

## Special Issue

# Strategies to Increase the Uptake and Delivery of HPV Vaccination in LMICs

### Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue (SI) of *Vaccines* will focus on strategies to increase the uptake and delivery of HPV vaccinations in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs). It will address both the challenges of introducing the vaccine and the more complex task of integrating vaccination into routine health services. Contributions are encouraged that highlight innovative approaches to scaling up vaccination, discuss cost considerations, and explore sustainability while also addressing the factors that drive adoption and long-term integration. The SI will also examine the emerging use of various platforms for raising vaccine awareness and provide evidence-informed pathways to introduce the HPV vaccine, aiming to achieve a sustained public health impact. Original research articles and reviews are welcome. I look forward to receiving your contributions.

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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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