

Special Issue

Vaccines against Infectious Pathogens

Message from the Guest Editors

As we know, every region of the world has become increasingly interconnected. While it is beneficial, this increased interconnectivity has also led to a higher probability of disseminating infectious agents across different parts of the globe. Keeping track of infectious diseases from any particular region through reliable reporting would help in planning and preparation for future outbreaks. Immunization through appropriate vaccines remains one of the best approaches to tackle the spread of communicable infectious agents and help mitigate the disease burden. With these issues in mind, we are turning our attention and focus to all the “under-reported regions” of the globe, and encourage and welcome submissions of manuscripts on the following aspects:

- Perspectives and reviews on human, veterinary and zoonotic diseases that have a high propensity to cause major outbreaks.
- Case reports of regional emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases.
- Regional vaccine efficacy studies.
- Regional vaccine-related issues.
- Development and improvement of current vaccines.

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About the Journal

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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