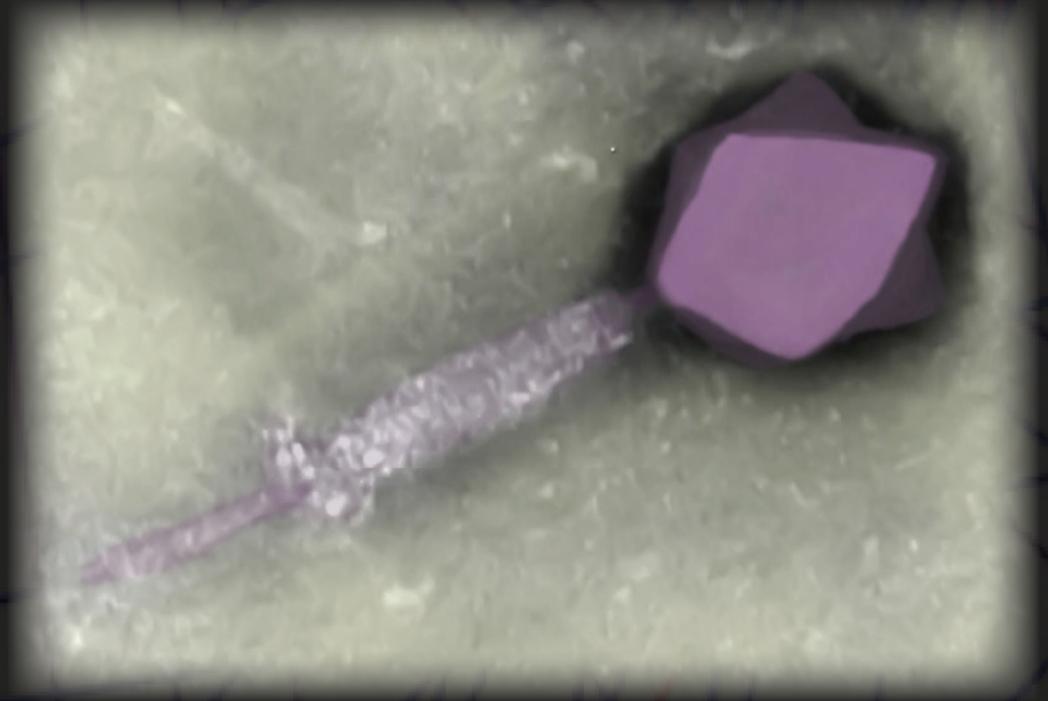


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Bacteriophage, Courtesy of Crystal Scott

BACTERIOPHAGE THERAPY: IS THERE AN ALTERNATIVE TO ANTIBIOTICS?

Bacteriophage therapy is attracting interest in both the American military and civilian research arenas as a potential weapon against drug-resistant bugs and hard-to-treat infections. Phages--viruses that infect bacteria--could soon find a role as a treatment for staph infections, dysentery, bubonic plague, burns, and other open wounds. Join scientists from James Madison University and the Walter Reed Army Institute of Research for a discussion of their current research.

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