Special Issue

Maternal and Infant Vaccines

Message from the Guest Editors

Pregnancy and infancy are periods of increased vulnerability to infection. Vaccinating women during pregnancy has been shown to be effective in protecting against infections, while also providing protection for the fetus and the infant during early life. Vaccinating infants can be effective in protecting them from infections. This Special Issue on 'Maternal and Infant Vaccines' aims to collect recent evidence on vaccines administered to pregnant women and babies in the first year of life. We are pleased to invite you to submit manuscripts to this Special Issue related to the following themes:

- Uptake, safety and effectiveness of current vaccines;
- Immunogenicity of vaccines;
- Potential future vaccines that are currently undergoing clinical trials.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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