

# What's in a name?

No nation should be stigmatized for identifying and reporting new COVID-19 variants of concern. So, the World Health Organization has put a new naming system in place.

## New VOC names:

B117, identified in the UK, is now known as *Alpha*.

B135, identified in South Africa, is now known as *Beta*.

P1, identified from Brazil, is now known as *Gamma*.

B1617, identified in India, is now known as *Delta*.

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