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Dr. Steve Reed is Chair of the Board of Advisors for The Lilly TB Drug Discovery Institute. He is the Founder and Scientific Director of the Infectious Disease Research Institute (IDRI). He was also co-founder and Chief Scientific Officer of Corixa Corporation and founder of Dharma Therapeutics, a Seattle biotech developing transdermal delivery systems.

Prior to founding IDRI in 1993, Dr. Reed was at the Seattle Biomedical Research Institute. In 1979 he was appointed Scientist of the National Institute of Amazon Research in Manaus, Brazil, where he directed research on tropical diseases. He later joined Cornell University Medical College as Assistant Professor of Medicine, continuing to work in Brazil as manager of the Cornell-Bahia program in International Medicine.

Dr. Reed's academic appointments include Professor of Medicine at Cornell University Medical College and Research Professor of Pathobiology at the University of Washington. He serves on several editorial review committees and is a member of the Vaccine Development Steering Committee at the World Health Organization. He also has served as a member of the Tropical Medicine Review Board of the National Institutes of Health.

Dr. Reed's research interests have focused on the immunology of intracellular infections, and on the development of vaccines and diagnostics for both cancer and infectious diseases. He has more than 180 original articles, several book chapters, and holds 60 issued patents for diagnostics, vaccines, and therapeutics of infectious diseases and cancer.

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