

## Review of: "[Short Communication] Immunology of a Morbillivirus: Measles 1954 to 2023"

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The manuscript provides a comprehensive overview of Measles, caused by Measles Morbillivirus, and thoroughly examines its immunological characteristics. Despite this, the authors are encouraged to enhance the manuscript by considering the following comments.

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| Abstract  | Abstract should contain information on the Background Methodology, Results, and conclusion. So, authors should improvise it accordingly, as the abstract contains information only regarding to Background  |
| Introduction  | <ol> <li>'The first cloning of a full-length infectious measles virion occurred around 1995 in Zurich, at the Pasteur Institute, routinely utilized commercially in preparations as an attenuated vaccine under approval by a variety of organizations'- Add reference</li> <li>How this review is novel and significant or dissimilar from the existing reports. So authors should mention the gap of knowledge and significance of this study, in the Introduction section</li> </ol> |
| History of Measles  | 'Previously, 24 known genotypes had been sequenced. Indeed, in 2018, the MeV genotypes in global circulation decreased to 4 in 2018'-  1. What is the meaning of history of measles? Is it about the disease or the virus. Rectify it.  2. Add reference  |
| Development of<br>Measles Research                                | <ol> <li>Give an appropriate heading</li> <li>The paragraph is not clear. Rewrite it.</li> </ol>  |
| Measles Receptor-<br>Mediated Infection                           | 'It is considered through research that MeV infects white blood cells (WBCs) called lymphocytes expressing a second receptor (CD150) known as a signalling lymphocyte activation molecule family member 1 (SLAMF1) utilising nectin-4 as a host cell receptor, with these specifically expressed on certain subtypes of cells including DCs'-  1. Sentence meaning is not clear  2. The author may provide a figure explaining the receptor-mediated infection                          |
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