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Grim Brilliance

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I'd never thought that developing a drug that could counteract the effects of the illness spreading throughout my species could prove to be such a streamlined task. My work would soon be finished and I was thrilled to report my findings back to the government, but before I could, there came an almighty roar from the door to my right. I pushed my way in, and to my horror, coming to life before me was a massive, hulking life form waking from suspended animation. Frantically I filed through the documents on the nearby console, and a chill raced through me when I found one that revealed it to be none other than a weapon designed to decimate huge populations, huge in size yet totally encapsulated inside the facility. Was this what the government's true intentions really were?

