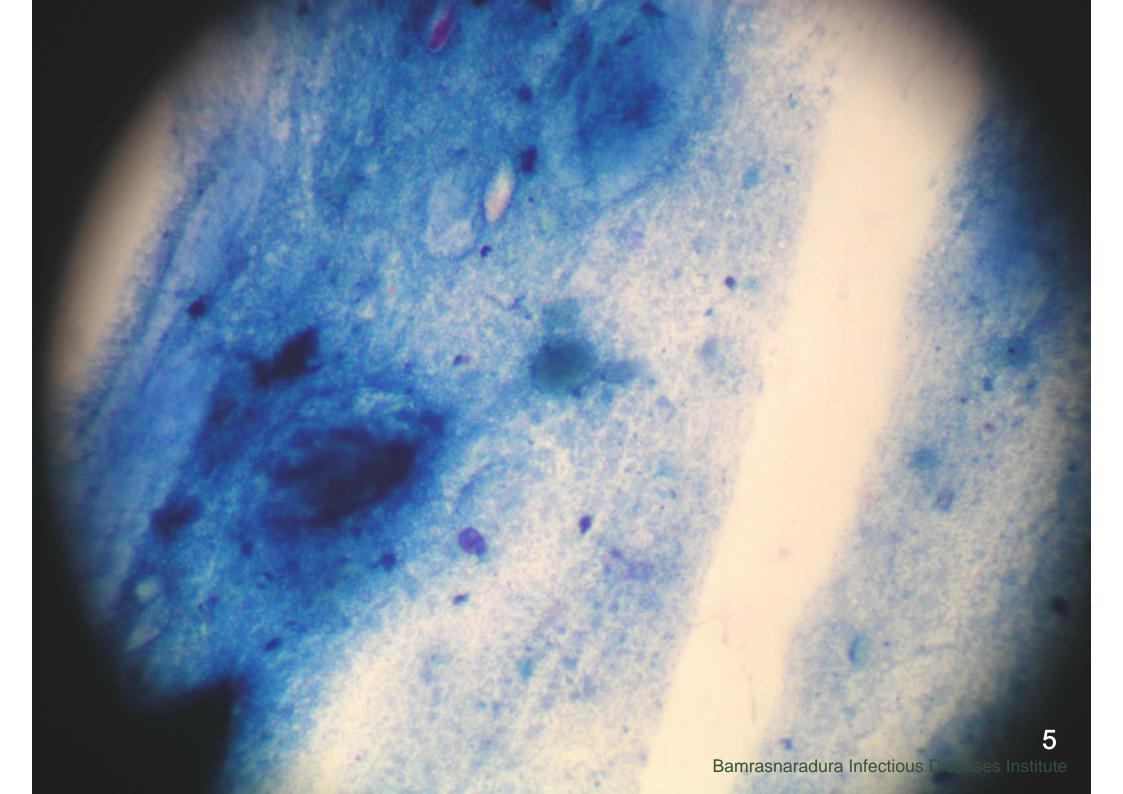
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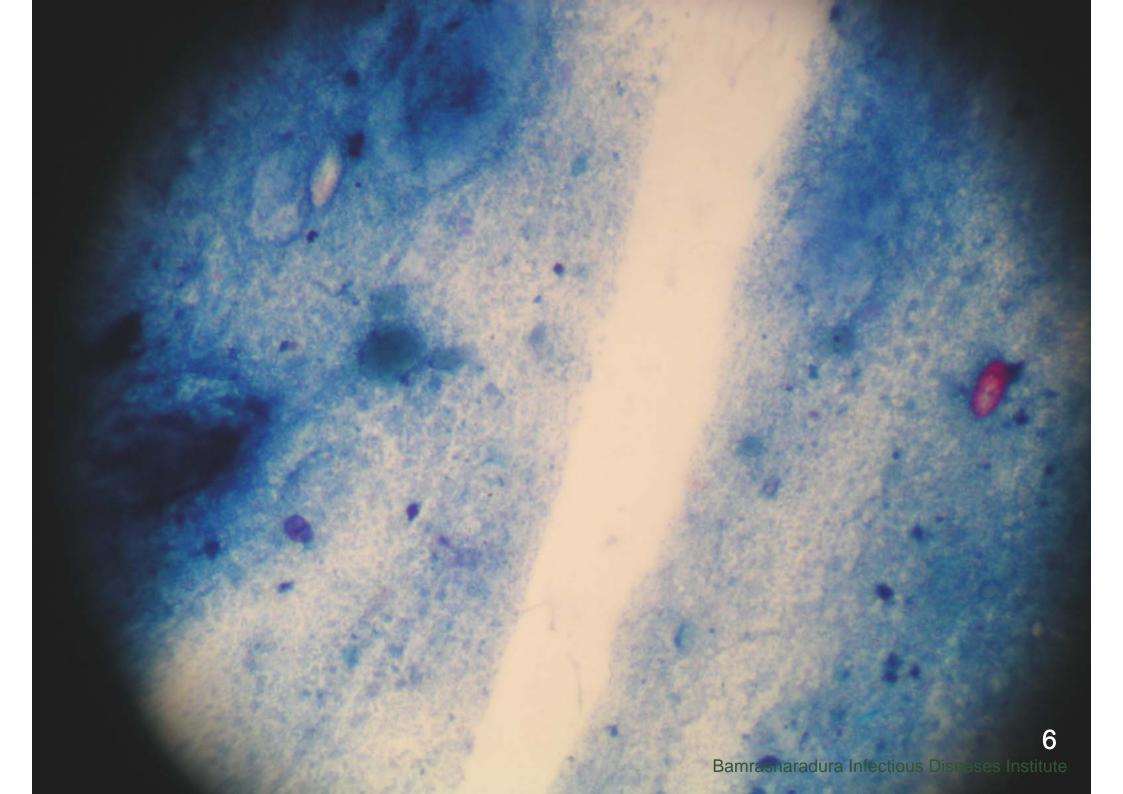


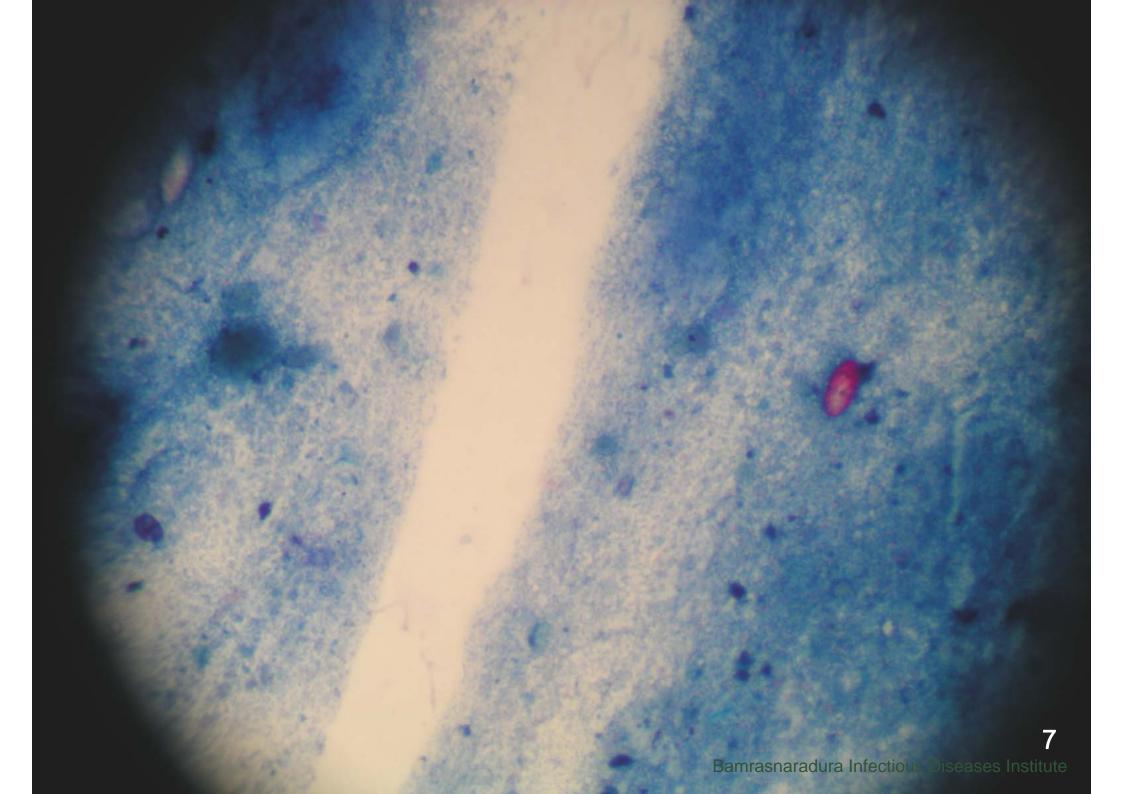


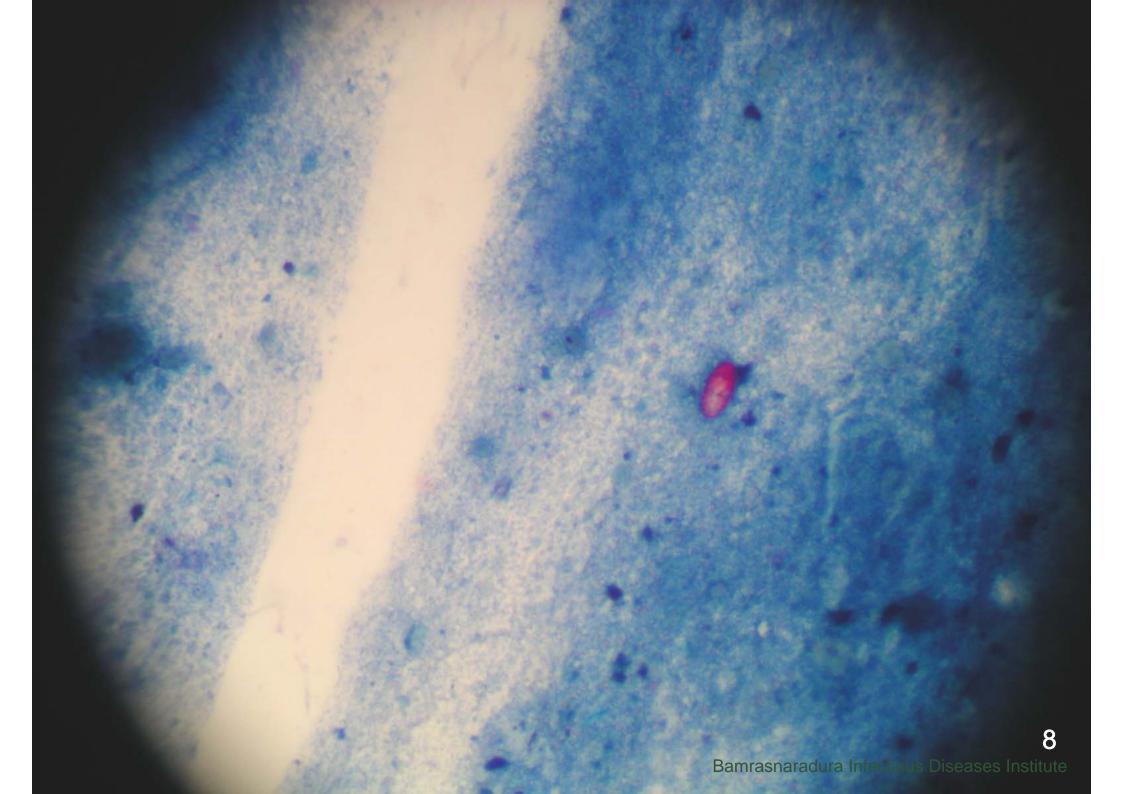




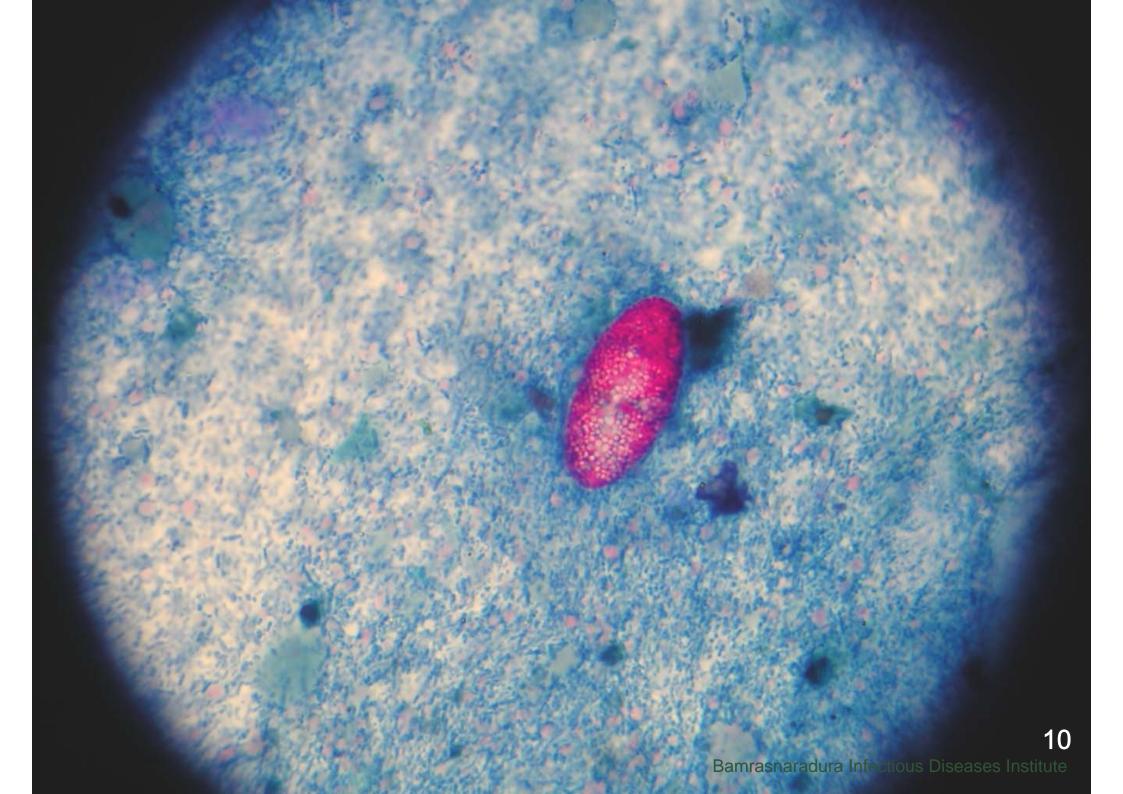












HIV / AIDS patients:

Low immunity

Opportunistic pathogens:

- Can infect in unusual organ
- Multiple infection may occurred

Lab technician:

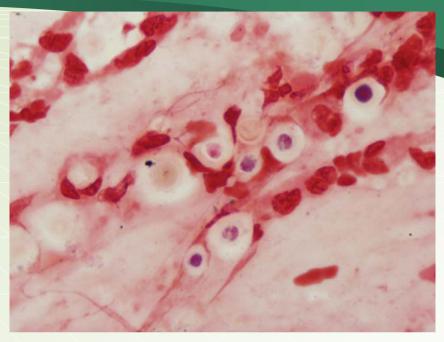
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- ❖ Skill

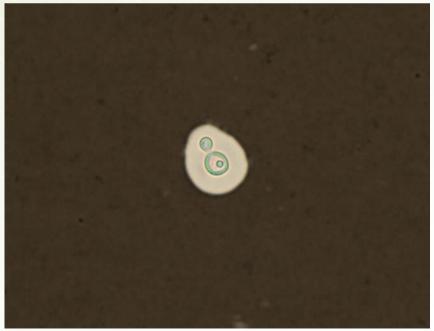




Cryptococcus was detected

Example of problems

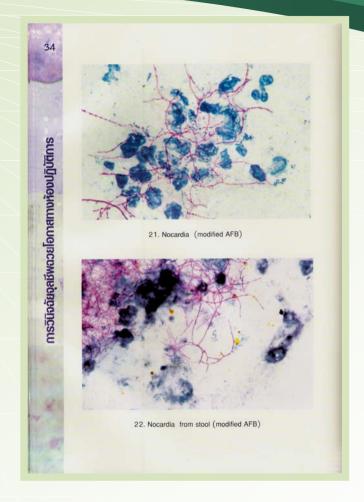




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Bamrasnaradura Infectious Diseases Institute provide training on microscopic diagnosis of Olsafter training – not practice - forget

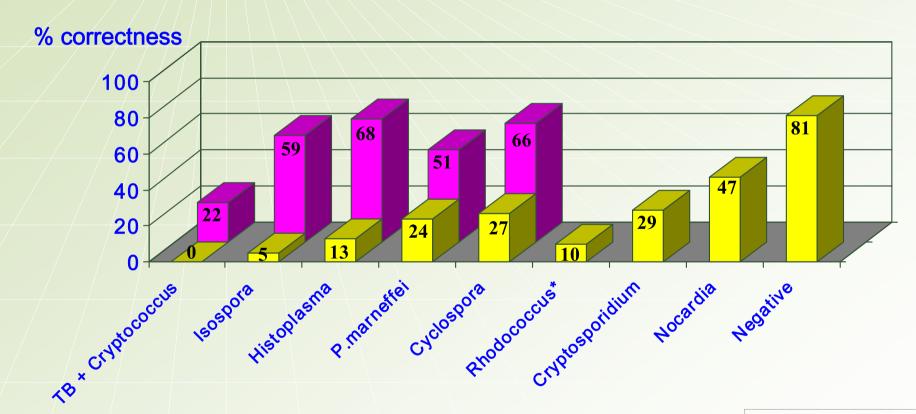


- conducted a Proficiency Testing program on direct microscopic exam of Ols
- unstained slides from specimens sent for staining and reporting





Percent correctness in microscopic exam of Ols





Microscopy still very important **Neglected microscopy?**

- before training
- after training

Advantage of sending slide

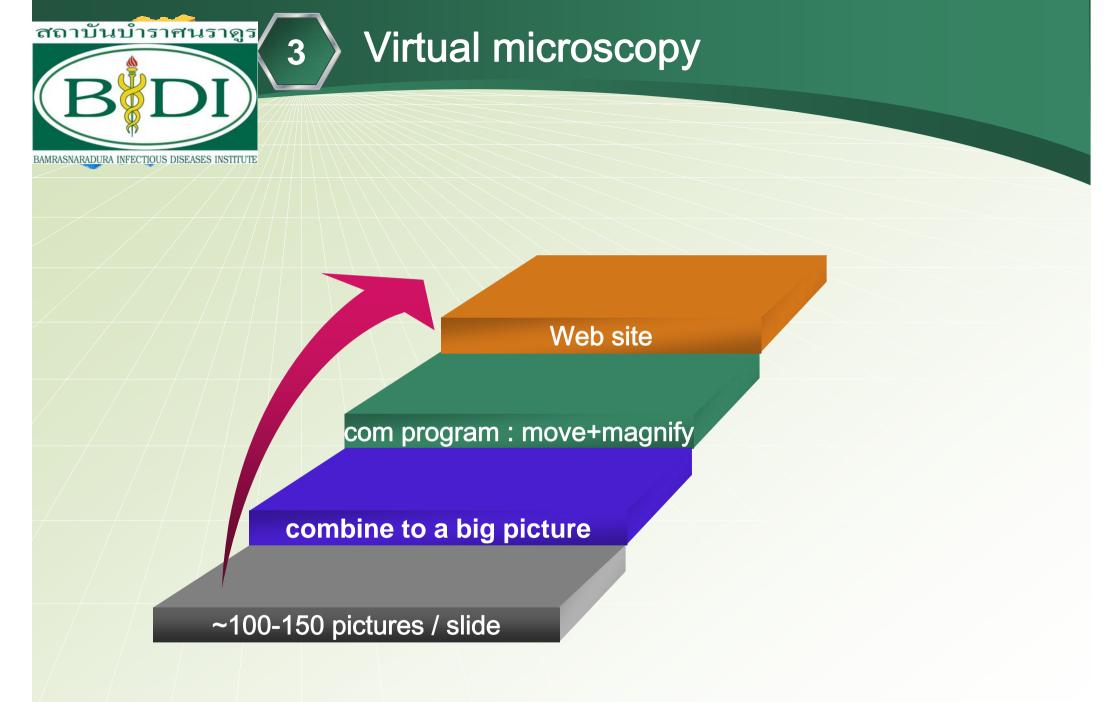
participant can examine from real specimen

Limitation

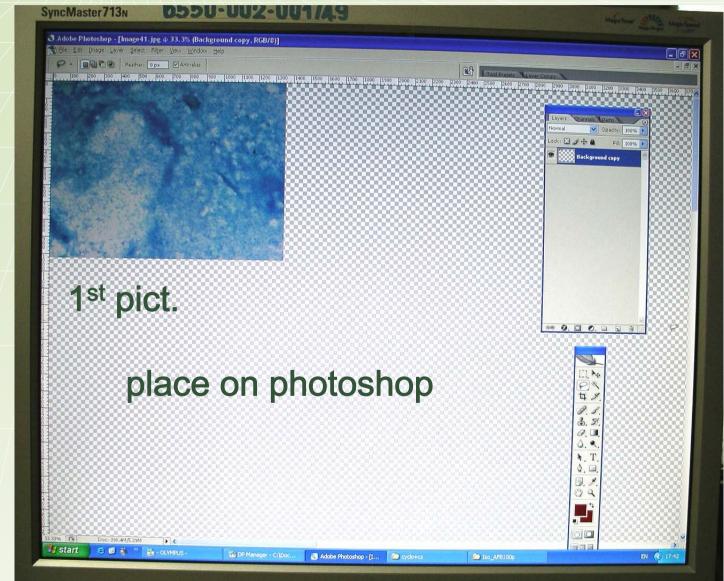
- preparation very difficult
- less specimens
- may not sustain for long

Google Earth

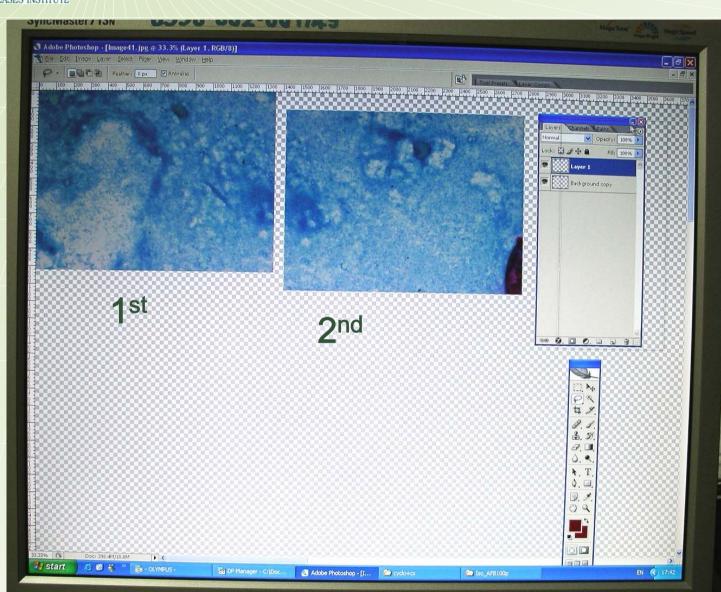
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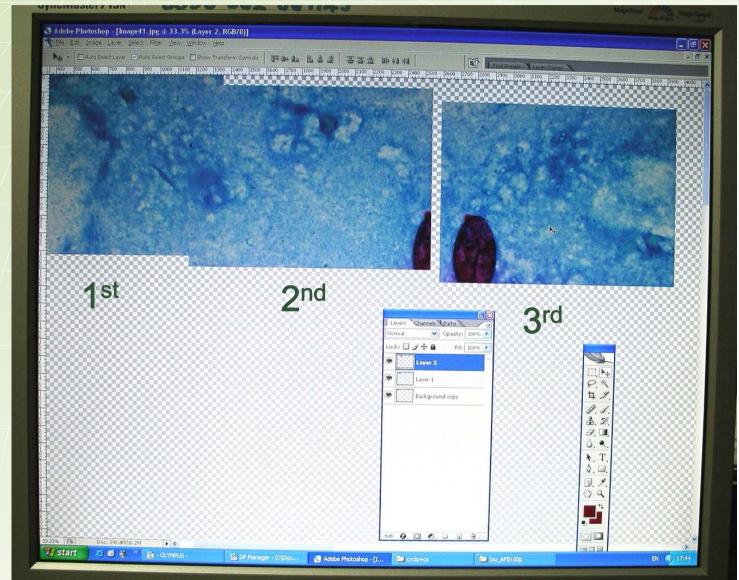




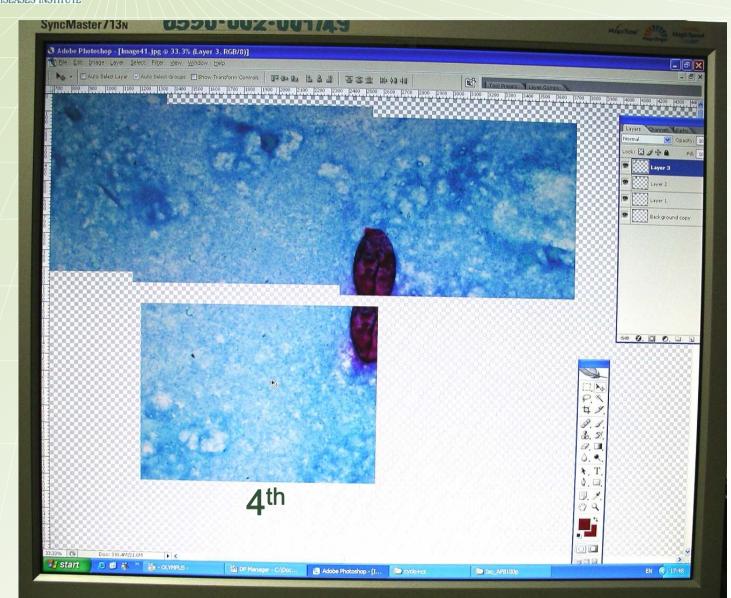


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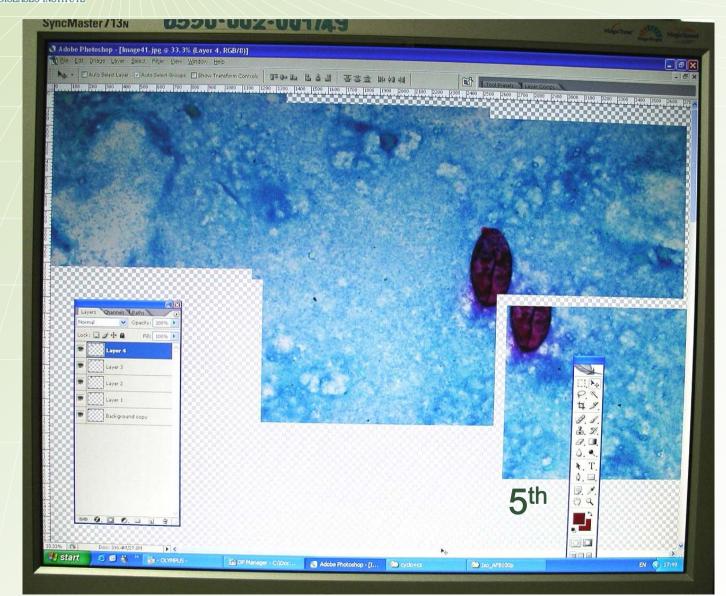




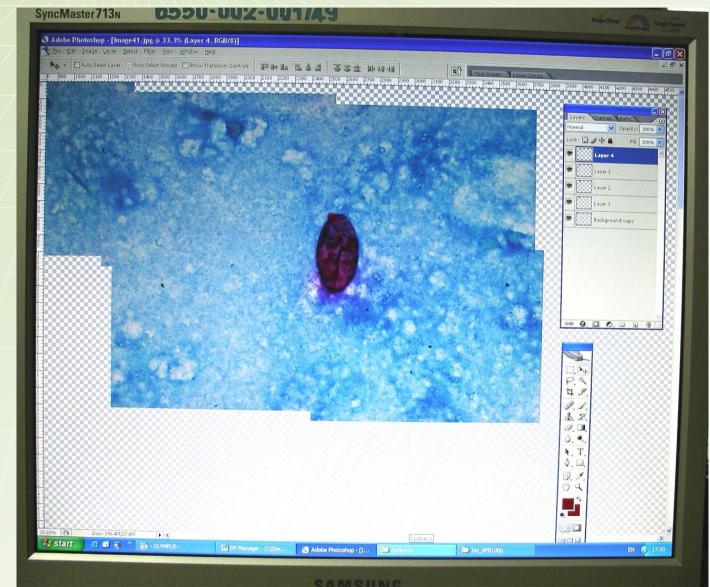


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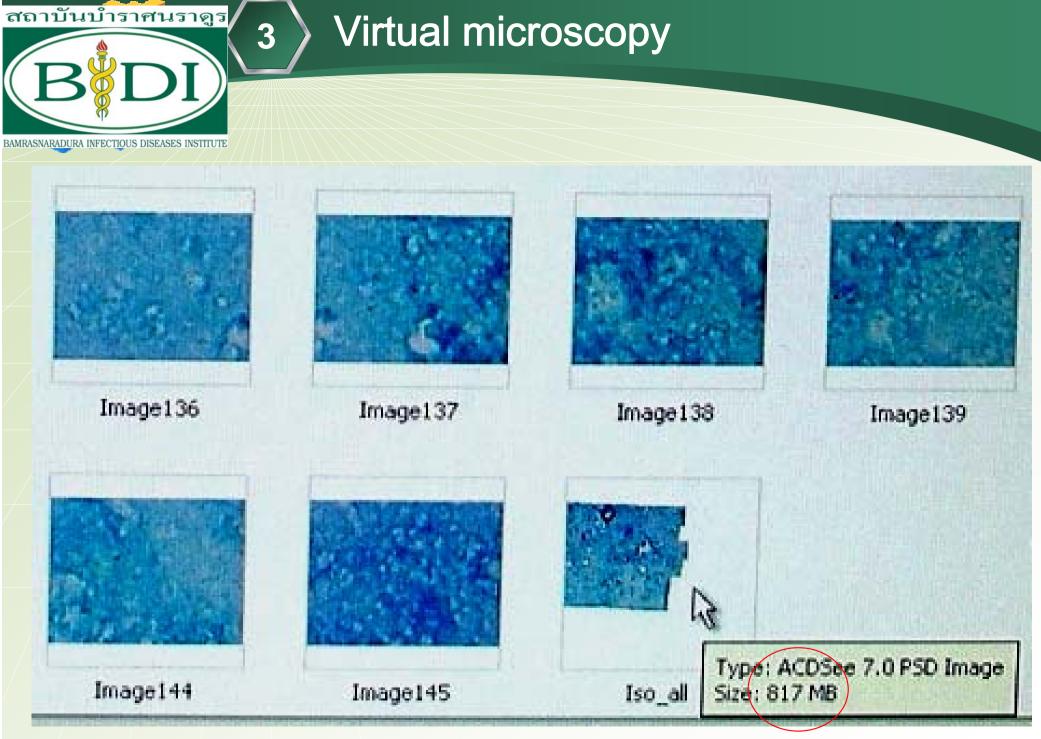


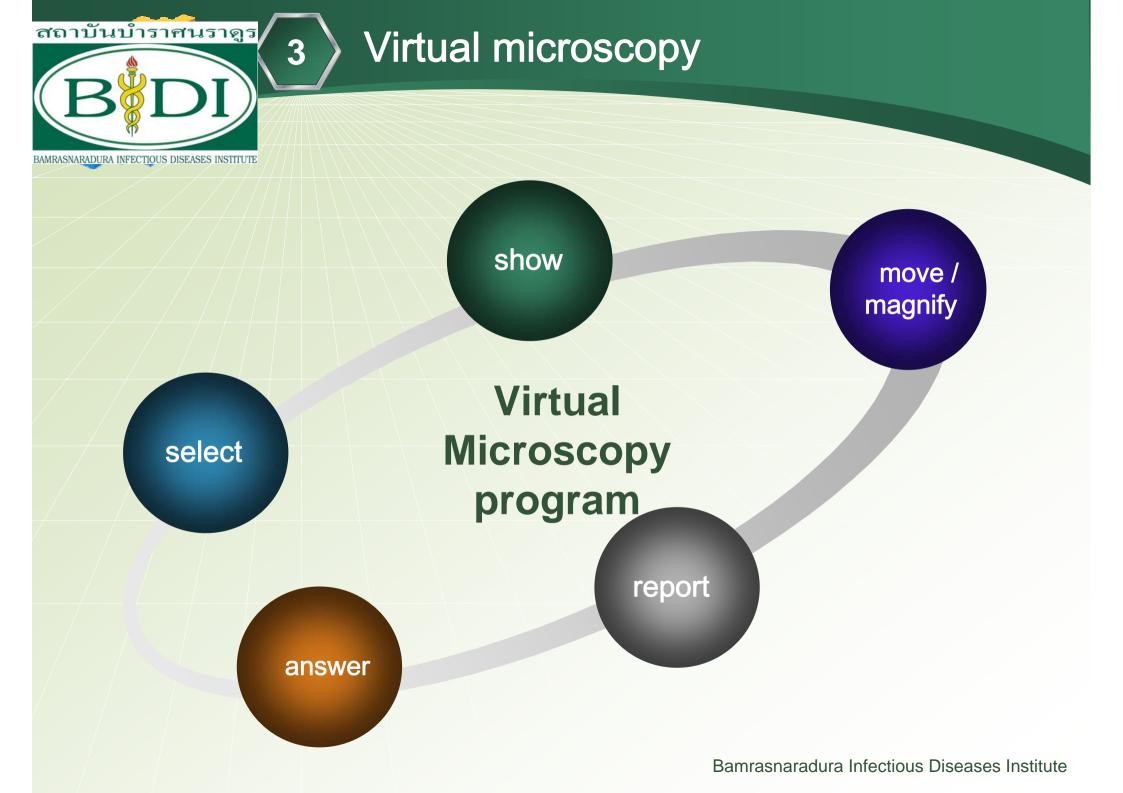


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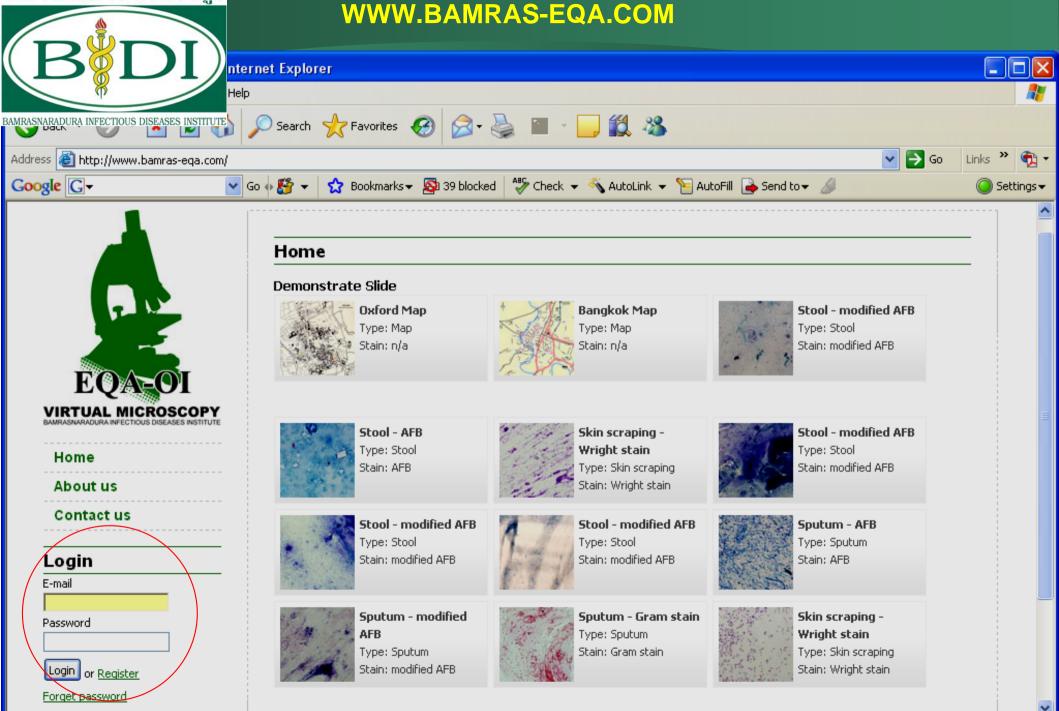
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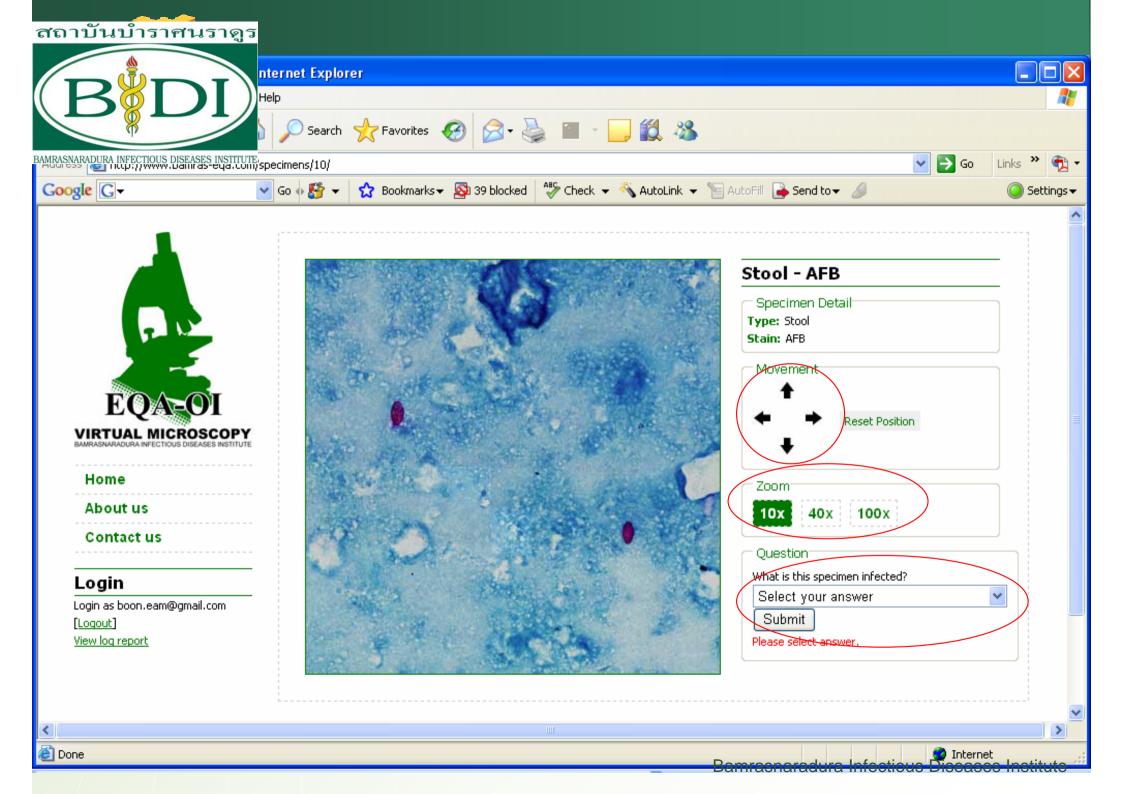
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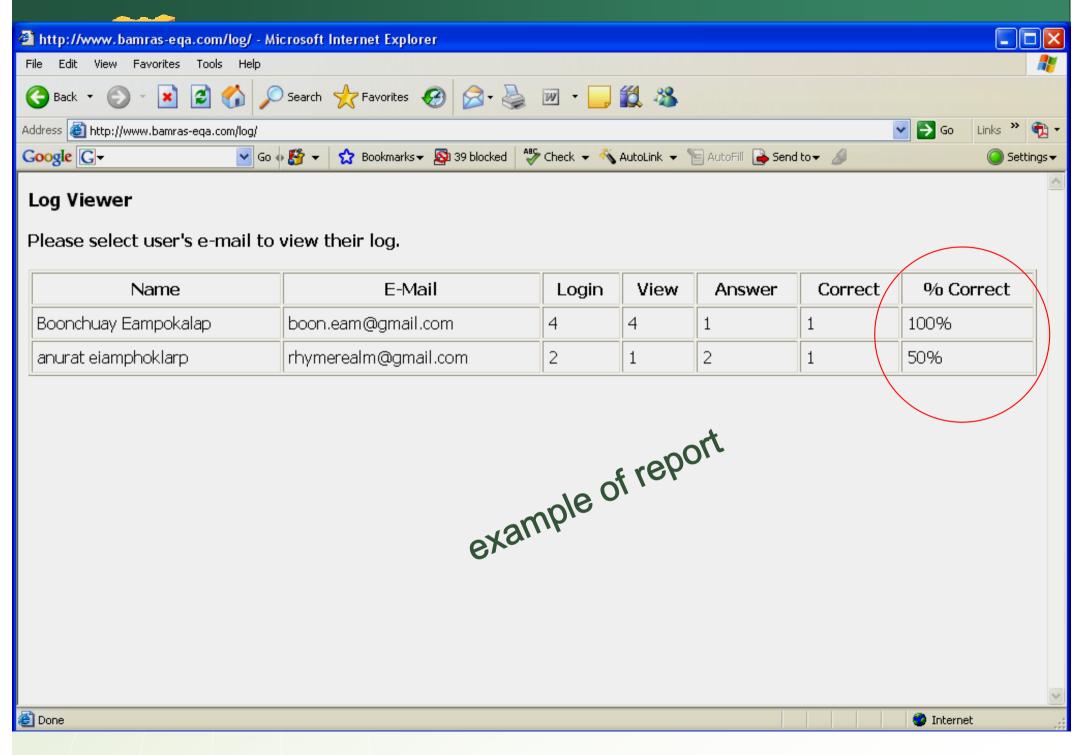


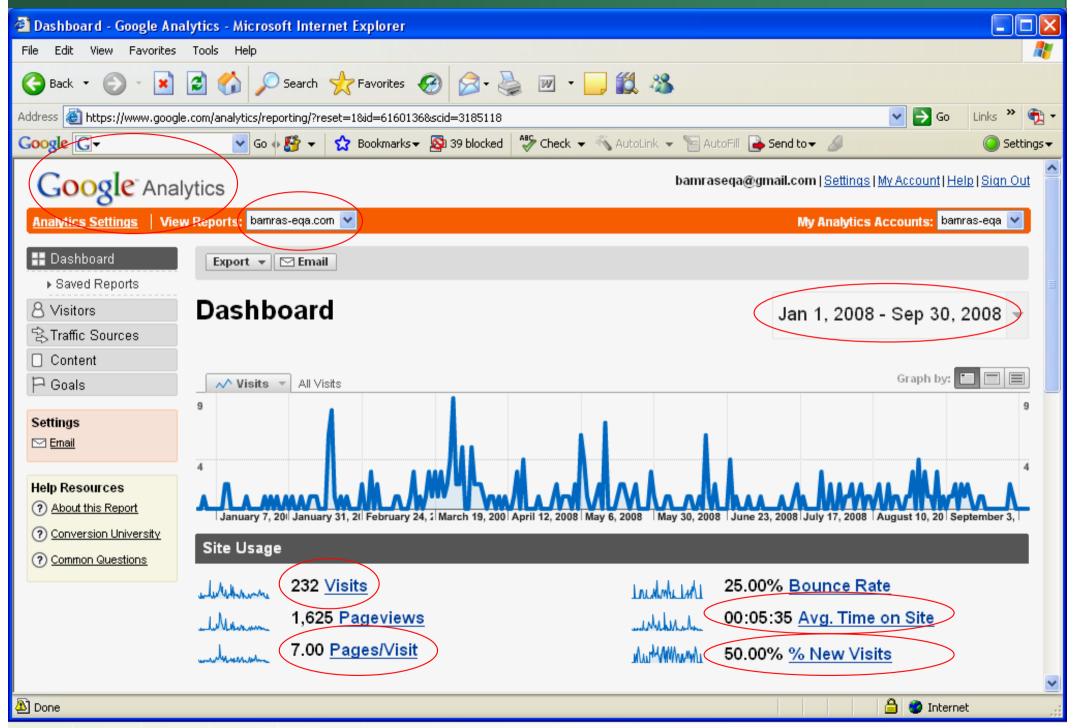
















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