Special Issue

Molecular Detection and Typing of Viruses

Message from the Guest Editor

Molecular biology has revolutionized virology in several aspects. Due to the limitations of viral culture, antigen detection, and serology, the molecular detection of viral nucleic acids has become the method of choice for the diagnosis of viral infections in many circumstances. Molecular epidemiology of viruses has led to a better understanding of their phylogenetic relationships, which has led to changes in the taxonomy of several virus families. The recent development of rapid molecular techniques enhances the impact on viral diagnostics for patient management. Next generation sequencing is now entering clinical laboratories to permit the diagnosis of a previously unachieved large spectrum of viruses. This Special Issue on "Molecular detection and typing of viruses" will include manuscripts on recent advancements in molecular biological techniques in the field of virology. Papers aiming to improve our understanding of epidemiology, diagnosis, and management of viral infections are welcome. Original research and reviews on these and related topics are invited.

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