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The topics range from ecology to molecular biology accurately depicting the scope of medical research in these laboratories.

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