Ebola: Know the Facts
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Ebola Treatment/Prevention
Medications under investigation:
- ChAd3-ZEBOV and rVSV-ZEBOV: http://www.who.int/medicines/empEbola_qas/en/

Vaccines under investigation:
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Current & Future Outbreaks
Trusted resources for providers:
- http://www.cdc.gov/
- http://www.nih.gov/
- http://www.who.int/en/

Credible resources for patients:
- http://www.nih.gov/


Future Outbreaks
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