



Vaccines for Chicken

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Message from the Guest Editors

Vaccines are the most efficient tool for preventing and controlling chicken diseases, and great progress on this front has been achieved in recent decades. The application of various kinds of vaccines, such as inactivated, live-attenuated, subunit, and combined vaccines, has significantly reduced economic losses in the poultry industry. Novel technologies, such as reverse genomic technology and new efficient adjuvants, have been devoted to chicken vaccine development to further improve vaccine efficacy and construct combined vaccines.

All research articles, communications, reviews, and case reports on vaccine development or optimization are welcome for this Special Issue. In addition, diagnostic methods for antibodies or antigens, animal models for emerging diseases, characterization of novel viruses, and other relevant studies will be considered.





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Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Vaccines (ISSN 2076-393X), founded in 2013, now has a firm history of publishing peer-reviewed, state-of-the-art research papers on vaccines and vaccination in the broadest sense. Areas covered include, but are not limited to, novel and emerging vaccine technologies, building on in-depth knowledge of what constitutes a protective immune response. These can be new vaccines for old diseases, or old vaccines for new diseases. Vaccines against cancer and autoimmune diseases explicitly are also within the scope of the journal. Because public opinion and even government policies towards vaccines and vaccination have changed, vaccine policy and public health issues are major concerns. Climate change will also have an impact on the spread of infectious diseases, and thus also on vaccine and vaccination policies worldwide.

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