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- Number of identified cases nearing 1300
- Number of hemophiliacs still 11
- No infectious agent identified
- Congress has allocated \$40 million to research AIDS
- The only FDA activity since the last update was the March 24, 1983 letter on donor screening requirements. We are complying with all provisions except the lymphadenopathy exam and excluding sexual partners (other than homosexual) of individuals at increased risk for AIDS. We will discuss this with the other manufacturers at the April 24-27 PMA (Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association) meeting.