

Topical Collection

Parvoviridae

Message from the Collection Editor

Viruses in the *Parvoviridae* family constitute a most diverse group and an ever-intriguing field of research. While all share an ssDNA genome and small dimensions, they can differ widely in structure, genome organization and expression, virus–cell interactions, host range, and impacts on hosts. Within the family, some viruses are human and veterinary pathogens; other viruses have long been studied and engineered as tools for oncolytic therapy, or as sophisticated gene delivery vectors, and can now display their wide and expanding applicative potential. This Topical Collection on ‘Parvoviridae’ continues the series of collections dedicated to viruses belonging to the *Parvoviridae* family. Evolution, structural biology, viral replication, virus–host interaction, pathogenesis and immunity, gene therapy, and viral oncotherapy are all topics of relevance to the community involved in parvovirus research and of interest to wider audiences, studies of which may be contributed to this collection.

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