

Special Issue

Novel Vaccine Approaches for Emerging RNA Viruses

Message from the Guest Editor

Emerging RNA viruses continue to pose a unique threat to global human health. This special issue seeks manuscripts that evaluate new approaches to develop vaccine technology in the field of emerging RNA viruses. These approaches can include basic proof-of-concept approaches for vaccine development, novel adjuvant approaches, immunology of vaccine approaches, and translational efforts to evaluate immunogenicity and efficacy of a vaccine approach for emerging RNA viruses. We are particularly interested in manuscripts that evaluate novel platforms for rapid vaccine development. A continued and persistent effort to develop novel vaccine candidates and approaches for a variety of RNA viruses will provide an important pipeline of data as new RNA viruses emerge and threaten global human health in the future.

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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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