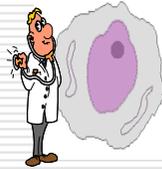


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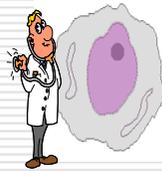
**Table 1.** *The Revised Billingham Criteria for the Development of GVHD, with Revision for Homing*

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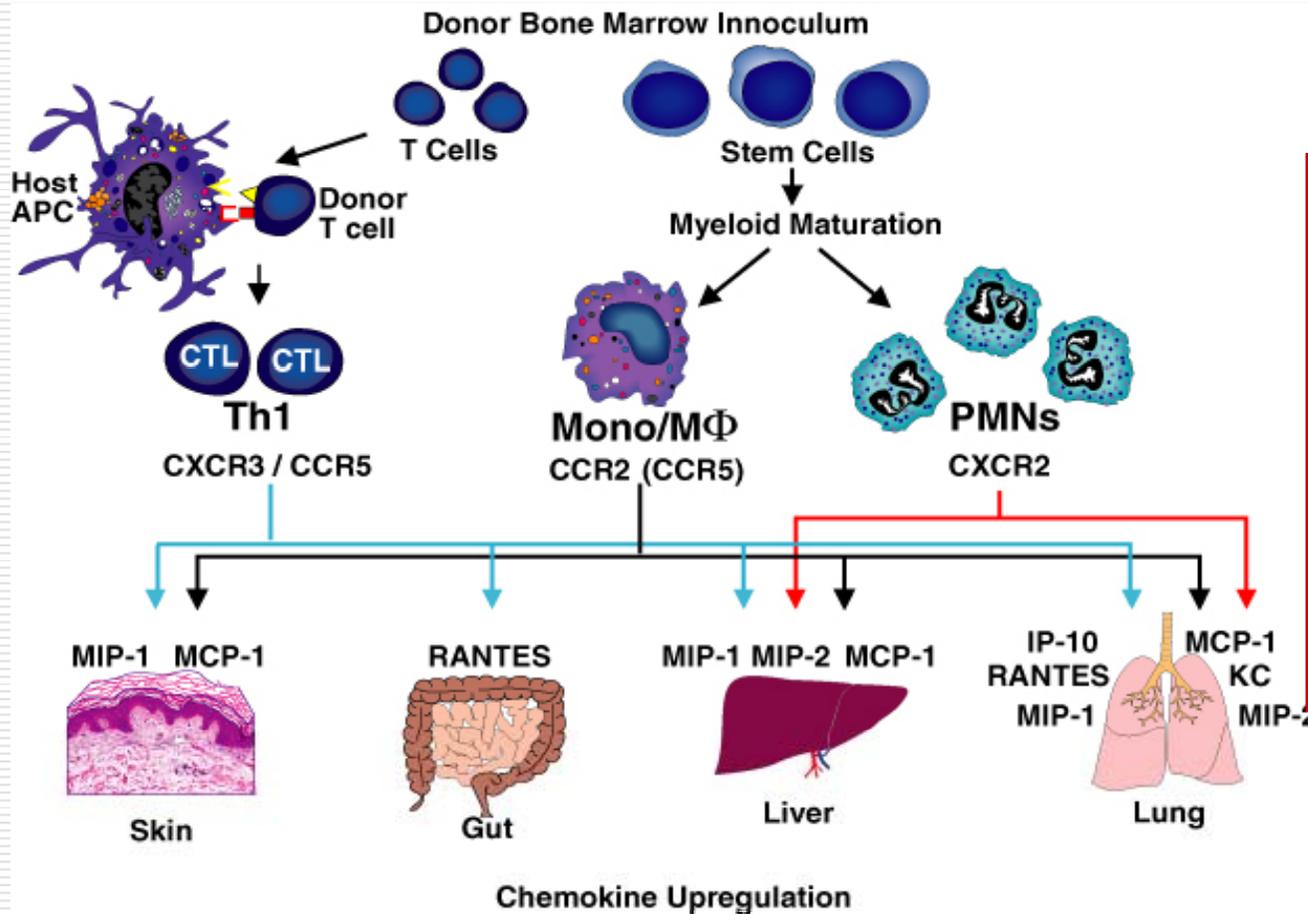
- (1) The host must be incapable of rejecting the graft**
  - (2) The graft must contain immunocompetent cells**
  - (3) There must be incompatibilities in transplantation antigens between donor and host**
  - (4) The effector cells must migrate to the target tissues**
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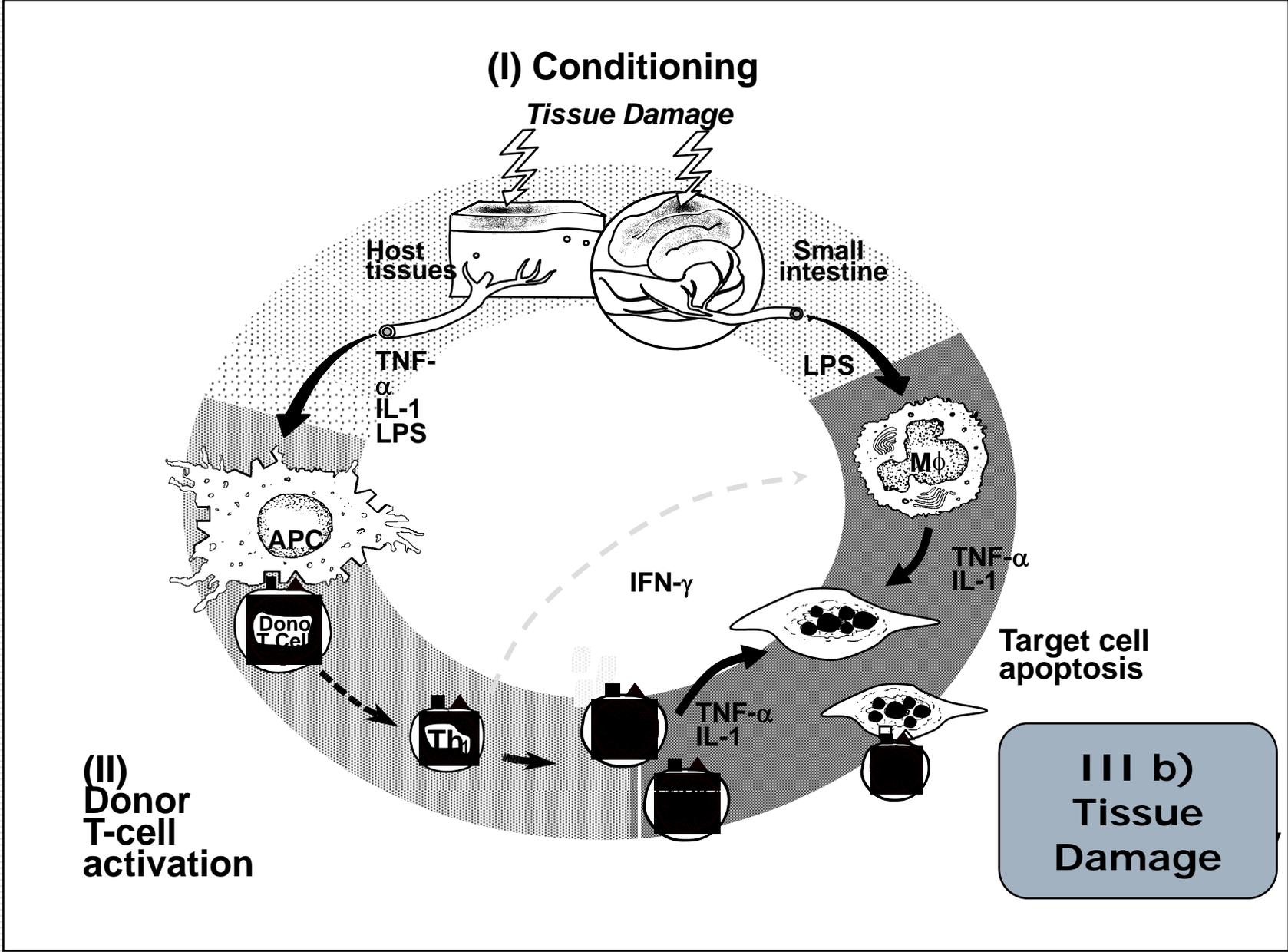
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generation and  
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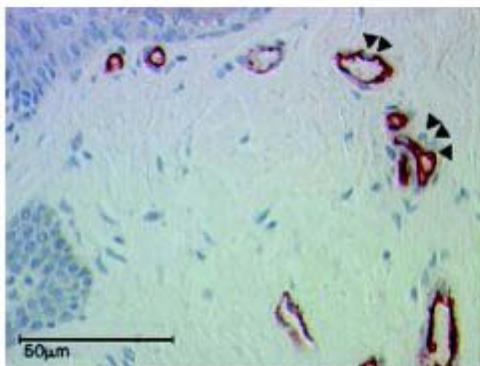
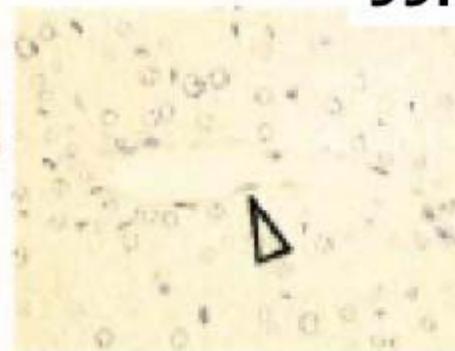
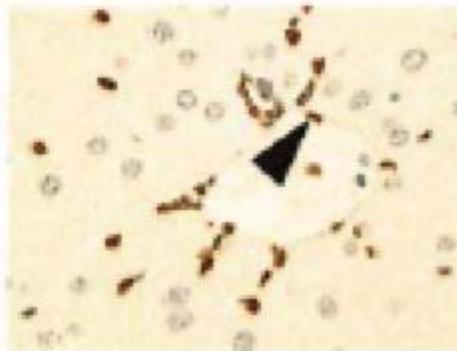
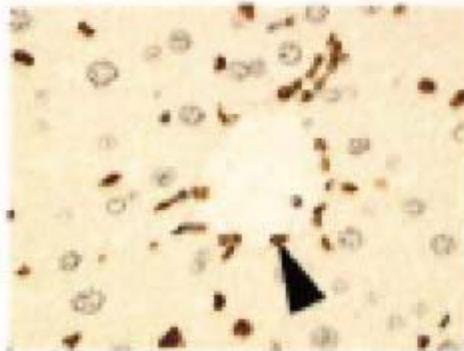
Endothelial cells  
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**Mice**  
Blood 2002;  
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Liver



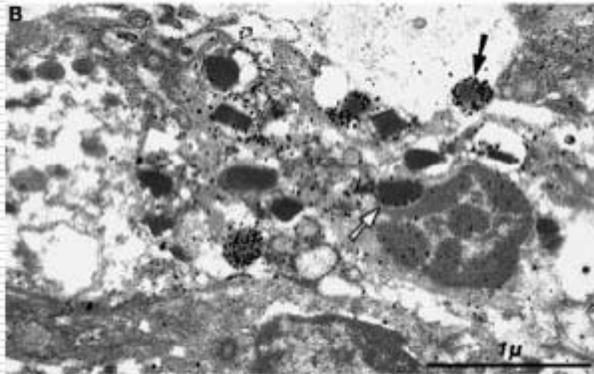
**Human**  
Lancet 2002; 359: 2078-83



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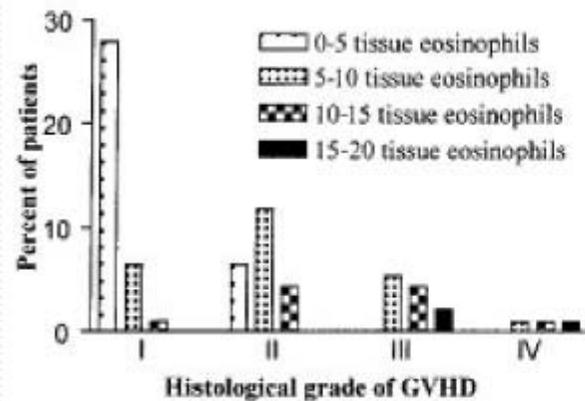
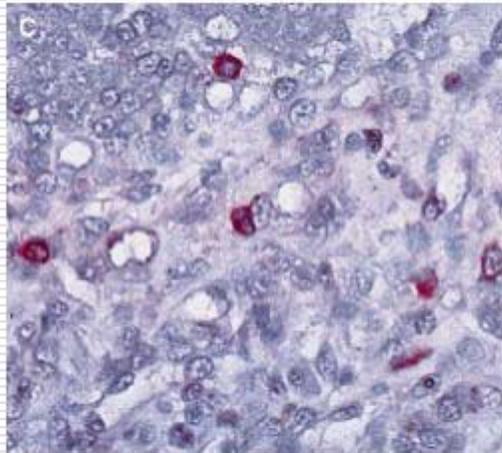


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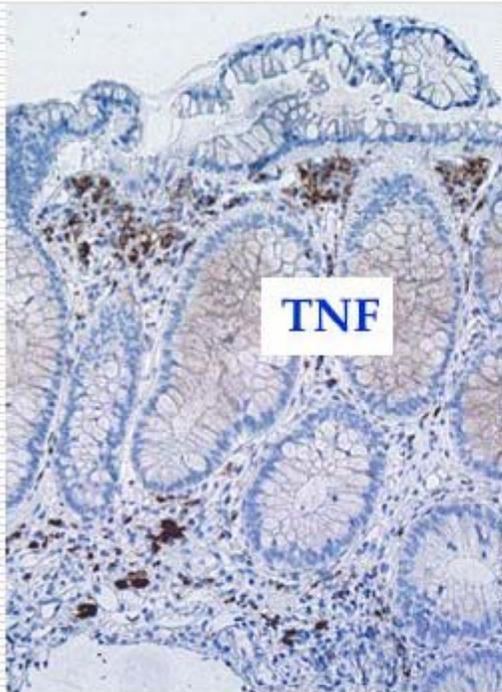
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Human GI GvHD

Eosinophils  
&  
GvHD

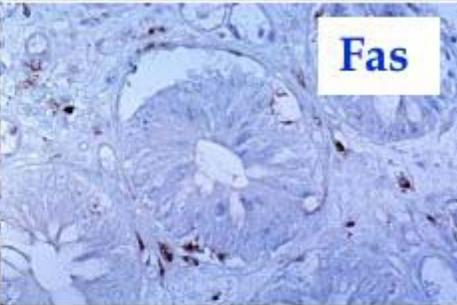




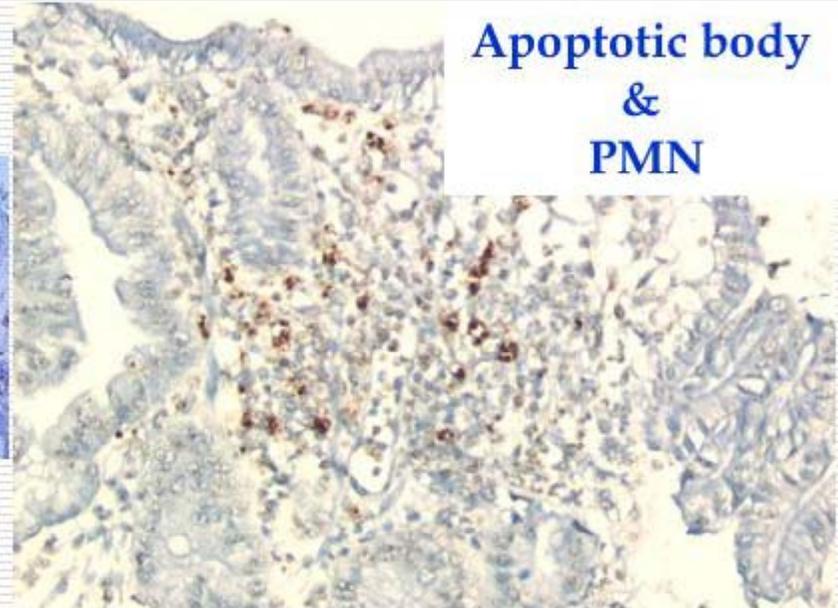
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TNF



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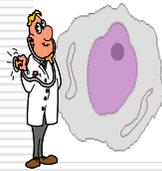
Apoptotic body  
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Blood 2004; 103: 50-7

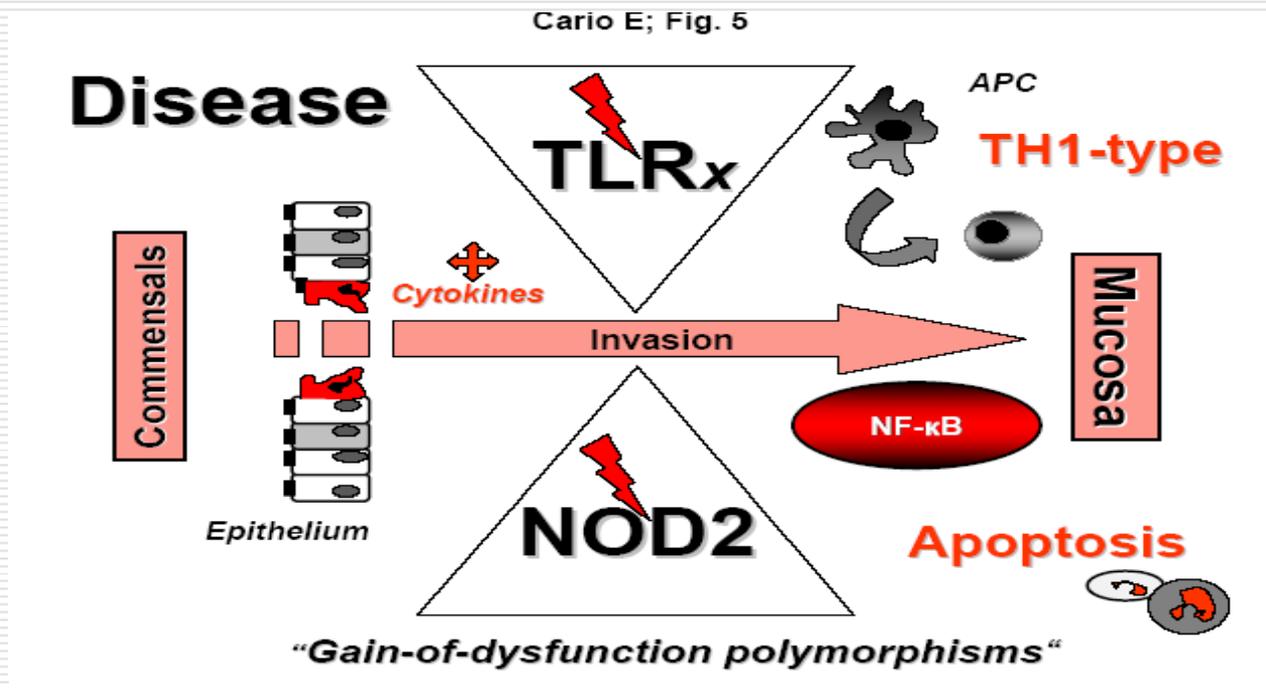
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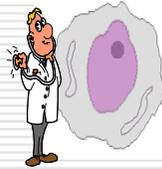


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***Inflammatory bowel diseases:***  
*Mucosa associated receptors (PRM) decide on tolerance versus activation*

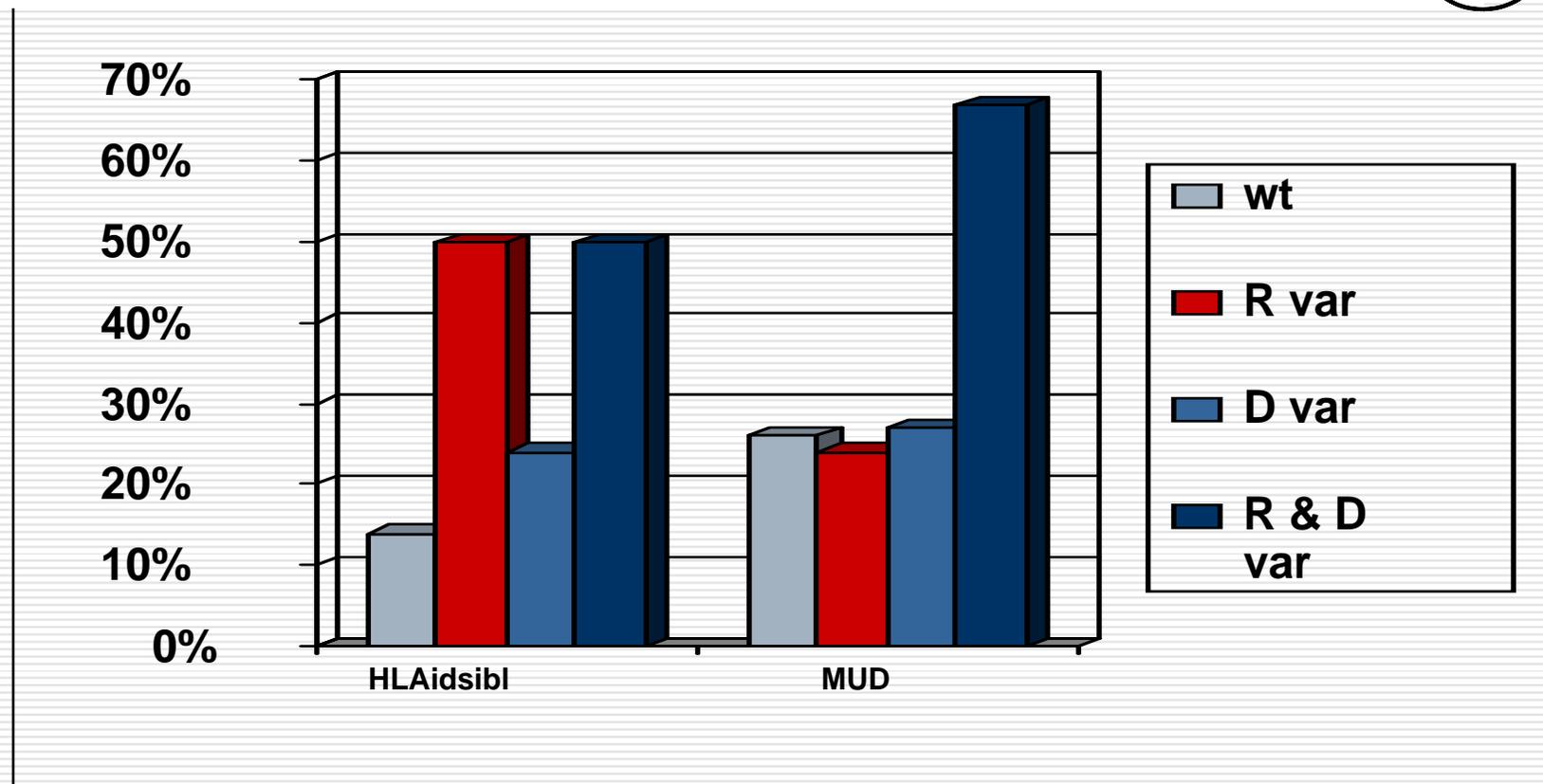
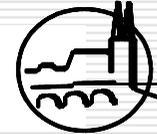


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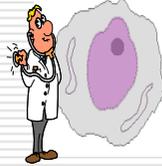


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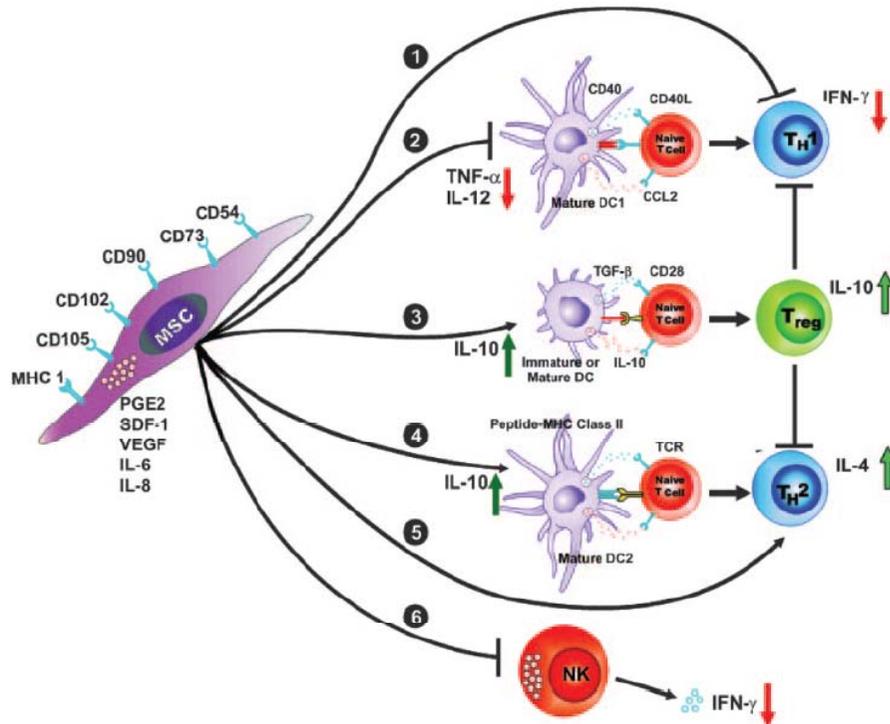
*NOD2/CARD15 variants associate with severe GvHD*



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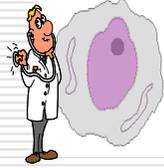
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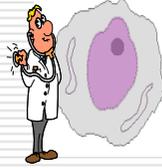
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## *Chronic Graft-versus-Host Disease*

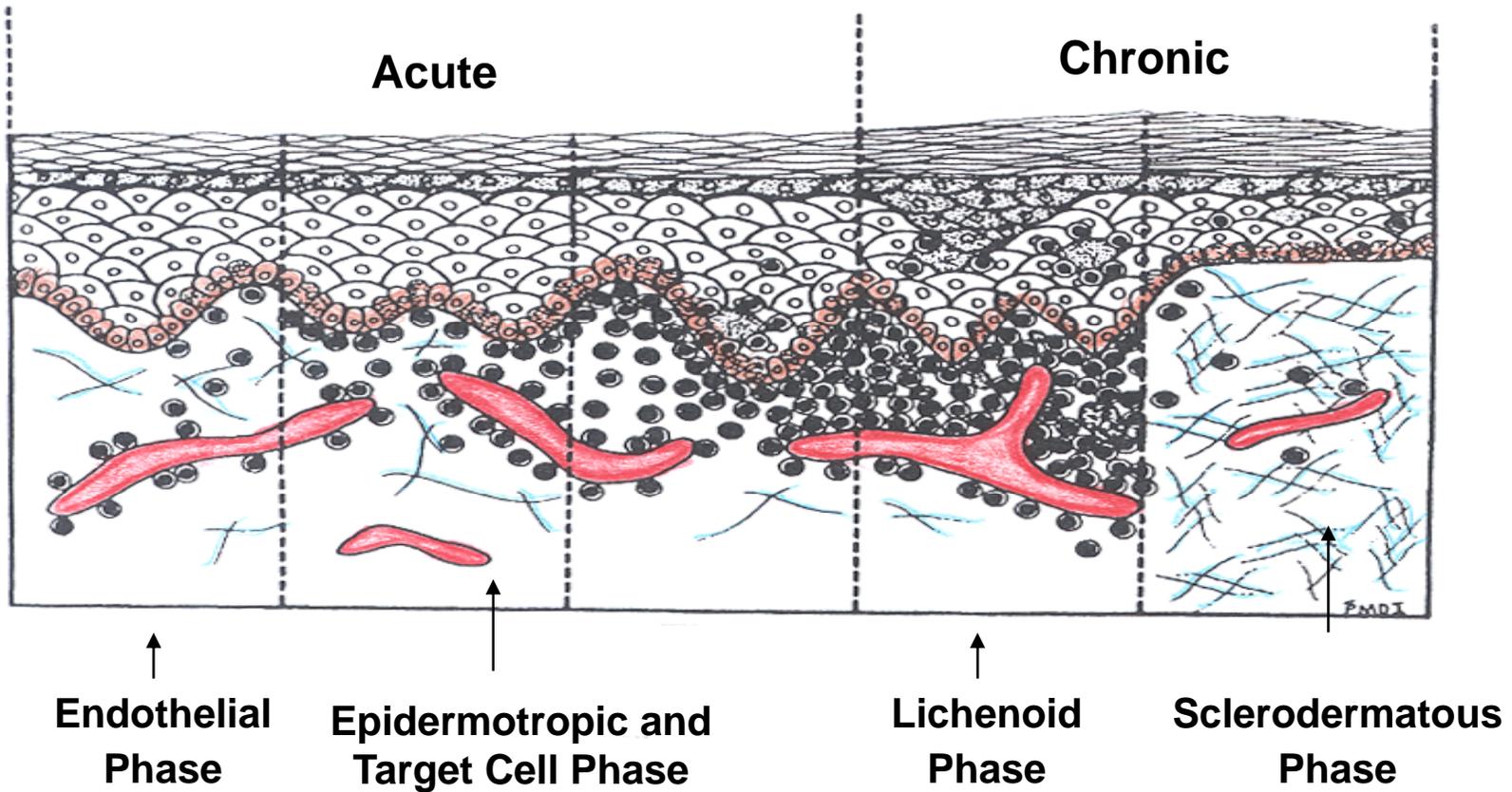


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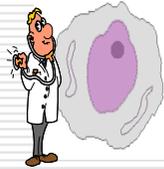


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Gilliam and Murphy, GVHD 2nd ed., 1997, p. 299



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## 1) Haploidentical P → F1 (MHC I, II, minor H)

- B6 → B6D2F1: acute GVHD
- D2 → B6D2F1: chronic GVHD
- D2: ↓ CD8+, ↓ IFN $\gamma$

More CD8s convert to acute GVHD

## 2) B10.D2 → Balb (minor H)

- Skin disease, immunodeficiency
- Sub-lethal radiation (600 day)

Lethal radiation → acute GVHD

(mixed chimerism needed for chronic?)



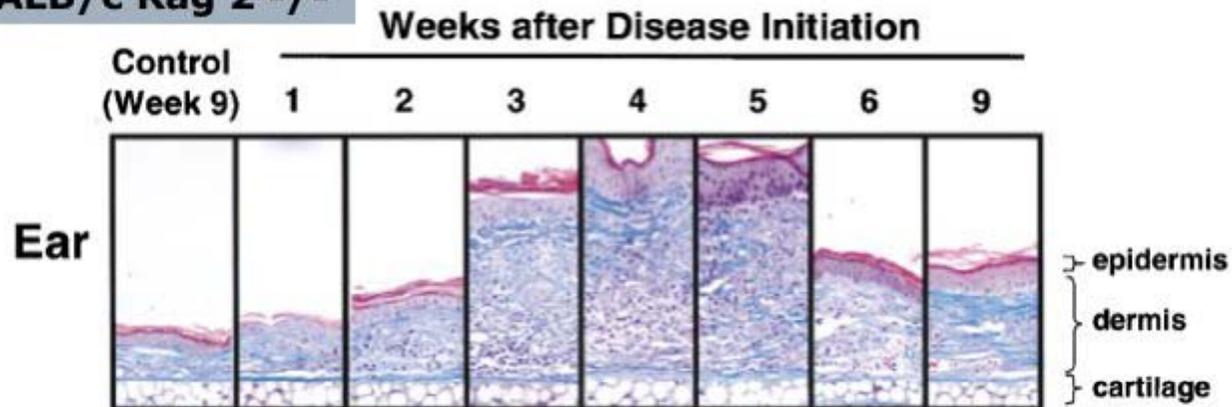


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**ARTHRITIS & RHEUMATISM 2004;5: 1319–1331**

A Modified Model of Graft-Versus-Host–Induced Systemic Sclerosis (Scleroderma) Exhibits All Major Aspects of the Human Disease

**B10.D2 > BALB/c Rag 2 -/-**



**CD4-mediated; required CD40/ Cd80/86 donor APC  
Blood 2005;105: 2227–2234**



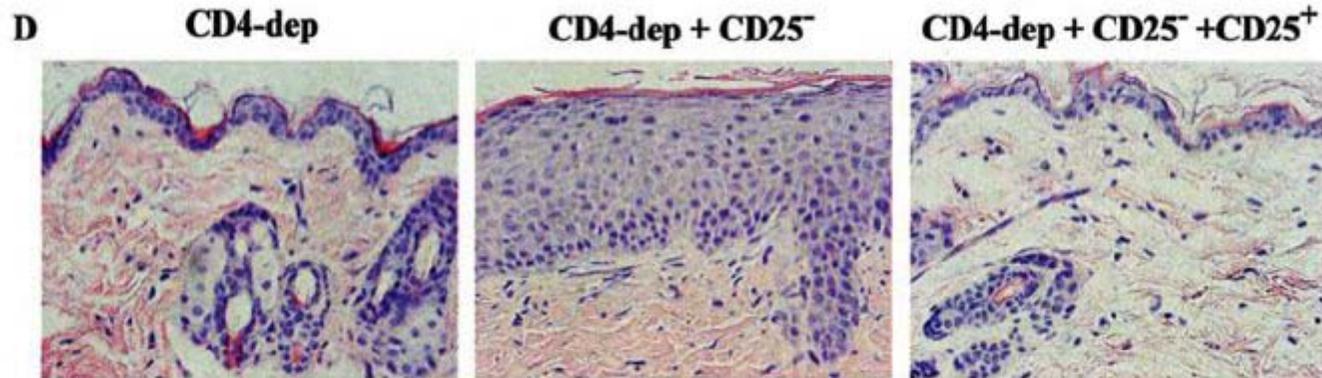


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**Blood 2006;107: 2993–3001**

Donor CD4<sup>+</sup> T and B Cells in Transplants Induce  
Chronic Graft versus Host Disease with Autoimmune Manifestations

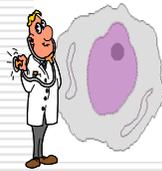
**DBA/2 (H-2d) spleen cells into minor mismatched  
sub-lethally irradiated BALB/c (H-2d)**



Required both donor CD25-CD4<sup>+</sup> T and B cells  
Donor T-reg cells prevented the disease induction.

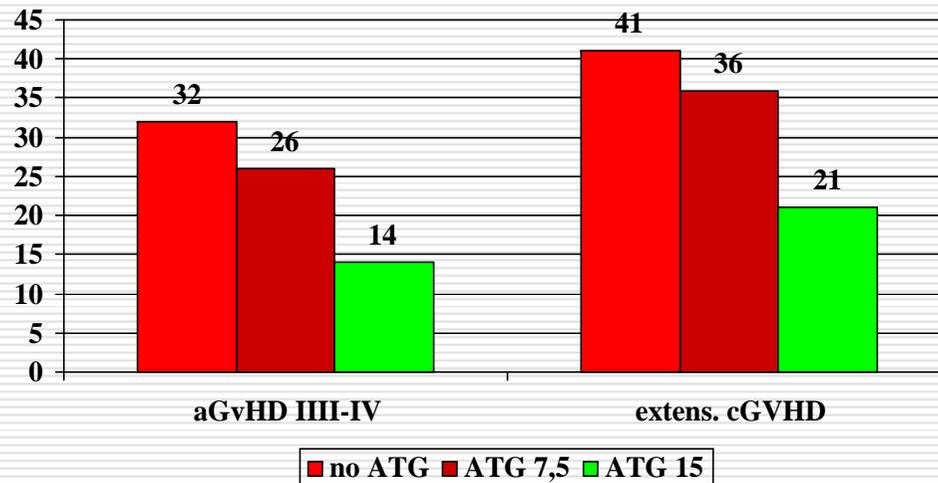


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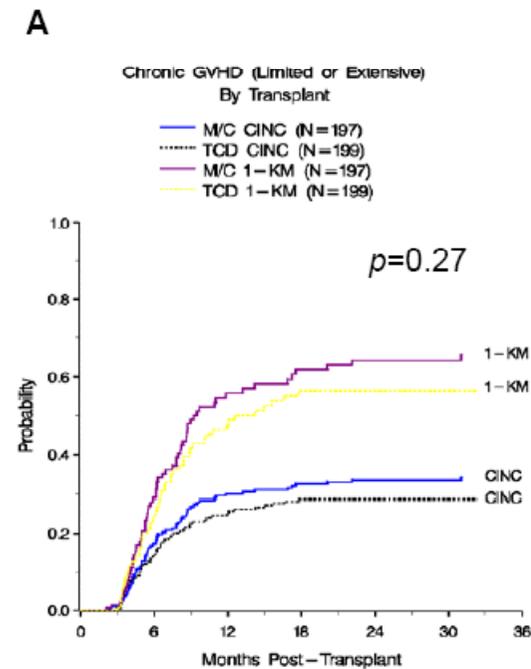


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Is T-cell depletion associated with less chronic GVHD ?

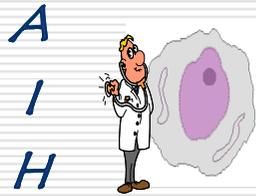


BB & MT 8:656-661 (2002)



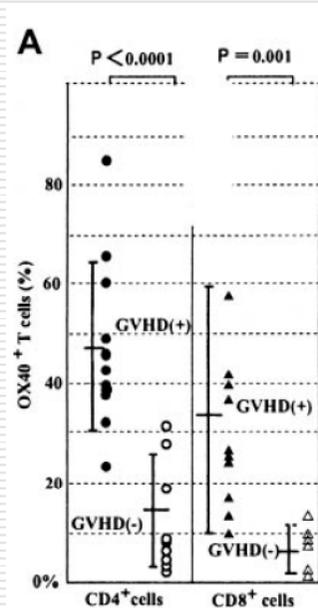
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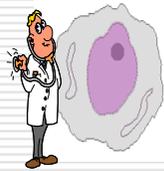
- ✓ Amplified clonal T-cell & c.GvHD. *BMT* 2002; 30: 509-15
- ✓ OX40 (CD134) CD4+ CD8+ T-cell & c.GvHD. *Blood* 2001; 98: 3162-64



**both OX40+ CD4+ and  
OX40+ CD8+ T cells were  
higher in patients with c.GVHD  
than those without ( P < .0001  
and P < .001, respectively)**



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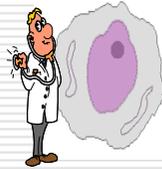
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- ✓ High levels of **IL-1**, **IL-6**, **IFN**, and **TNF** are associated with more severe chronic GVHD
- ✓ High serum **TGF** also was associated with chronic GVHD independent of platelet and white blood cell counts
- ✓ Patients with chronic GVHD have low levels of **IL-10** ( anti-inflammatory) and Ig production

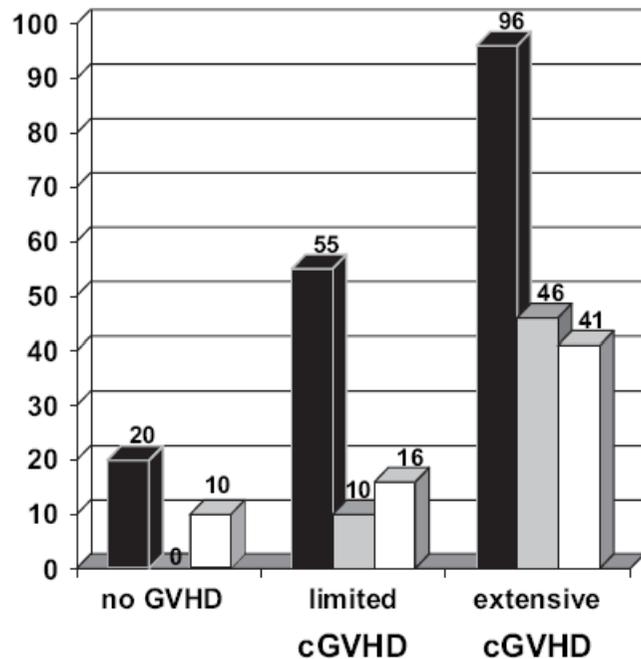


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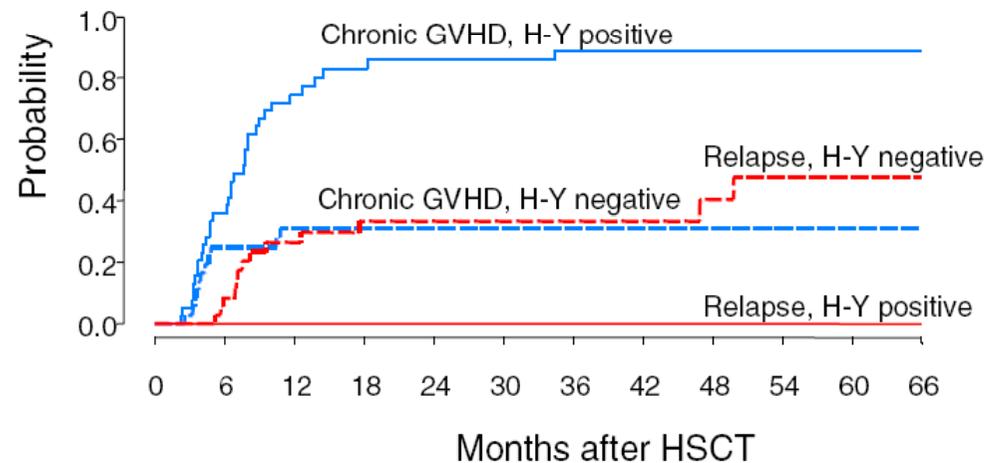
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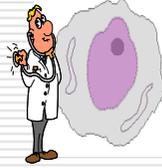


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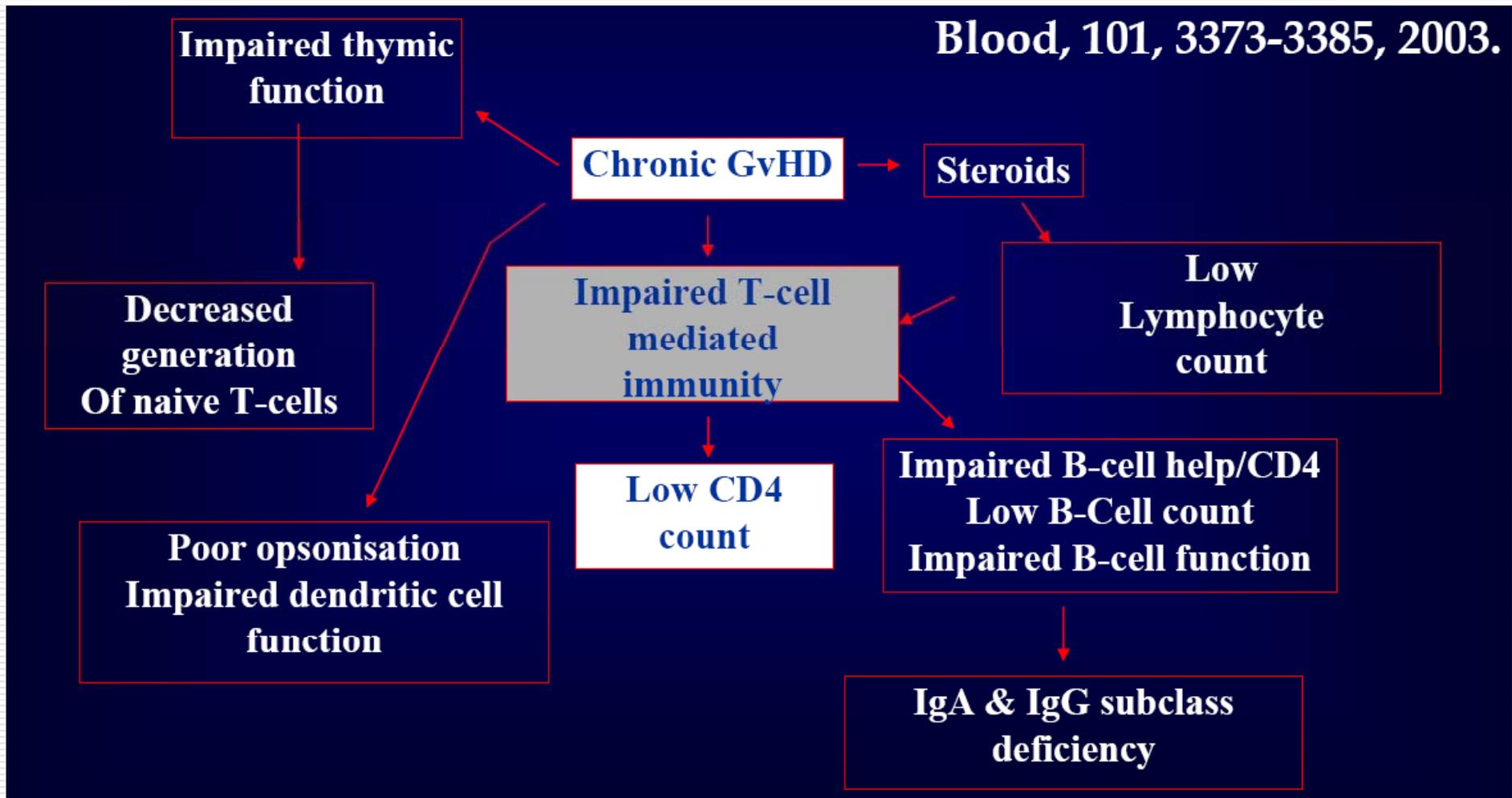


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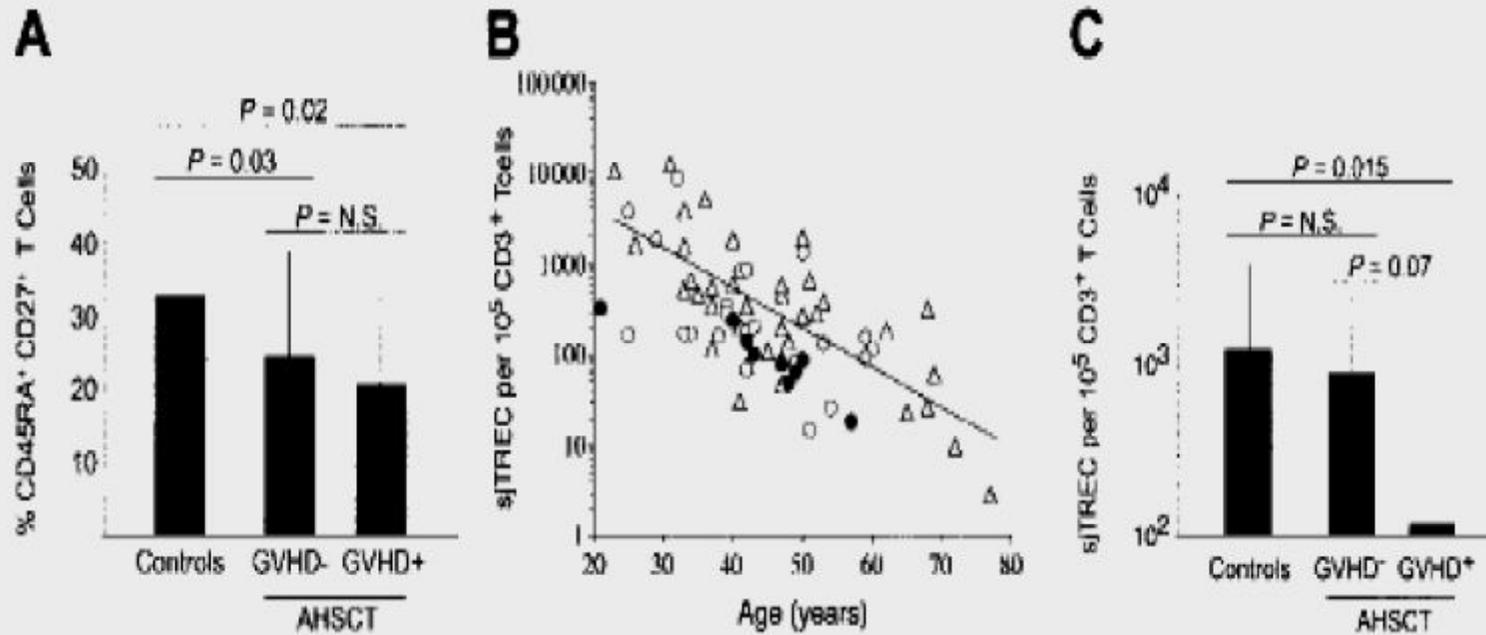
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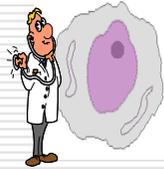


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## Reduced TREC associate with cGVHD



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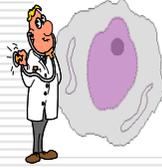
Prognostic factor	aHR (95%CI)*	P
Extensive chronic GvHD within 1 yr	2.94 (1.26-6.88)	0.013
TBI or TAI	3.11 (1.24-7.83)	0.016
Negative CMV donor to positive recipient	2.53 (1.08-5.94)	0.033

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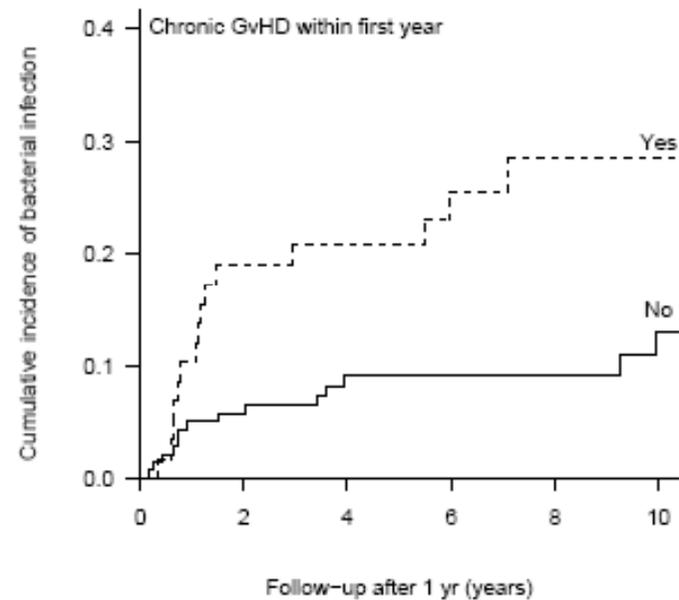
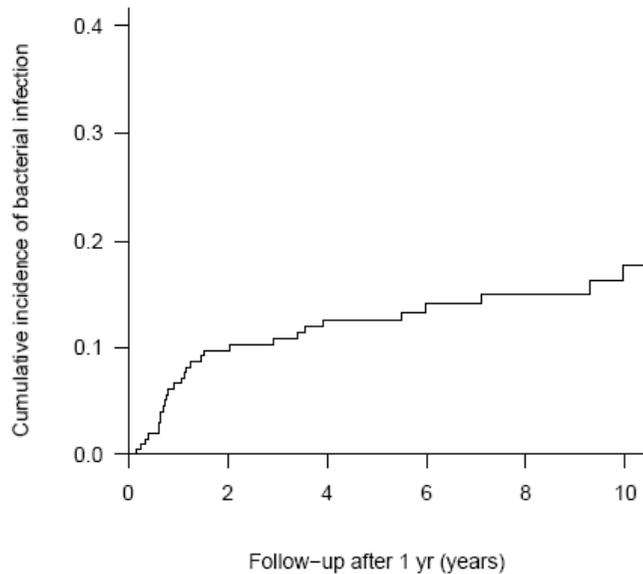
- ✓ 198 patients / HLA id. sibling D
- ✓ Good risk ; i.e. AML CR, CML 1st CP, SAA
- ✓ > 1year without relapse



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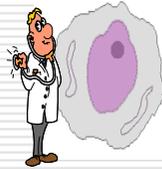
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