



FLOSSIE WONG-STAAL

MEDICAL RESEARCHER

In 1983, she co-discovered HIV and in 1985, she became the first person to clone HIV. She is also responsible for the first genetic mapping of the disease, and is currently working on finding a vaccine.

Date of Birth: August 27, 1947

Birthplace: China Notable Awards:

Discover Magazine Top 50 Most Extraordinary Women Scientists

#32 in the Daily Telegraph's "Top 100 Living Geniuses"

Institute for Scientific Information top woman scientist of the past decade (1990)

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