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Vaccination Coverage, Efficacy and Attitude in Targeted Risk Groups

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Dear Colleagues,

We are soliciting articles for a Special Issue of MDPI *Vaccines*, which is entitled “Vaccination coverage, efficacy and attitude in targeted risk groups”.

Vaccination, if available, has proven to be the most effective way of preventing and reducing the burden of many infectious diseases. However, two of the current biggest challenges in the field of vaccinology are the upcoming trend of vaccine hesitancy and the decreased efficacy in risk groups. In fact, if we are able to produce effective and safe vaccines but their uptake is low, the desired effect will not be achieved. Furthermore, vaccines effective in healthy adults could have a decreased effect in the immunocompromised and elderly.

An improved understanding of drivers of vaccine uptake and efficacy will enhance targeted interventions. In addition, due to the high heterogeneity of risk groups in general, one could learn a lot about the efficacy of interventions to increase vaccination uptake and efficacy.



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