Gene Therapy Shows Promise Against HIV

TUESDAY, Nov. 7 (HealthDay News) -- Gene-base therapy may be effective against HIV, US researchers report. An investigational gene-based immunotherapy called VRX496 suggests it can fight the virus, according to a new study.

Jet lag shortens life span of older mice, study says

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By Randy Dotinga, HealthDay via Gannet News Service. If flying to London throws off your body clock for a few days, be happy you're not a rodent. A new study finds that jet lag or irregular sleep affects the life expectancy of older mice.

Hot Air Spells Death for Head Lice

MONDAY, Nov. 6 (HealthDay News) -- A contraption that looks like a cross between a vacuum cleaner and a hair dryer could rescue children from the scourge of head lice, a new study claims.

Maple Leaf recalls meats, fears tampering

WINNIPEG, Manitoba (Reuters) - Maple Leaf Foods, Canada's largest meat processor, recalled meat products on Tuesday after it found a syringe casing sticking out of a ham at its Kitchener, Ontario, plant.