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Choosing and designing proper adjuvants for specific targets

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- Clinical trials results for synthetic cancer vaccines
- Glycoengineering of cell surface carbohydrates and its anticancer applications
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