Ability of TLR agonists to upregulate Brucella abortus strain RB51 mediated protection in a murine respiratory model

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Brucella abortus is a Gram-negative intracellular zoonotic bacterium that causes infertility and abortion in cattle, and undulant fever in humans. Its low dose of infectivity, ability to be aerosolized, and ease of genetic modification, makes it a bioterror concern. The overall goal is to generate a safe and effective vaccine for humans. One candidate vaccine is...