Special Issue

SARS-CoV-2 and HIV: Current Perspectives and Challenges

Message from the Guest Editors

The aim of this Special Issue is to better describe the clinical course of COVID-19, the innate and acquired immune response to SARS-CoV-2 infection and the humoral response to COVID-19 vaccination in HIV-positive patients, compared to HIV-negative controls. Articles that describe aspects of SARS-CoV-2 specific immune response following natural infection and the available vaccines in HIV-positive patients are particularly sought. The manuscripts included in this Special Issue should provide a larger and more detailed overview of the magnitude, functionality, and durability of the immune responses to SARS-CoV-2 infection, as well as inform strategies of targeted therapeutic interventions and vaccine schedules, in HIV-infected individuals.

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