

## Special Issue

# Multiple Sclerosis, Complications and Therapeutics 2.0

### Message from the Guest Editors

For improved MS treatments it is relatively weak as compared to other CNS disorders, although there are a number of different drug classes in development including;

- Monoclonal Antibodies - to block destructive immune cells entering brain and spinal cord
- Immunosuppressant's - suppress immune system and prevent myelin damage
- Potassium channel blockers - improve the conduction of demyelinated fibers
- Protein growth factors - to limit demyelination and oligodendrocyte injury
- Immunotherapy / Vaccines - to switch immune response to protect neurons and prevent demyelination

This special issue is now open and is seeking research papers and reviews on MS therapeutics from animal models to human clinical studies, and MS complications and side effects of certain therapeutics.

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### Guest Editors

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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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