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# Vaccination into the Dermal Compartment: Techniques, Challenges, and Prospects

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# **Message from the Guest Editors**

Dear Colleagues,

Vaccination into the dermal compartment is an attractive delivery route due to the rich populations of immune cells in this tissue space. It is possible to use less vaccine and induce an effective immune response that is similar or even enhanced compared to intramuscular delivery using larger doses. Despite the benefits of intradermal vaccination, challenges remain. This Special Issue aims to address the various benefits and challenges when employing intradermal vaccine delivery in order to inform the development of vaccination regimens and health and policy decisions to implement vaccination campaigns.

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- Intradermal vaccination regimens, injection techniques, physical delivery methods (needle and syringe, electroporation, jet injection, microneedles, etc.), comparison to other routes of injection
- Development of new intradermal vaccination technologies
- Public health and policy issues, including mass vaccination campaign planning and deployment, and costs analyses of different intradermal vaccination techniques



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