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Viral Hepatitis in Latin America and the Caribbean

Message from the Guest Editors

Viral hepatitis is a major global concern, as it contributes to the toll of deaths from infectious diseases and cancer worldwide. The five main types of hepatitis (A, B, C, D, and E) vary in terms of their transmission routes, geographic distributions, and clinical outcomes. In the context of Latin America and the Caribbean, these infections have great public health relevance but scarce and limited data. To shed light on and provide new information about viral hepatitis in the context of Latin America and the Caribbean, new studies are required in order to provide data relevant to this highly diverse region. With this objective in mind, this Special Issue of *Viruses* will address the following topics: 1) genetic variations in viral hepatitis, which may aid us in understanding the diverse types of response (clinical outcomes, treatments, immunological factors); 2) general epidemiological studies and those focusing on key populations; and 3) new diagnostic procedures that will aid in the elimination of these viruses.

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