Special Issue

Advances in Hepatitis E Virus (HEV)

Message from the Guest Editor

The diverse forms acquired by Hepatitis E Virus (HEV) to infect humans make it a pathogen of global relevance. HEV commonly causes self-limiting hepatitis but occasionally leads to fulminant liver failure and, in immunosuppression, chronic HEV infection. The virus is mainly transmitted via the fecal-oral route; the zoonotic potential of HEV is broadly recognized, and, it is also considered a foodborne pathogen. This Special Issue of *Pathogens* collects research articles, comprehensive reviews, and short communications in line with the most recent advances in the study of HEV. I am looking forward to your valuable involvement in this interesting Issue.

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