

# Term Paper

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- Any topic related to SARS-COV-2
- 8-10 pages
- Timer New Roman, 12, 1" margin
- Due 12/12 at midnight
- Homework and other make ups are due the same time.

# Outline

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## Primary Immunodeficiency

- T cells

- B cells

- Innate Immunity

## Acquired Immunodeficiency

- HIV/AIDS

# Immunodeficiency

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- A defect in one or more components of the immune response
- History of recurrent infections with similar pathogens suggests a diagnosis of immunosuppression

# Involves Both Innate and Adaptive Immunity

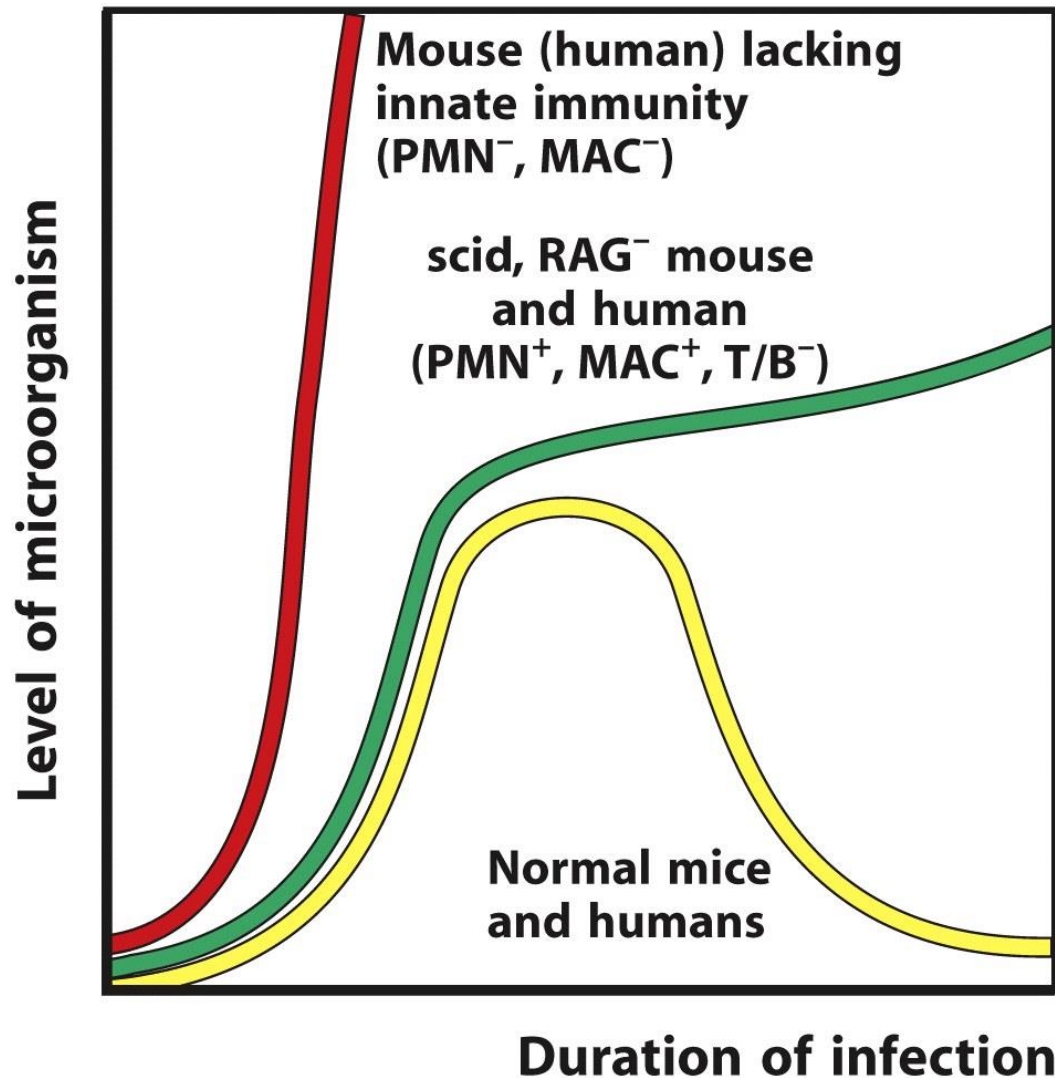


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# Human Immunodeficiency Syndromes

Major category	Example	Gene defect	Inheritance	Cells affected	Immune defect	Antibody levels	Common infections/ other features
Combined immunodeficiencies (CIDs) limited to the immune system	$\gamma_c$ deficiency	<i>IL2RG</i>	XL	T cells, NK cells	Deficient T-cell and NK-cell development	Low	General susceptibility to opportunistic and standard pathogens
	RAG-1 or RAG-2 deficiency	<i>RAG1</i> ; <i>RAG2</i>	AR	T cells, B cells	Deficient T- and B-cell development	Low	General susceptibility to opportunistic and standard pathogens
CIDs with defects in tissues outside the immune system	FOXN1 deficiency; Nude phenotype	<i>FOXN1</i>	AR	Thymic epithelium, T cells	Deficient T-cell development	Decreased	General susceptibility to opportunistic and standard pathogens
	Job syndrome	<i>STAT3</i>	AD	$T_H17$ and $T_{FH}$ cells	Defective $T_H17$ and $T_{FH}$ cell development	High IgE	Extracellular bacteria, mucocutaneous candidiasis, bone development abnormalities
Antibody deficiencies	Bruton's X-linked agammaglobulinemia (XLA)	<i>BTK</i>	XL	B cells	Absent mature B cells	Low	Pyogenic bacteria and enteroviruses
	AID deficiency	<i>AICDA</i>	AR	B cells	Defective Ig class-switching and somatic hypermutation	IgG and IgA low; IgM increased	Bacterial infections, enlarged germinal centers
	Selective IgA deficiency	<i>Unknown</i>	?	B cells	Deficient class-switched IgA B cells	Low-absent IgA; other isotypes	Typically asymptomatic

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Immune dysregulation	Perforin deficiency	<i>PRF1</i>	AR	CTLs and NK cells	Impaired CTL and NK-cell cytotoxicity	Normal	Fever, hepatosplenomegaly
	IL-10 deficiency	<i>IL10</i>	AR	Multiple	No IL-10	Normal	Inflammatory bowel disease (IBD)
Phagocyte defects	Elastase deficiency	<i>SCN1</i>	AD	Neutrophils	Neutrophil deficiency	Normal	Severe bacterial infections; myelodysplasia/leukemia
	GATA2 deficiency	<i>GATA2</i>	AD	Monocytes and DCs	Monocyte and DC deficiency	Normal	Susceptibility to mycobacteria, HPV, histoplasmosis; myelodysplasia/leukemia
Innate immunity defects	IL-12p40 deficiency	<i>IL12B</i>	AR	DCs, monocytes, and macrophages	IFN- $\gamma$ secretion	Normal	Mycobacterial and <i>Salmonella</i> infections
	IFN- $\gamma$ receptor 1 deficiency	<i>IFNGR1</i>	AR/AD	Multiple	IFN- $\gamma$ signaling	Normal	Mycobacterial and <i>Salmonella</i> infections

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Autoinflammatory disorders	Muckle–Wells syndrome	<i>NLRP3</i>	AD (GOF)	Neutrophils and monocytes	Inflammasome hyperactivity	Normal	Recurrent fever, urticaria
Complement deficiencies	C1q deficiency	<i>C1QA</i>	AR	Apoptotic cells	Deficient activation of classical complement pathway	Normal	Infections by encapsulated bacteria (e.g., <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> ), immune- complex disease (e.g., SLE)
	MASP deficiency	<i>MASP2</i>	AR	None	Deficient activation of lectin complement pathway	Normal	Pyogenic bacteria, autoimmunity
Phenocopies of inborn errors of immunity	APECED syndrome	<i>AIRE</i>	AR	T cells	Impaired negative selection of T cells	Normal, with autoantibodies	Chronic mucocutaneous candidiasis, multiple endocrinopathies

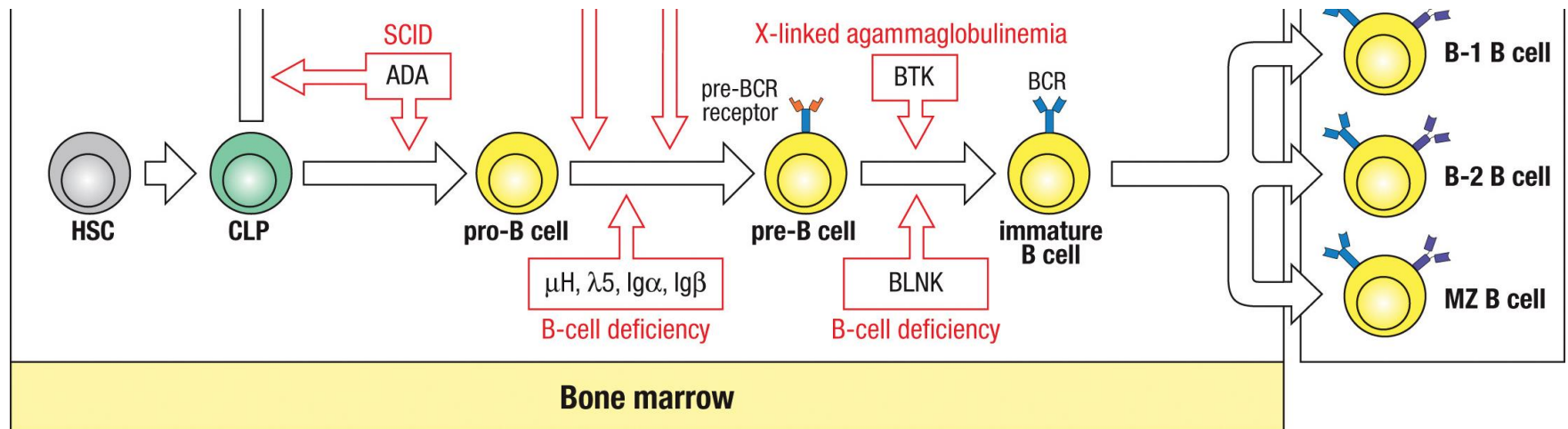
# The Boy in the Bubble



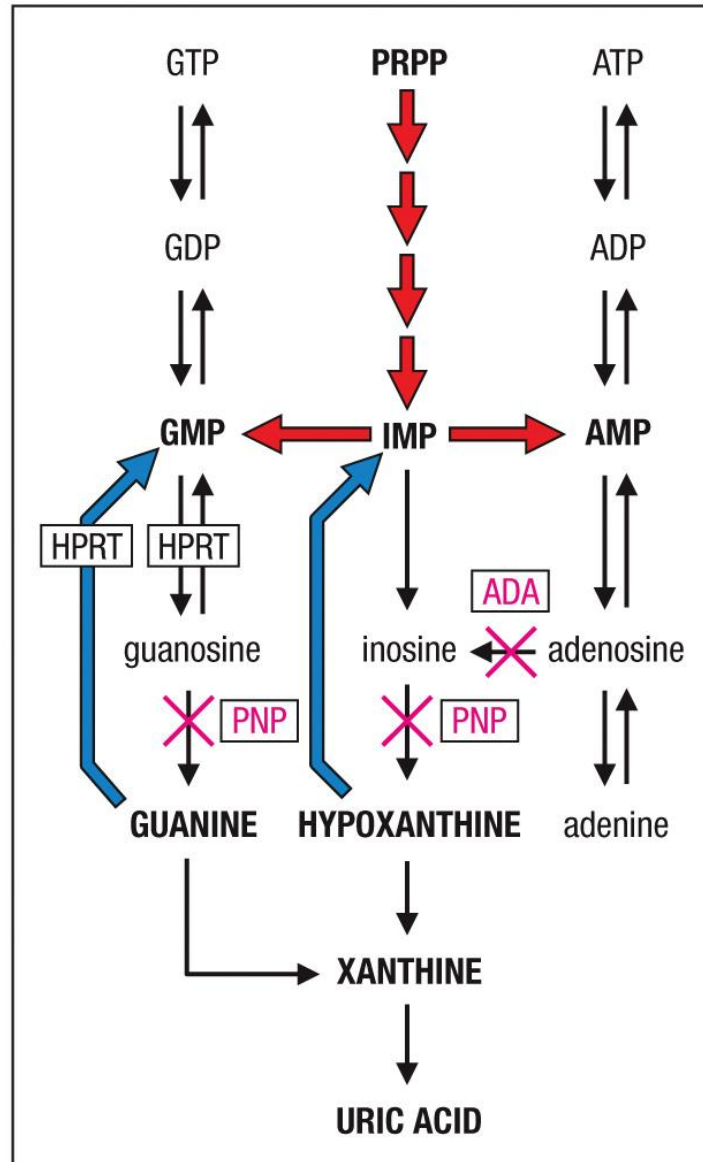
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# Lymphocytes Development Defects Lead to Immune Deficiency



# Purine Salvage Pathway



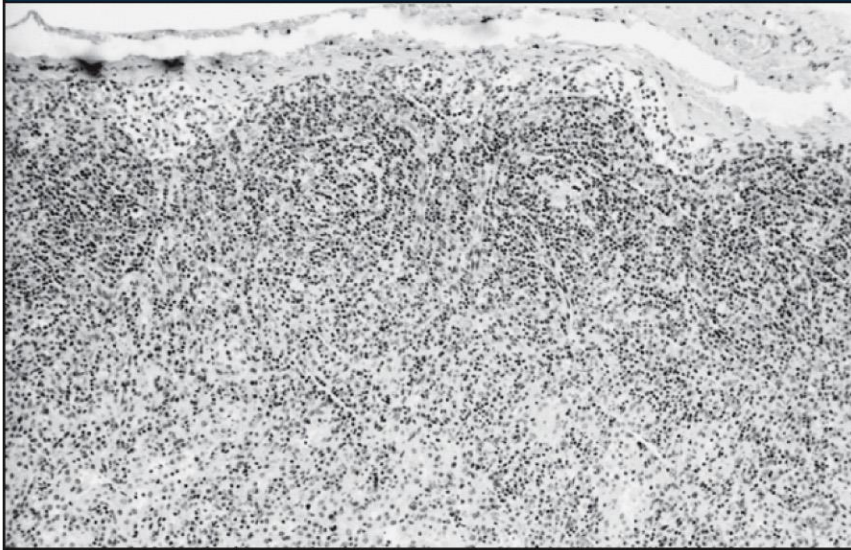
# B Cell Defects

Name of deficiency syndrome	Specific abnormality	Immune defect	Susceptibility
Wiskott–Aldrich syndrome	X-linked; defective WASp gene	Defective anti-polysaccharide antibody, impaired T-cell activation responses, and T <sub>reg</sub> dysfunction	Encapsulated extracellular bacteria Herpesvirus infections (e.g., HSV, EBV)
X-linked agammaglobulinemia	Loss of BTK tyrosine kinase	No B cells	Extracellular bacteria, enteroviruses
Hyper-IgM syndrome	CD40 ligand deficiency CD40 deficiency NEMO (IKK) deficiency	No isotype switching and/or no somatic hypermutation plus T-cell defects	Extracellular bacteria <i>Pneumocystis jirovecii</i> <i>Cryptosporidium parvum</i>
Hyper-IgM syndrome—B-cell intrinsic	AID deficiency UNG deficiency	No isotype switching +/– normal somatic hypermutation	Extracellular bacteria
Hyper-IgE syndrome (Job's syndrome)	Defective STAT3	Block in T <sub>H</sub> 17 cell differentiation Elevated IgE	Extracellular bacteria and fungi
Common variable immunodeficiency	Mutations in TACI, ICOS, CD19, etc.	Defective IgA and IgG production	Extracellular bacteria
Selective IgA	Unknown; MHC-linked	No IgA synthesis	Respiratory infections

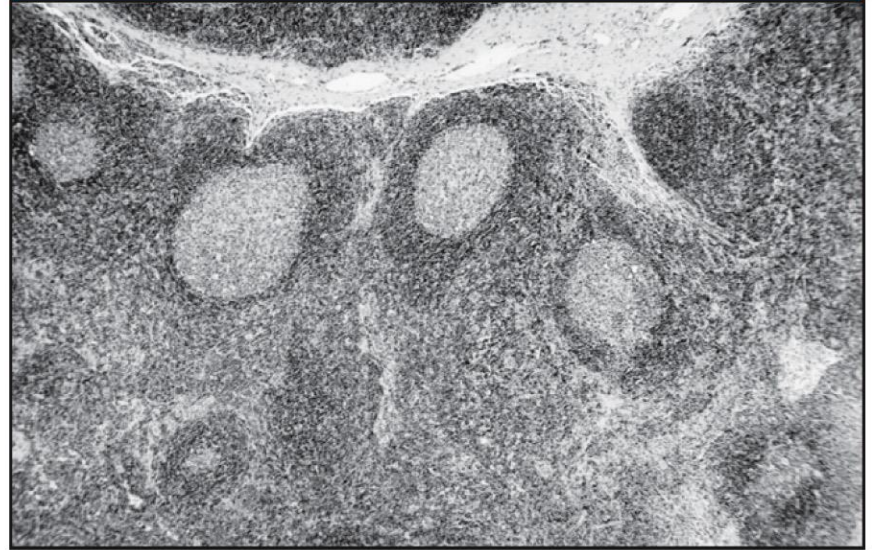
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# Results of B Cell Defects

**Lymph node from individual with CD40L deficiency (no germinal centers)**



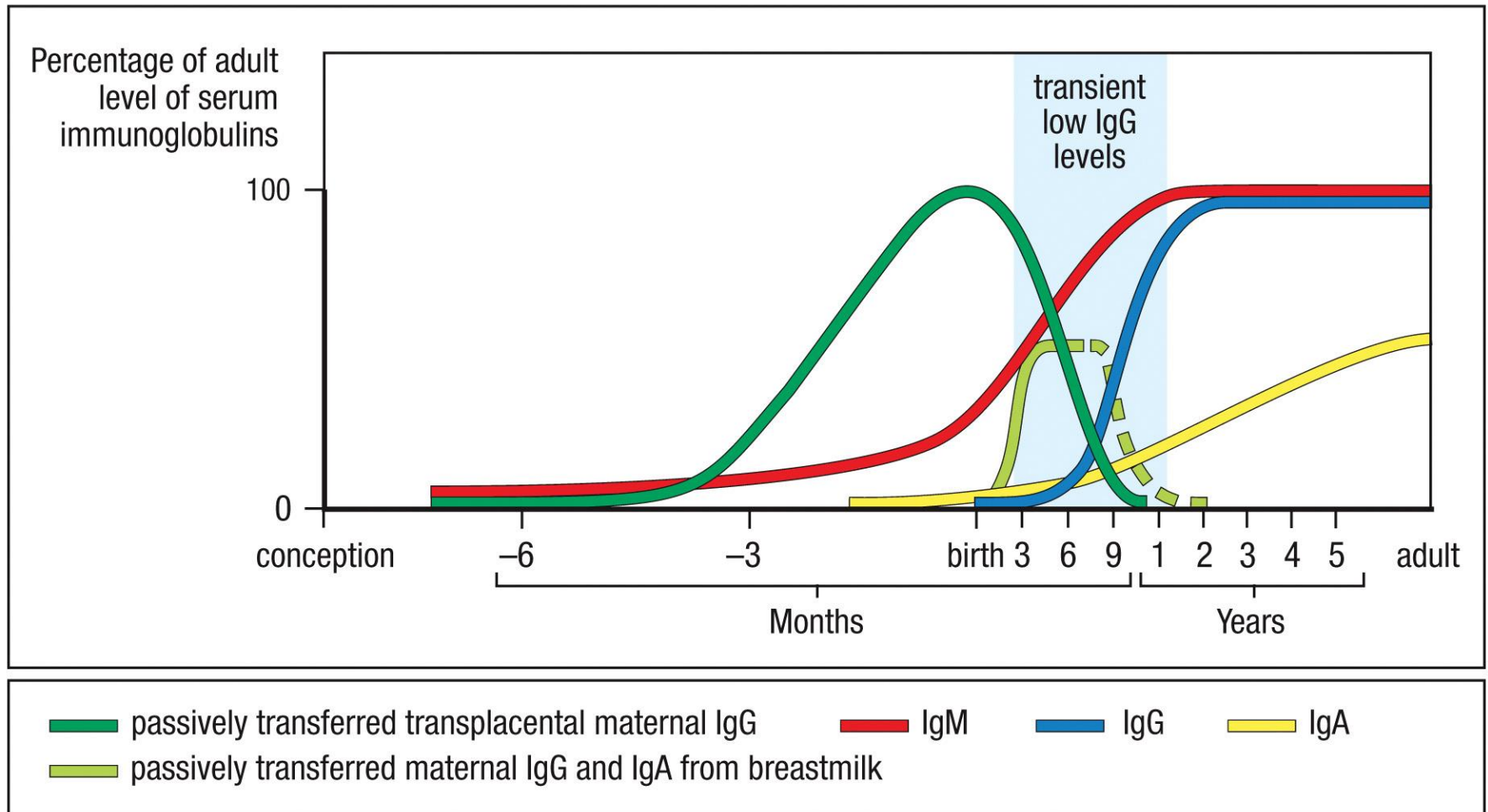
**Normal lymph node with germinal centers**



(both): Dr. Raif Geha

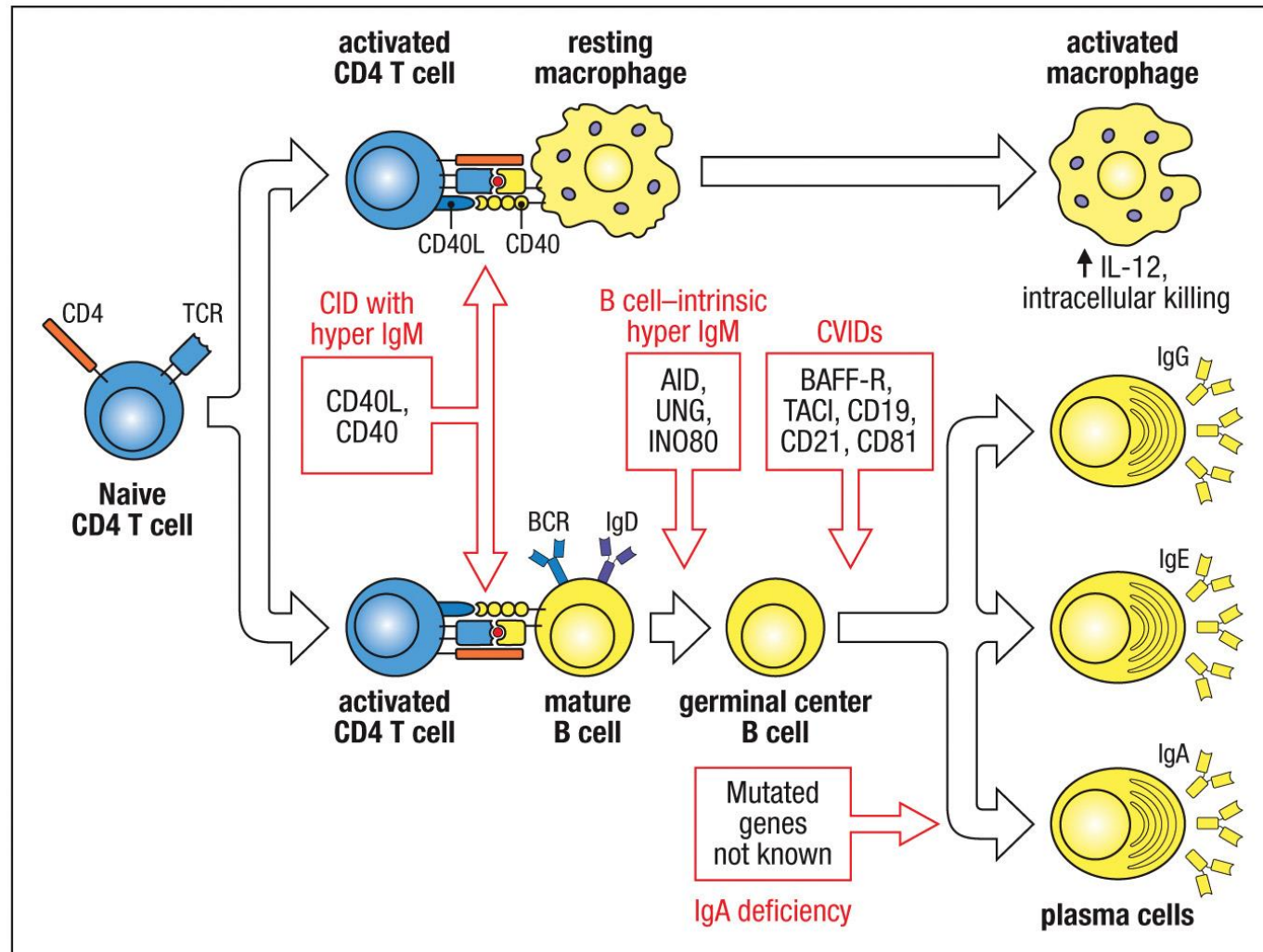
Loss of T cell help: Susceptible to extracellular bacteria and some viral infection

# Transient IgG Deficiency in Newborns





# Lymphocytes Activation Defects Lead to Immune Deficiency



CVID, common variable immune deficiency

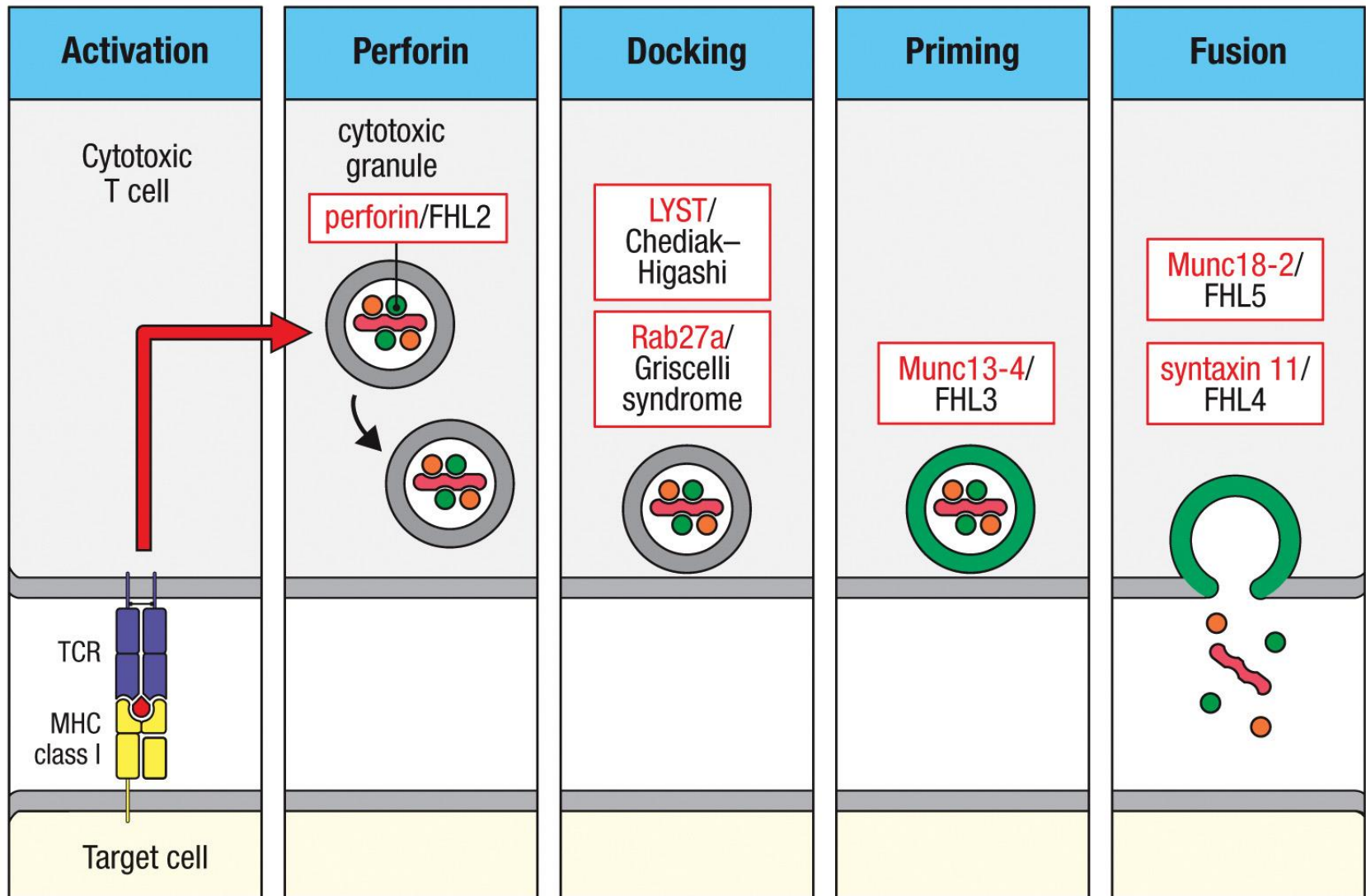
# Results of T Cell Defects

Name of deficiency syndrome	Specific abnormality	Immune defect	Susceptibility
Severe combined immune deficiency	See text and Fig. 13.2		General
DiGeorge's syndrome	Thymic aplasia	Variable numbers of T cells	General
MHC class I deficiency	Mutations in TAP1, TAP2, and tapasin	No CD8 T cells	Chronic lung and skin inflammation
MHC class II deficiency	Lack of expression of MHC class II	No CD4 T cells	General

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- CD 4 T cells activates macrophages, dendritic cells and B cells

# Defects in Cytotoxic T Cell Function





# Defects in Innate Immunity

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Name of deficiency syndrome	Specific abnormality	Immune defect	Susceptibility
Phagocyte deficiencies	Many different	Loss of phagocyte function	Extracellular bacteria and fungi
Complement deficiencies	Many different	Loss of specific complement components	Extracellular bacteria especially <i>Neisseria</i> spp.

# Defects in Phagocytic Cells Are Associated with Persistence of Bacterial Infection

Disease	Examples	Gene defect	Inheritance	Immune defect	Common infections
Severe congenital neutropenia	Elastase-2 deficiency (SCN1)	<i>ELANE</i>	AD	Neutrophil deficiency	Severe pyogenic bacterial infections
	GFI-1 deficiency (SCN2)	<i>GFI1</i>	AD		Severe pyogenic bacterial infections
	HAX1 deficiency (SCN3, or Kostmann's disease)	<i>HAX1</i>	AR		Severe pyogenic bacterial infections
	G6PC3 deficiency (SCN4)	<i>G6PC3</i>	AR		Severe pyogenic bacterial infections
Leukocyte adhesion deficiency	$\beta$ 2 integrin deficiency (LAD-1)	<i>ITGB2</i>	AR	Defective leukocyte extravasation	Ulcerating skin infections without pus
	GDP-fucose transporter deficiency (LAD-2)	<i>SLC35C1</i>	AR		Recurrent bacterial infections
	Kindlin-3 deficiency (LAD-3)	<i>FERMT3</i>	AR		Severe bacterial infections
TLR/IL-1R signaling defects	MyD88 deficiency	<i>MYD88</i>	AR	Impaired TLR and IL-1 receptor signaling	Noninvasive bacterial infections, skin and respiratory tract
	IRAK4 deficiency	<i>IRAK4</i>	AR		Noninvasive bacterial infections, skin and respiratory tract
	TLR-3 deficiency	<i>TLR3</i>	AD or AR	Impaired types I and III interferon responses	Herpes simplex and varicella-zoster encephalitis
	TRAF3 deficiency	<i>TRAF3</i>	AD		Herpes simplex and varicella-zoster encephalitis
Non-TLR PRR signaling defect	CARD9 deficiency	<i>CARD9</i>	AR	Defective phagocyte recognition of fungi; impaired $T_H17$ response	Invasive fungal infections
Chronic granulomatous disease	X-linked CGD	<i>CYBB</i>	XL	Impaired intracellular killing in neutrophils and monocyte/macrophages	Severe, recurrent bacterial infections of barrier tissues

# Leukocyte Adhesion Deficiency

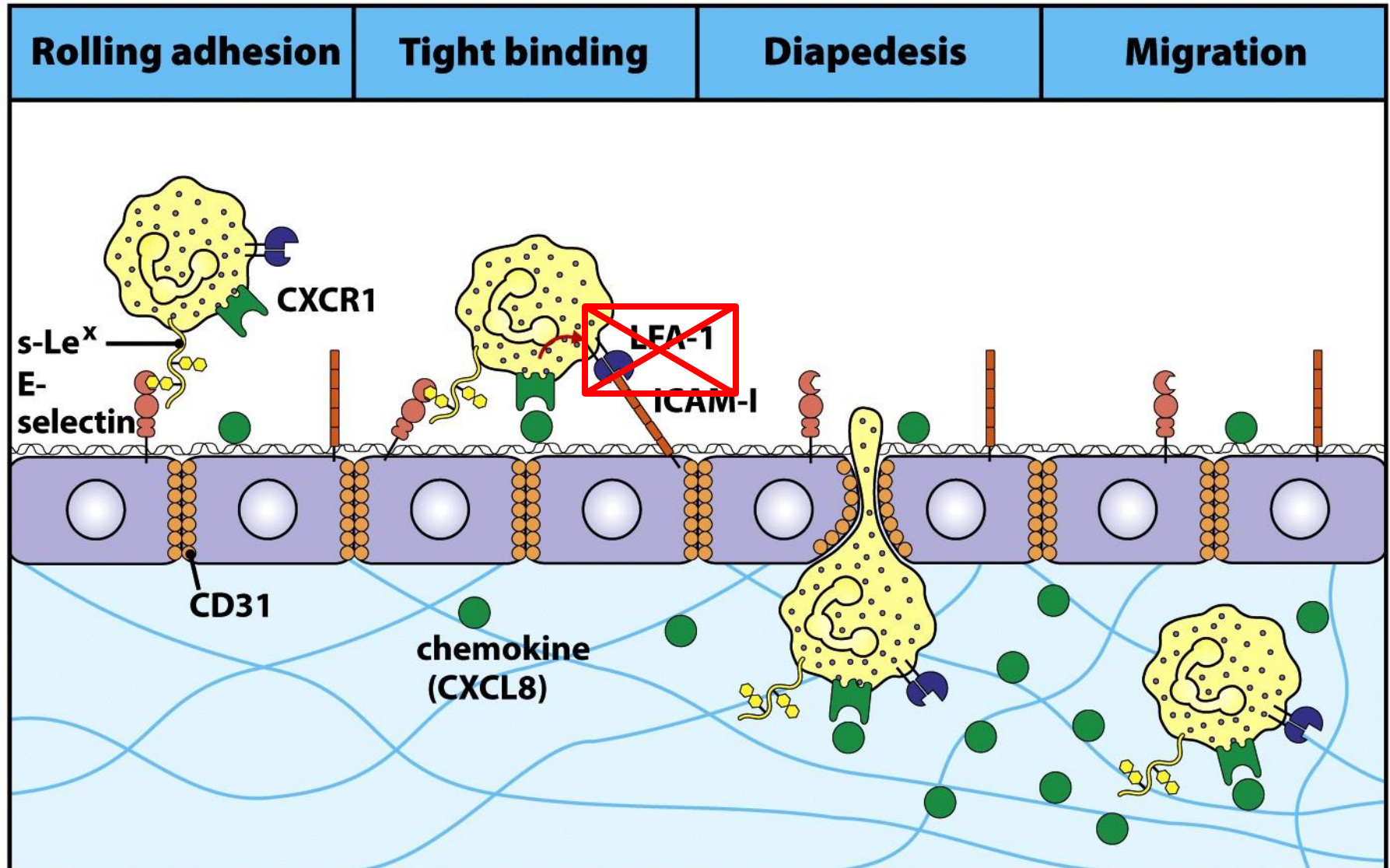
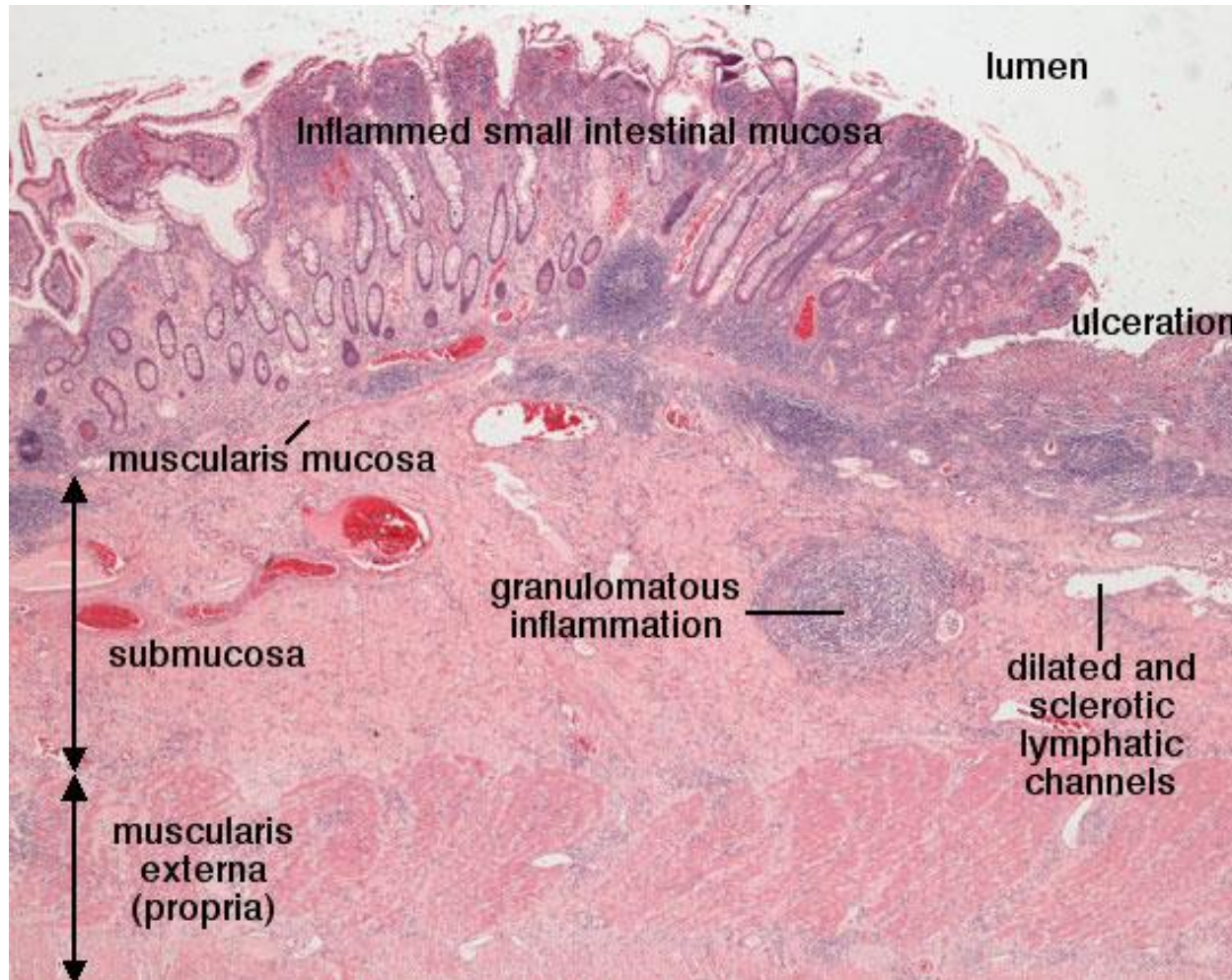


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# Granuloma-Defect Killing



# Complement Deficiency

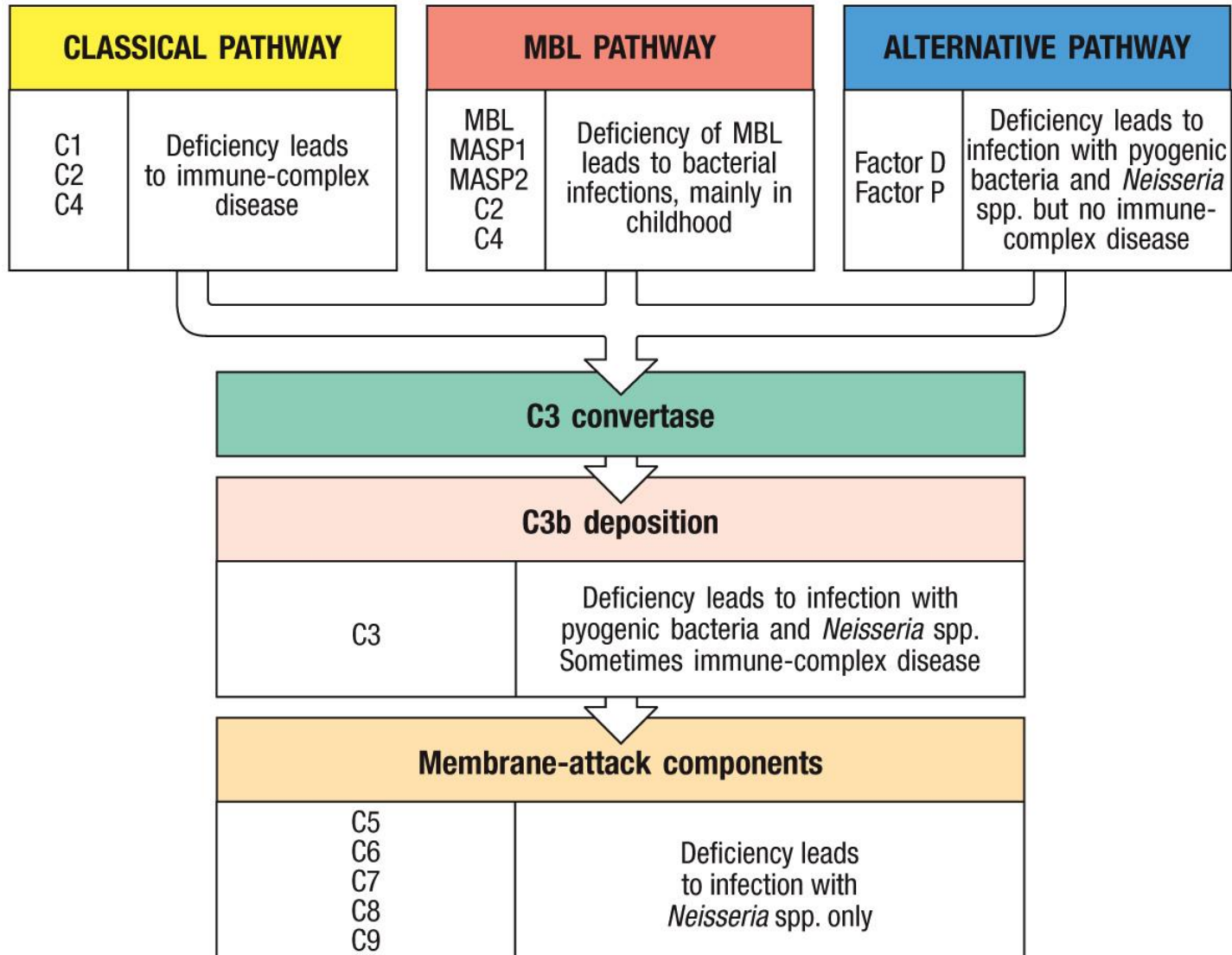


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# Complement Deficiency

Complement protein	Effects of deficiency
C1, C2, C4	Immune-complex disease
C3	Susceptibility to encapsulated bacteria
C5–C9	Susceptibility to <i>Neisseria</i>
Factor D, Factor P (properdin)	Susceptibility to encapsulated bacteria and <i>Neisseria</i> but no immune-complex disease
Factor I	Similar effects to deficiency of C3
MCP, factor I, or factor H	Atypical hemolytic uremic syndrome
Polymorphisms in factor H	Age-related macular degeneration
DAF, CD59	Autoimmune-like conditions, including paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria
C1INH	Hereditary angioedema (HAE)

# Immune Complex is Removed in the Spleen

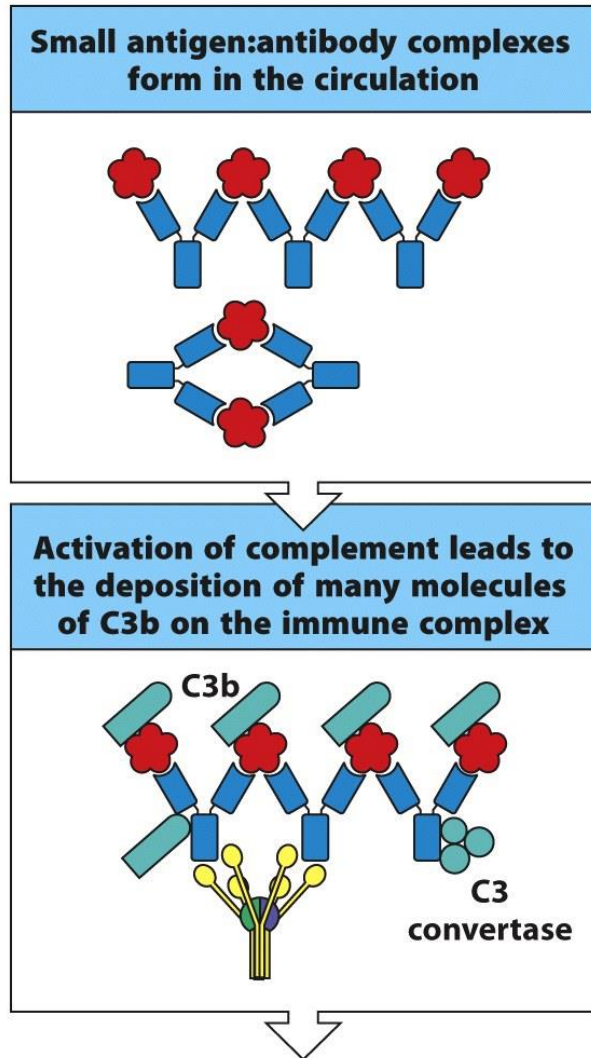


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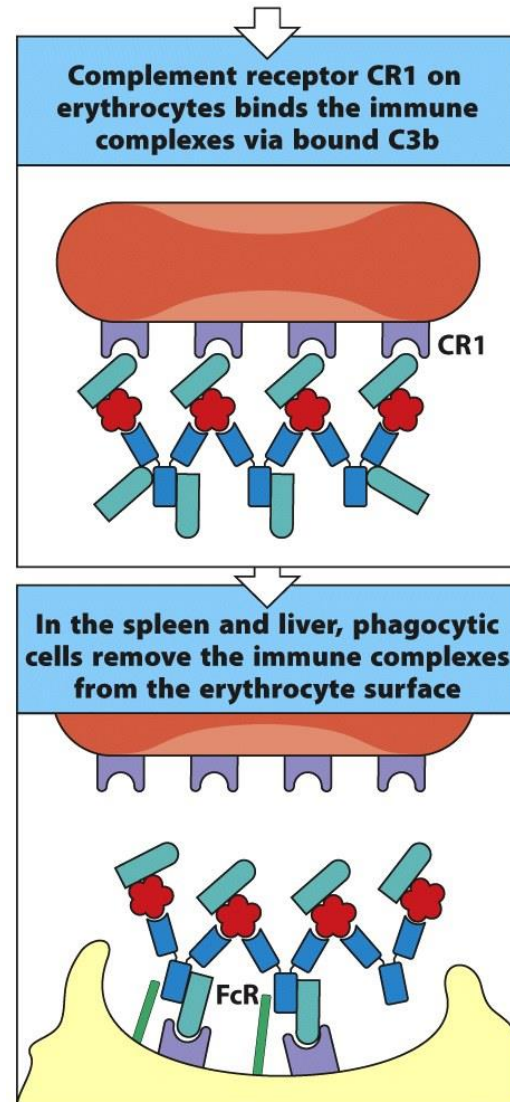


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# Question

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- Defects in which gene results in the most severe immune deficiency?
- A) MHC I
- B) MHC II
- C) AID
- D) C3



# Primary Immunodeficiency

T cells

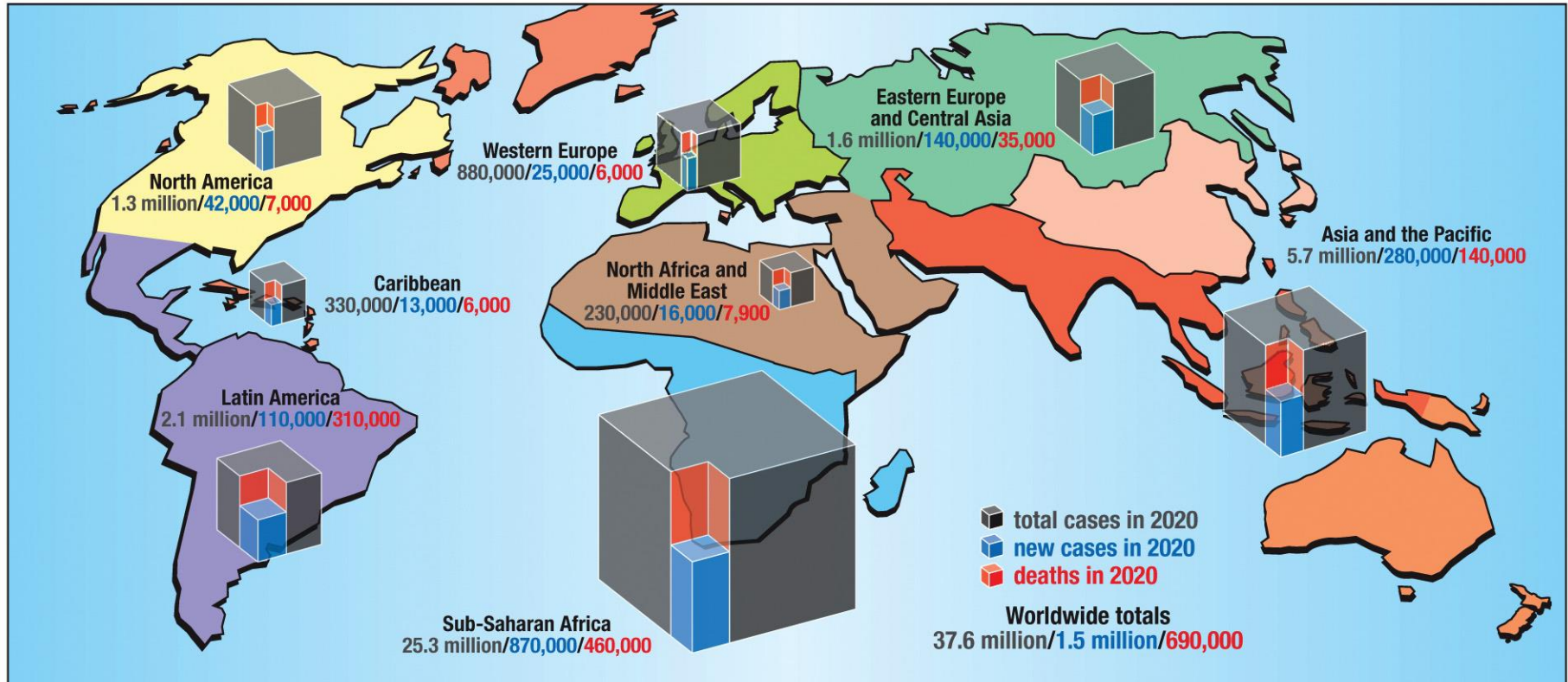
B cells

Innate Immunity

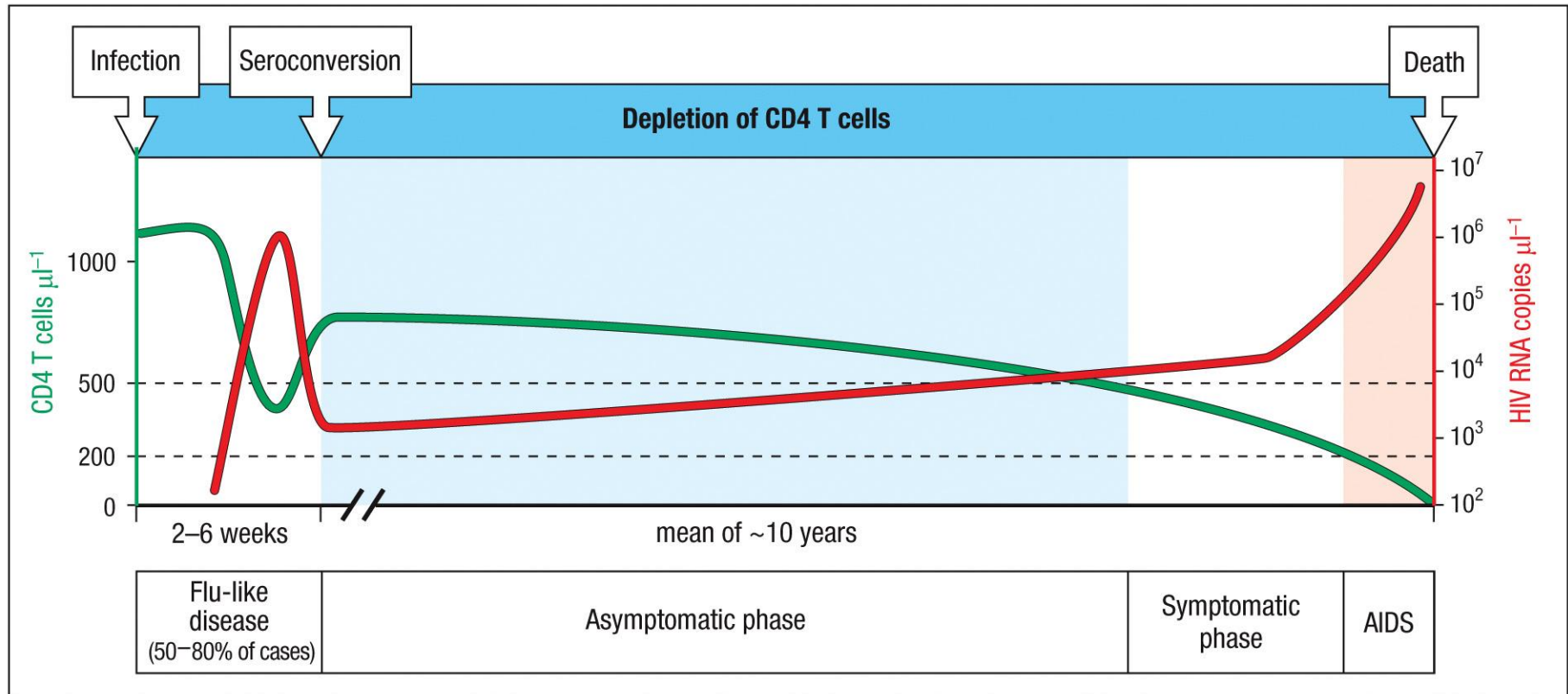
# Acquired Immunodeficiency

**HIV/AIDS**

# Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS)



# Course of Untreated HIV Infection



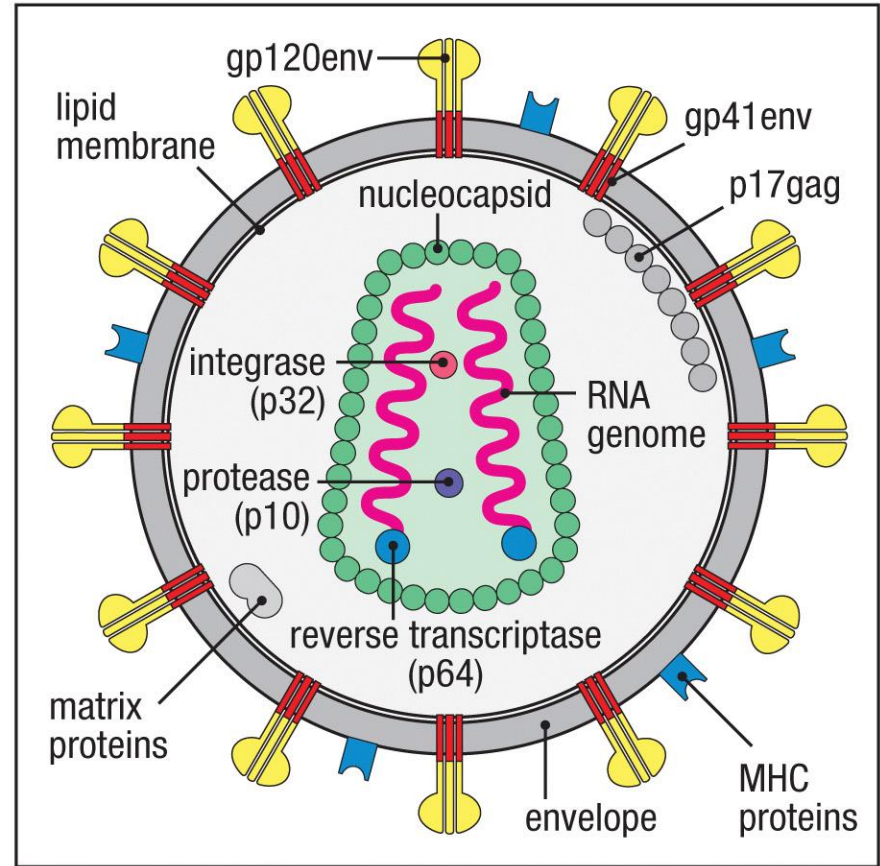
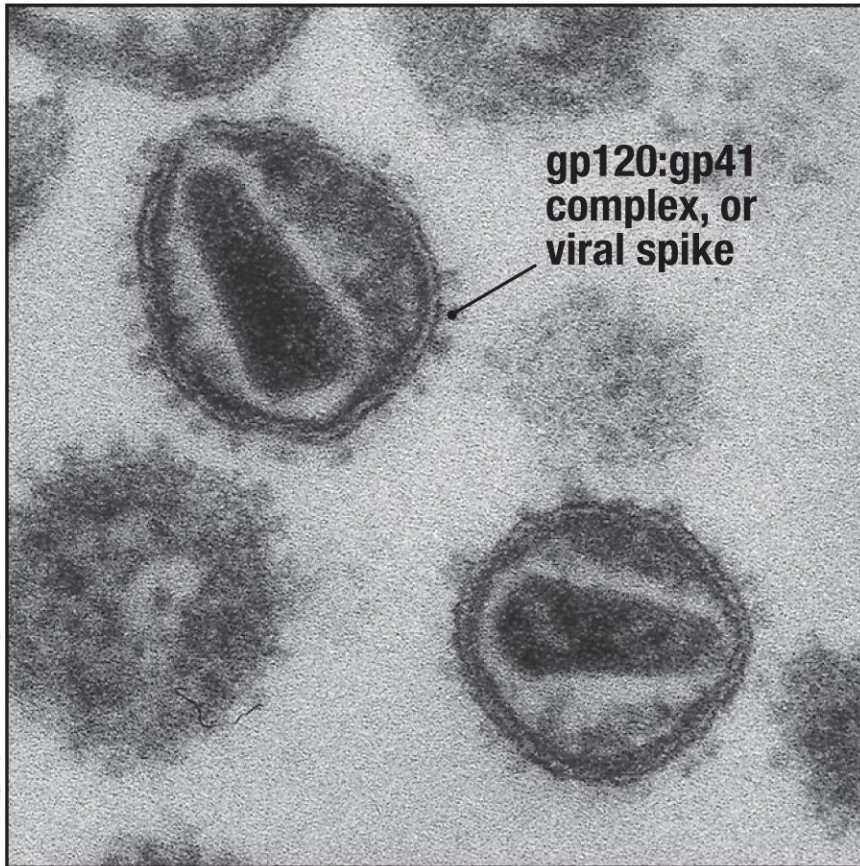
# Opportunistic Infections and Malignancies Are the Cause of Death of Patients with AIDS

Infections	
Parasites	<i>Toxoplasma</i> spp. <i>Cryptosporidium</i> spp. <i>Leishmania</i> spp. <i>Microsporidium</i> spp.
Intracellular bacteria	<i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i> <i>Mycobacterium avium intracellulare</i> <i>Salmonella</i> spp.
Fungi	<i>Pneumocystis jirovecii</i> <i>Cryptococcus neoformans</i> <i>Candida</i> spp. <i>Histoplasma capsulatum</i> <i>Coccidioides immitis</i>
Viruses	Herpes simplex Cytomegalovirus varicella-zoster
Malignancies	
Kaposi's sarcoma – (HHV8) Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, including EBV-positive Burkitt's lymphoma Primary lymphoma of the brain	

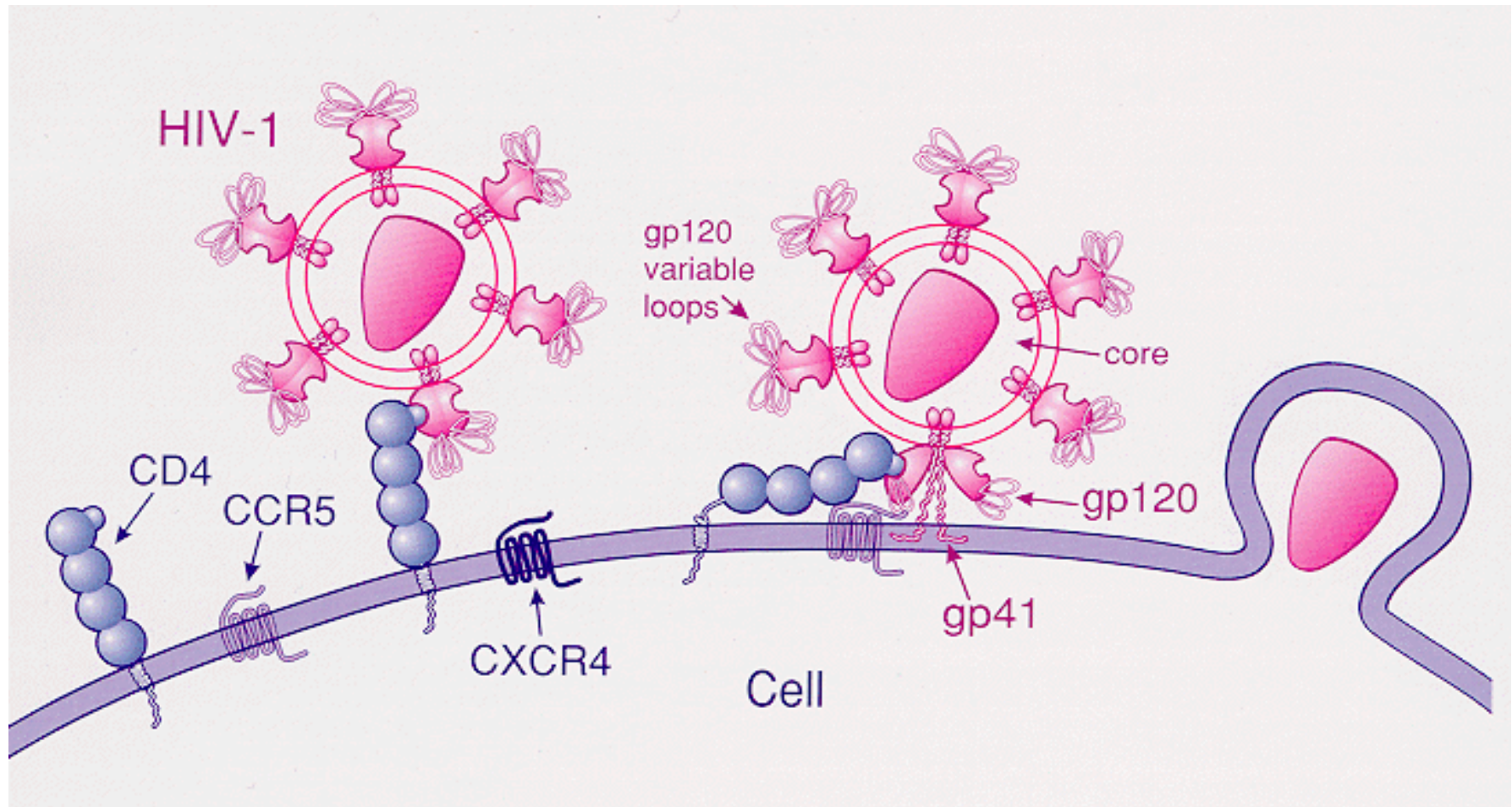


# HIV Structure

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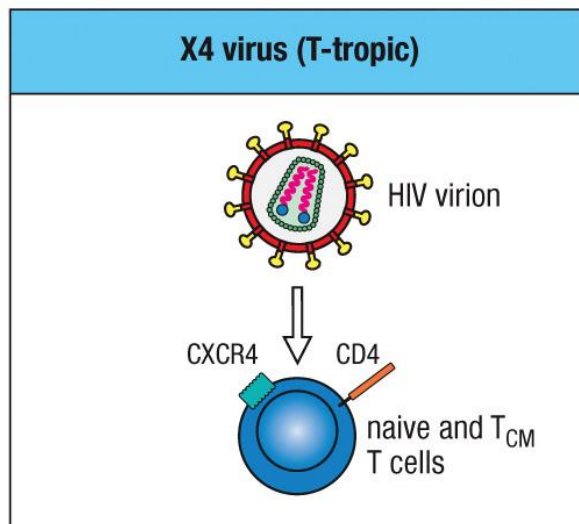
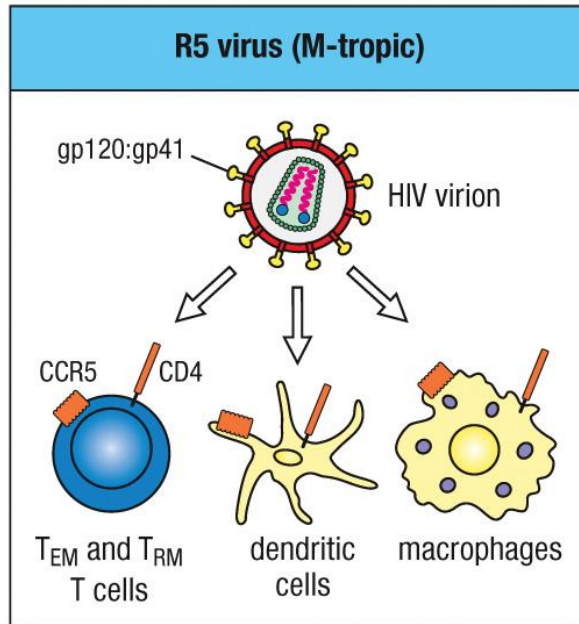


# Cellular Tropism of HIV Is Determined by Expression of CCR5 and CXCR4 Receptors

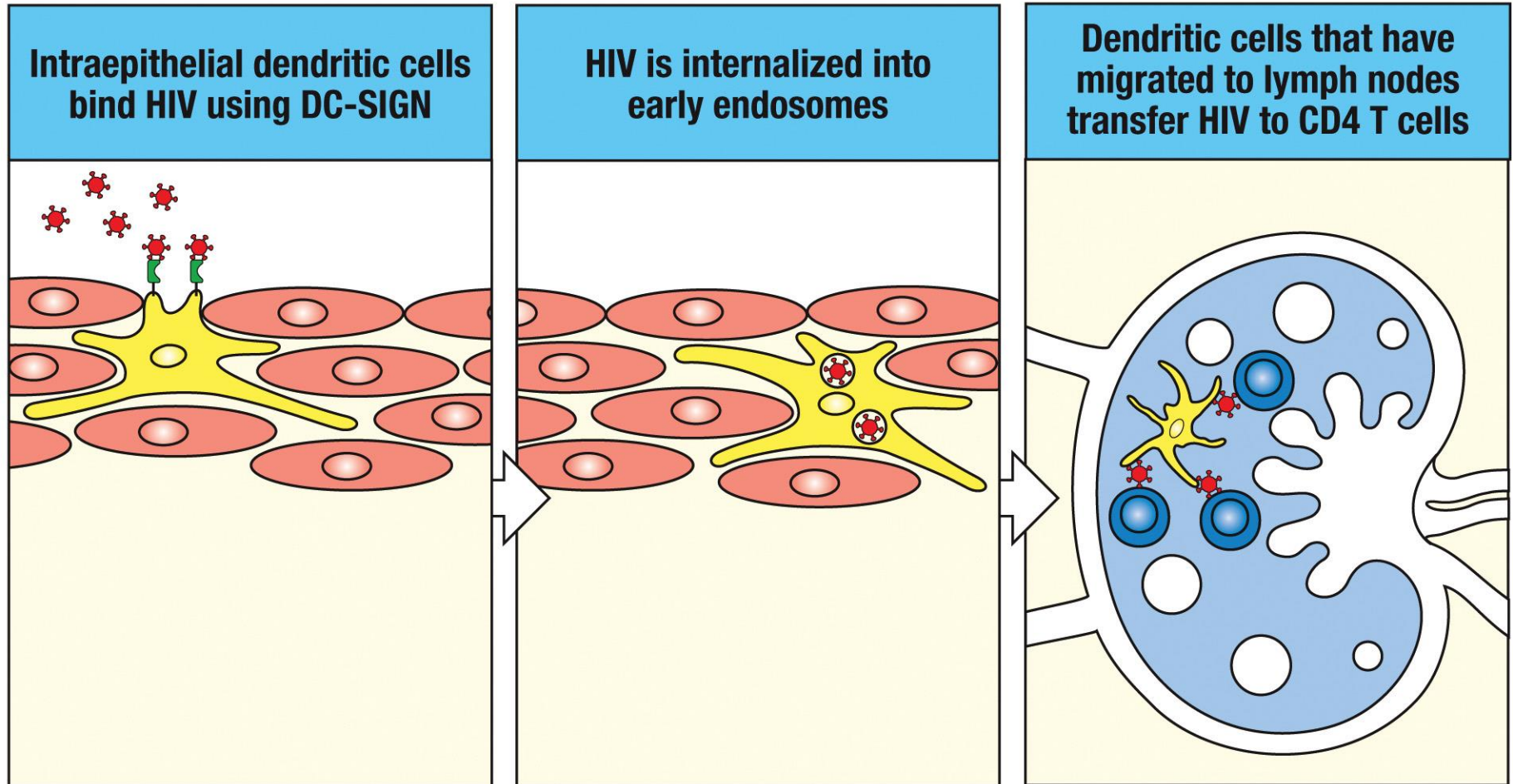




# HIV Tropism

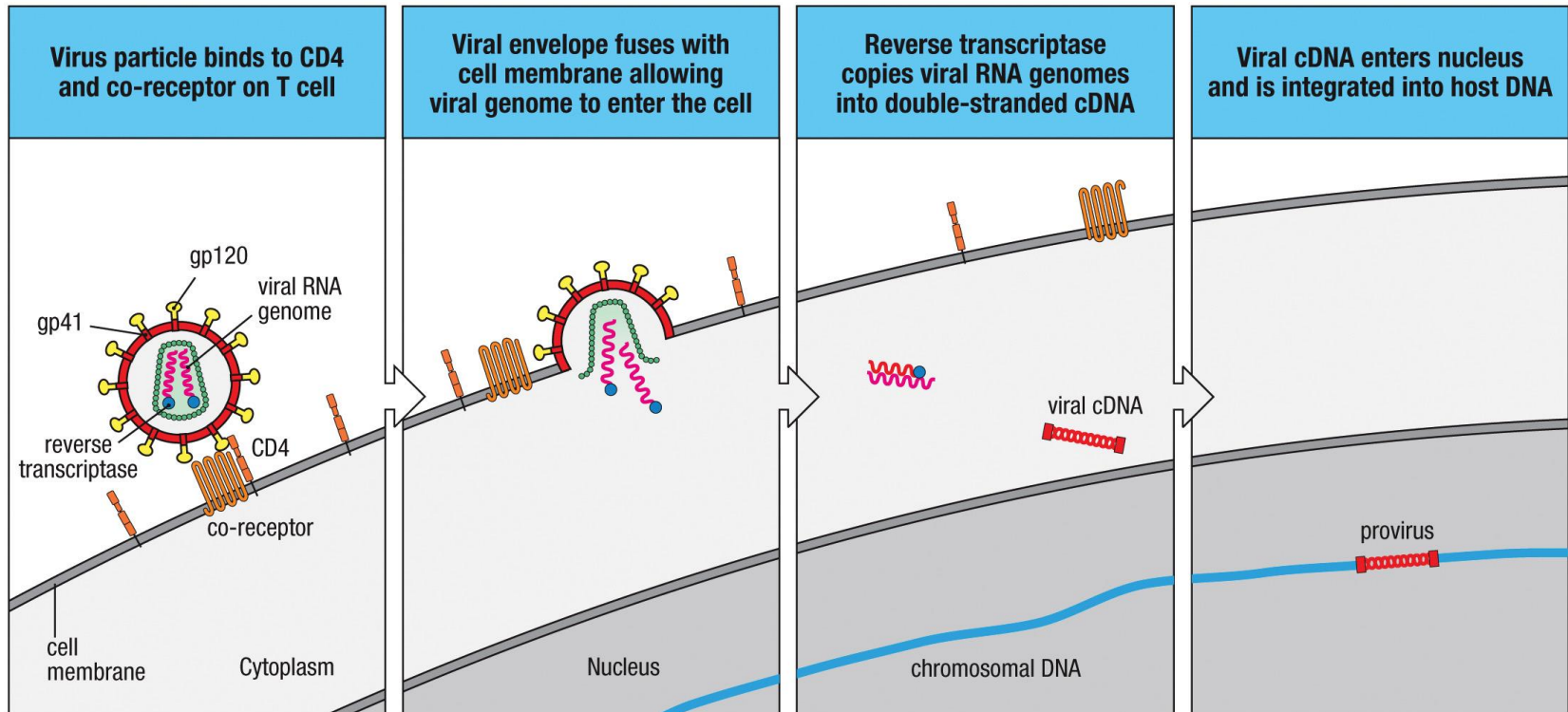


# HIV Enters Through Mucosal Surfaces



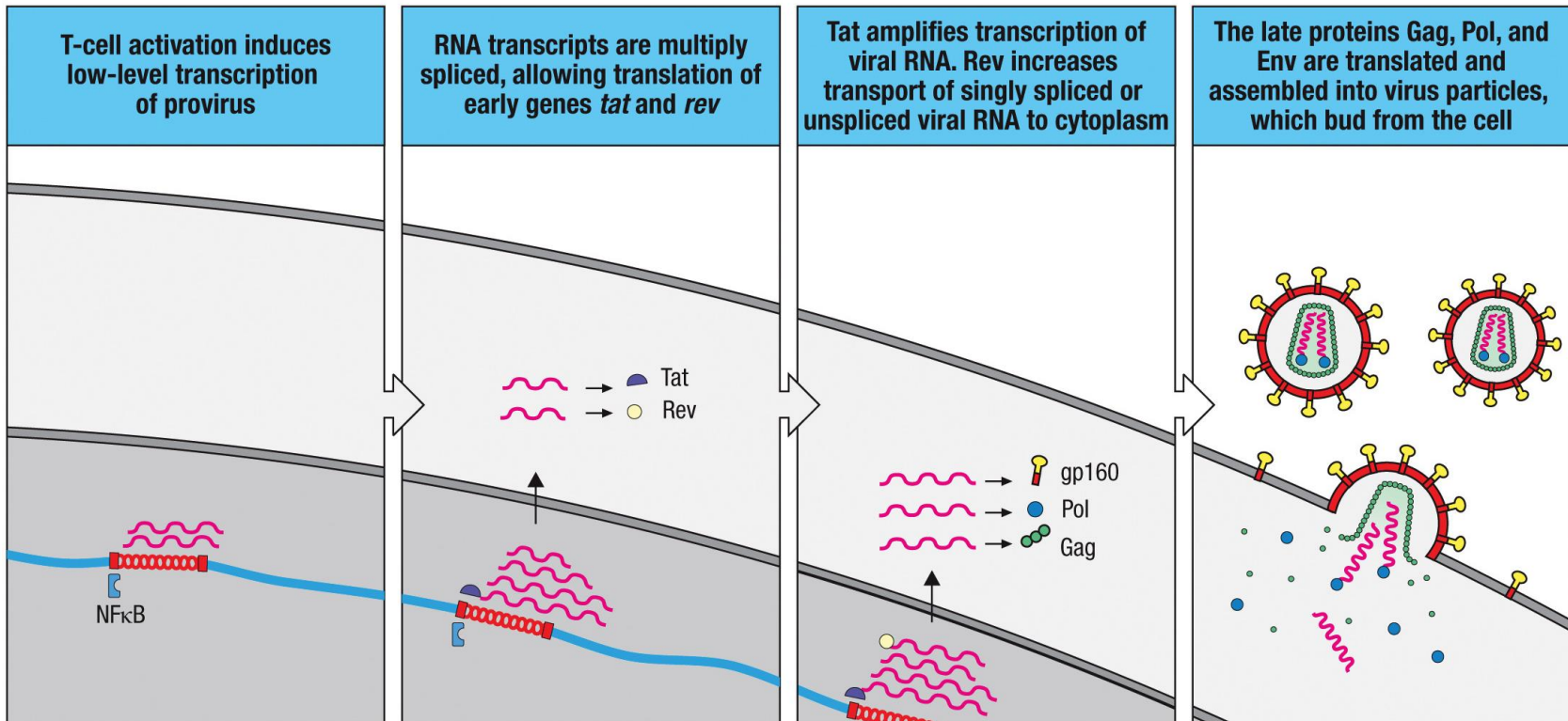


# The Life Cycle of HIV



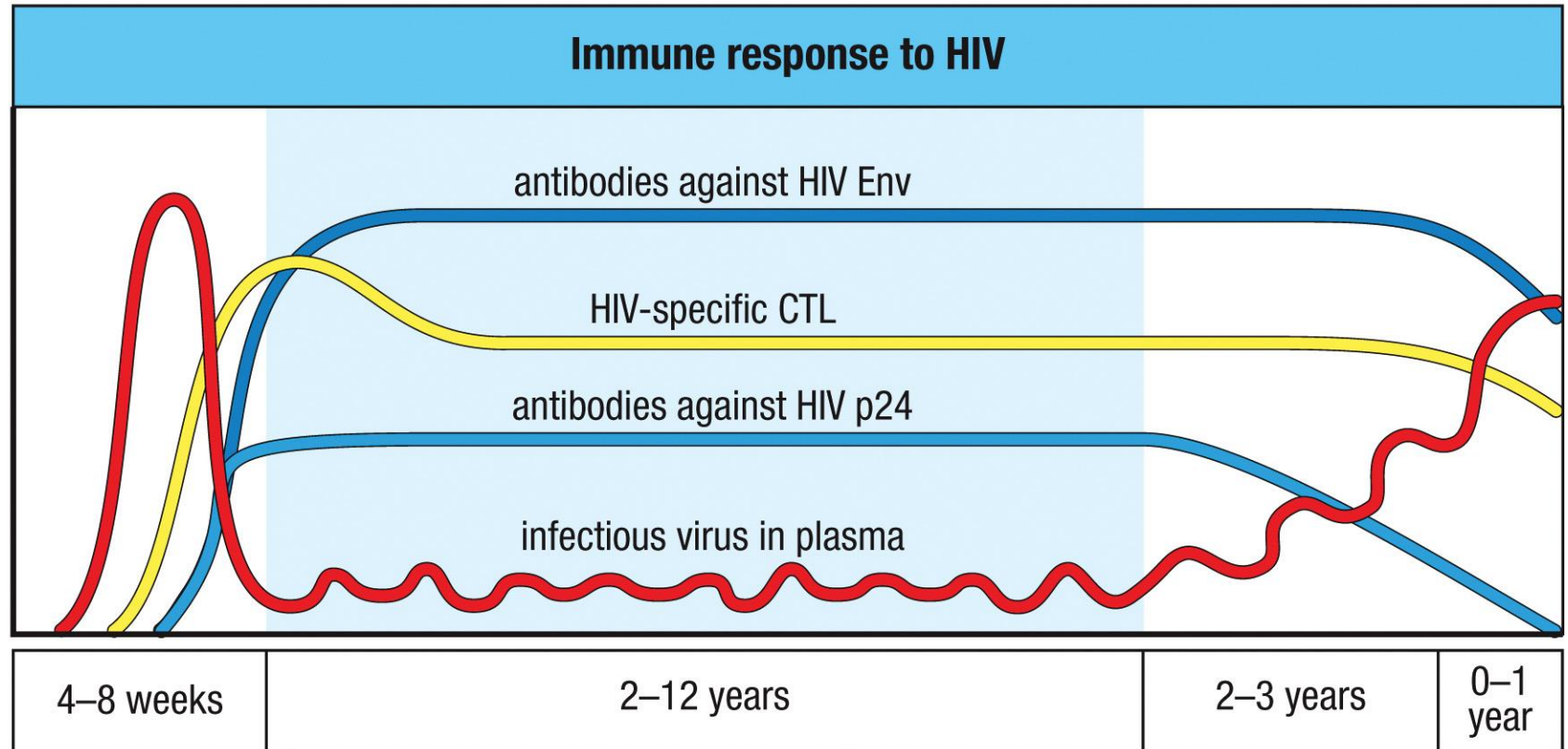
HIV can latently infect cells

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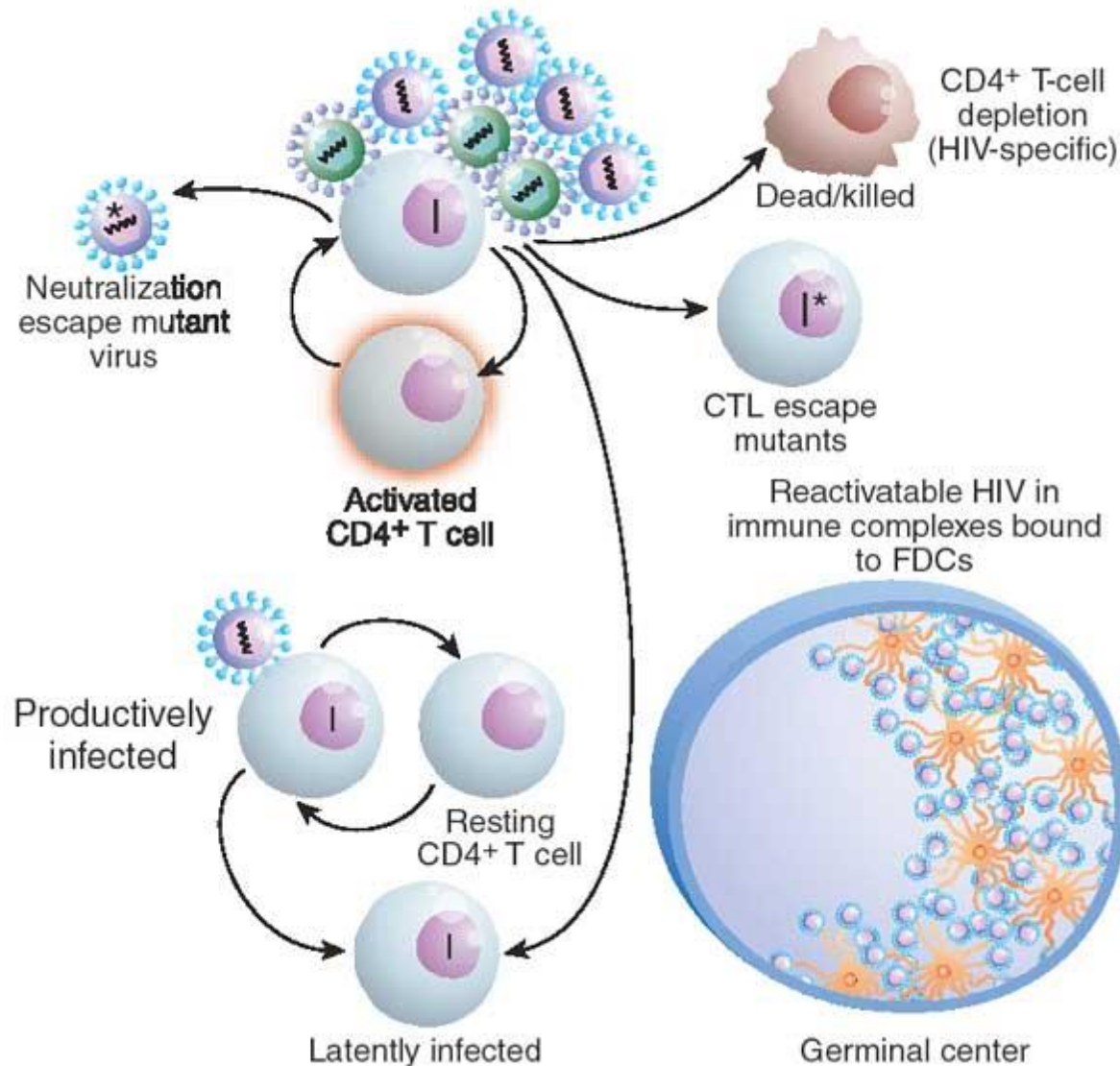


HIV replication requires activation of infected cells

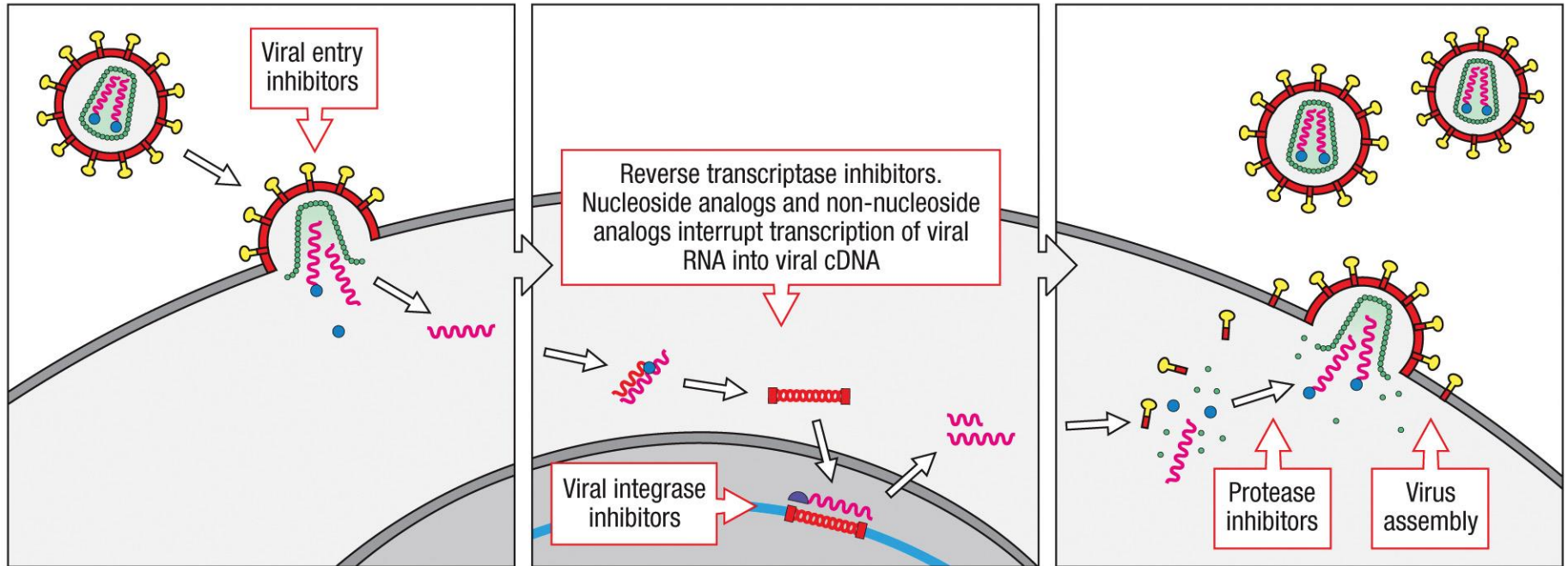
# HIV Evades Host Immune Responses



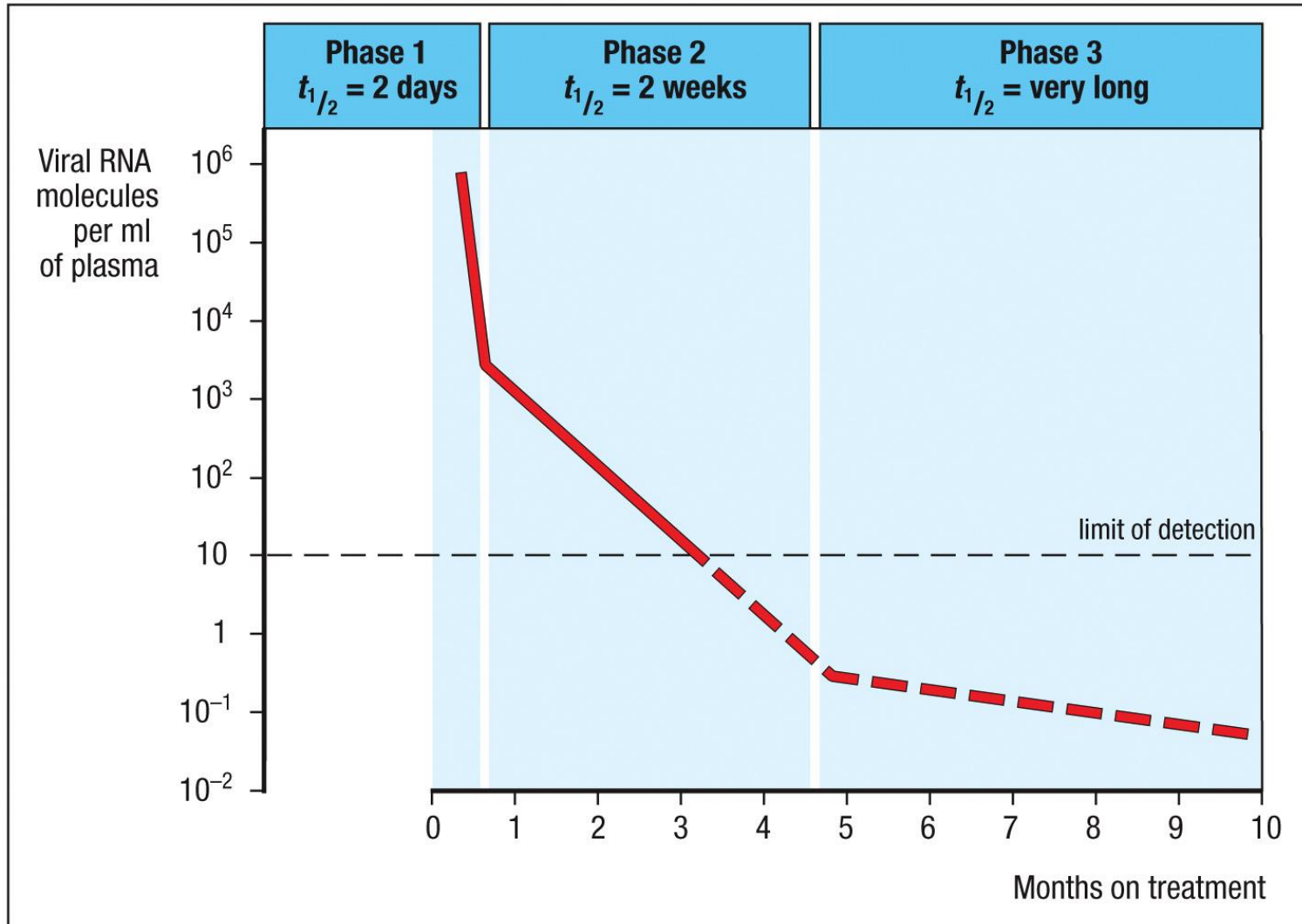
# Lymphoid Tissue is the Major Reservoir of HIV Infection



# Strategies to Combat HIV Infection

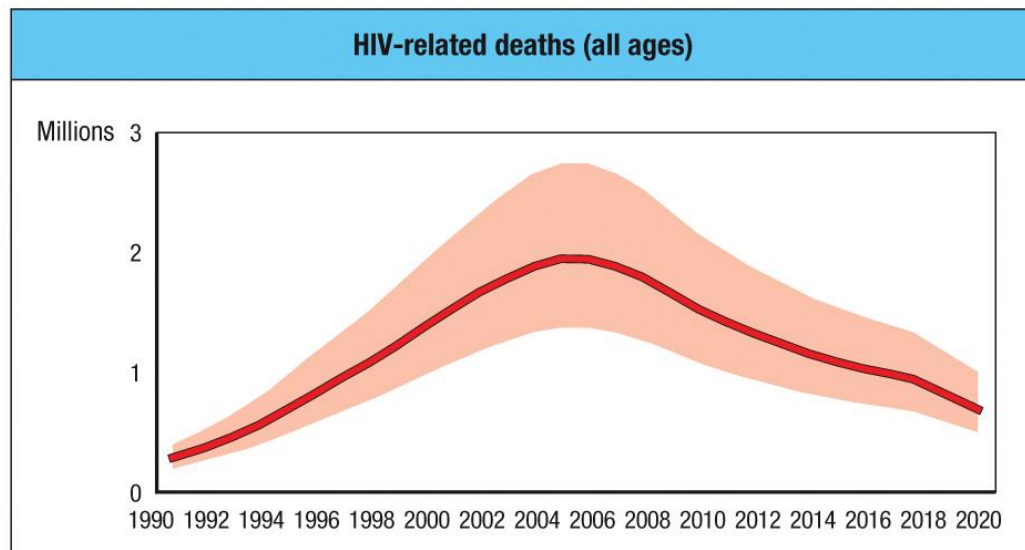
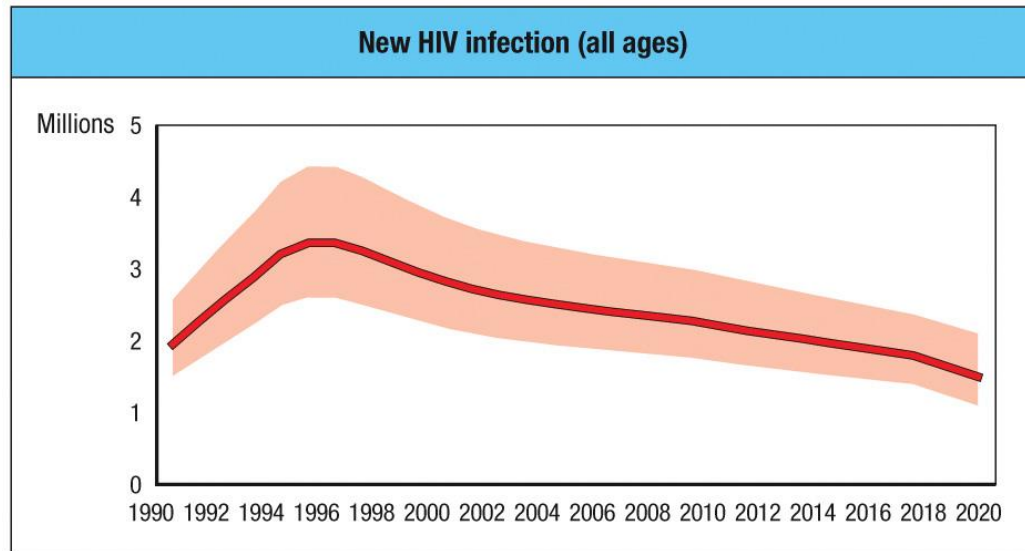


# Success of Anti-Retroviral Therapy





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# Why is HIV So Hard to Control?

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- Kill CD4 T cells
  - The cells required to control infection
- High mutation rates
  - Combination drugs
- Latent infection
  - Most effectively controlled by blocking colonization
    - Entry blocker
    - Vaccine (various strains? neutralizing antibodies)
    - Prevent the spread of HIV



# Bone Marrow Transplant As a Treatment for AIDS

Genes that influence progression to AIDS				
Gene	Allele	Mode	Effect	Mechanism of action
HIV entry				
<i>CCR5</i>	$\Delta 32$	Recessive	Prevents infection	Knockout of CCR5 expression
		Dominant	Prevents lymphoma (L)	Decreases available CCR5
			Delays AIDS	
	P1	Recessive	Accelerates AIDS (E)	Increases CCR5 expression
<i>CCR2</i>	I64	Dominant	Delays AIDS	Interacts with and reduces CXCR4
<i>CCL5</i>	In1.1c	Dominant	Accelerates AIDS	Decreases CCL5 expression
<i>CXCL12</i>	3'A	Recessive	Delays AIDS (L)	Impedes CCR5–CXCR4 transition (?)
<i>CXCR6</i>	E3K	Dominant	Accelerates <i>P. jirovecii</i> pneumonia (L)	Alters T-cell activations (?)
<i>CCL2-CCL7-CCL11</i>	H7	Dominant	Enhances infection	Stimulates immune response (?)

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