



Parasitic Diseases and Immune Response

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Parasitic diseases are a major public health problem, particularly in low/middle income countries where a high level of poverty exacerbates their transmission. The lack of treatment or effective policies to sustainably deliver and ensure the correct use of effective therapies by the populations at risk represent majors pitfall for the control of parasitic diseases. In this Special Issue focusing on parasitic diseases and immune response, we encourage the contribution of original research, reports, or review papers to emphasize the immunological mechanisms involved during host infection and the pathways by which parasites escape the immune system or induce immune tolerance. Immunological research that advances vaccine strategies or helps to improve chemotherapies against parasites and disease diagnostics are also welcomed. Furthermore, as most parasitic diseases are endemic with infection being chronic within the population, the impact of other co-infections and protection tools (mass drug administration, vectors control, etc.) on the immuno-epidemiology of parasitic diseases will be an interest of this Special Issue.





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