

# Cell Mediated Immunity



- To describe antigen recognition by T cells
- To describe the pathways involved in processing endogenous and exogenous antigens
- To discuss self MHC restriction in Ag presentation to T cells
- To describe the induction of cell meditated immunity (Chronic Inflammation)





#### Immune system has 2 arms: Innate and Adaptive

Adaptive

It comprimises of Antigen presenting cells

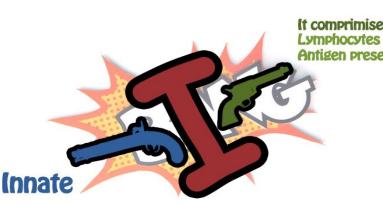
- Humoral Immunity: B lymphocyte **Cellular Immunity:** T lymphocyte:
- Th (helper)
- Tc (cytotoxic)

#### **Characteristics of Adaptive** Immunity:

- Antigenic specificity.
- Diversity, can recognize billion different antigens.
- Immunological memory
- Self vs non-self recognition

Phagocytes

- Neutrophils
- Monocytes/Macrophage
- Natural Killer
- Interferon
- Chemokine
- Tumor Necrosis Factors(TNF)
- Interleukin (IL)
- **Complement System**



**Bodys first line of defence** includes four main types of defensive barriers

**Physical or Anatomical barrier Physiological barrier** Phagocytic barrier Inflamatory barrier



- T cells (lymphocytes) bind to the surface of other cells (<u>Antigen Presenting Cells</u>) that display the antigen and trigger a response.
- Mononuclear cell inflammatory process usually associated with chronic inflammations.

APC	Location
Monocyte	Peripheral Blood
Macrophage	Tissues
Dendritic cells	Lymphoid tissue
Langerhans cells	Epidermis
B cells	Lymphoid tissue, Blood

(MHC) proteins were discovered for the first time with when tissue transplantation started.

The success of tissue and organ transplantation depends upon the match of donor's and recipient's "human leukocyte antigens" (HLA) encoded by HLA genes.

Each group of MHC consists of several glycoproteins

Complex (MHC) MHC Class I molecules are found on the surface of virtually all nucleated cells

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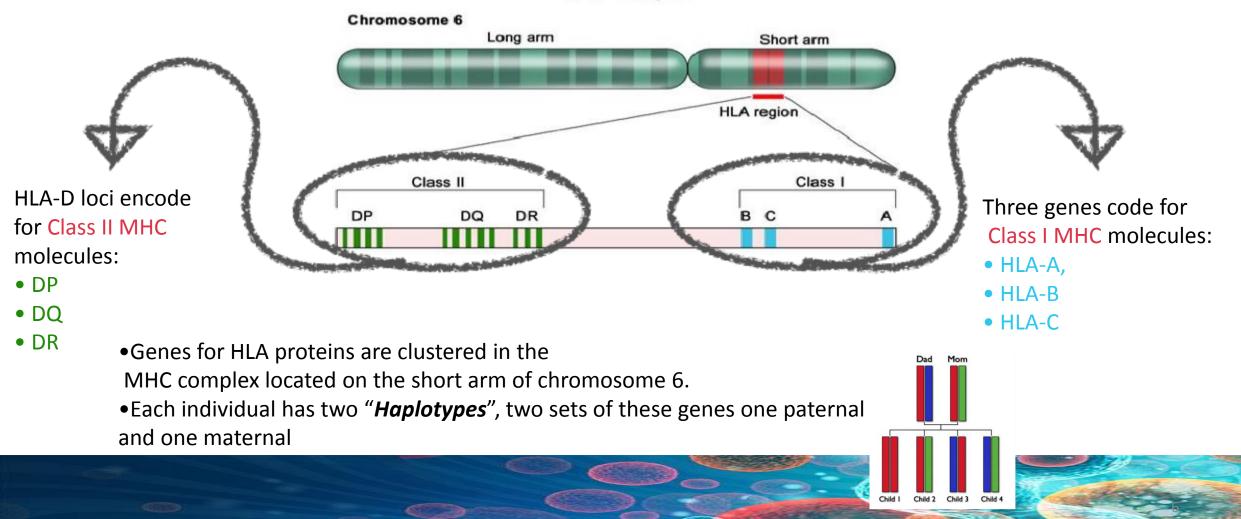
MHC Class II molecules are normally present on the surface of antigen presenting cells.

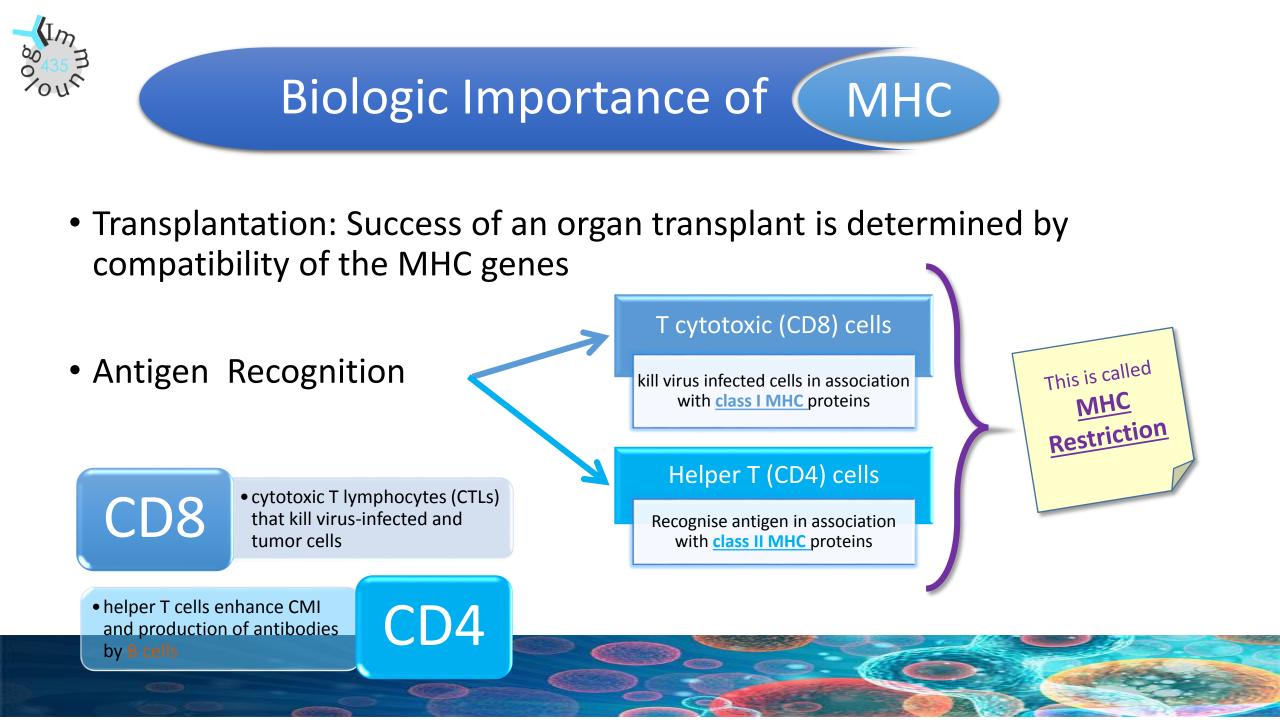
Such as: Macrophages, Dendritic cells, Langerhans cells of skin, B cells.

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#### **HLA Complex**







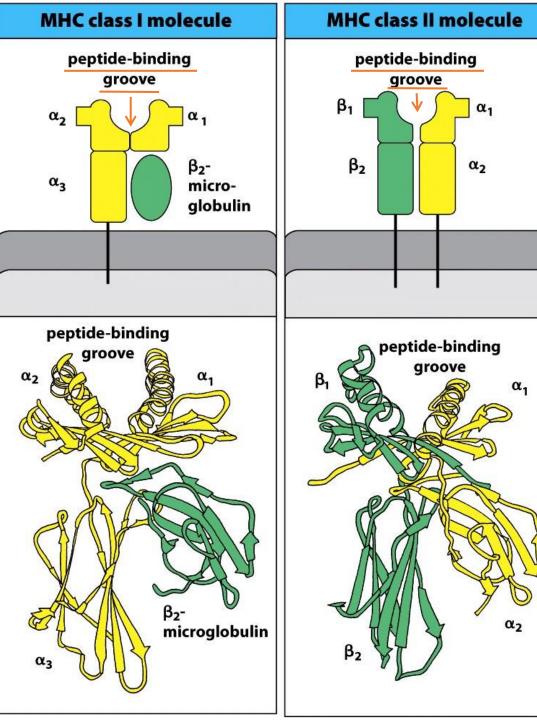
#### What is the function of MHC I?

presenting antigens **processed in cytosol** to cell surface to **CD8 T-cells** (Tc-cells)

all nucleated cells present MHC I

أي بعدما يدخل الباثوجين للخلية ويُطلق antigens، يرتبط الـ antigens للـ peptide-binding groove وينتقلون إلى سطح الخلية ليرتبط مع الـ CD8 T-cells المسمى أيضاً بـ T-cytotoxic cell ليقتل الخلية التي تحمل الباثوجين

Click that to  $\rightarrow$ Watch the MHC Class I journey.



## What is the function of MHC II?

presenting antigens **processed in endocytic vesicles** to cell surface to **CD4 T-cells** (Th-cells)

professional APCs present MHC II (macrophages, dendritic cells, B-cells)

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Major Differences between MHC classes I and II

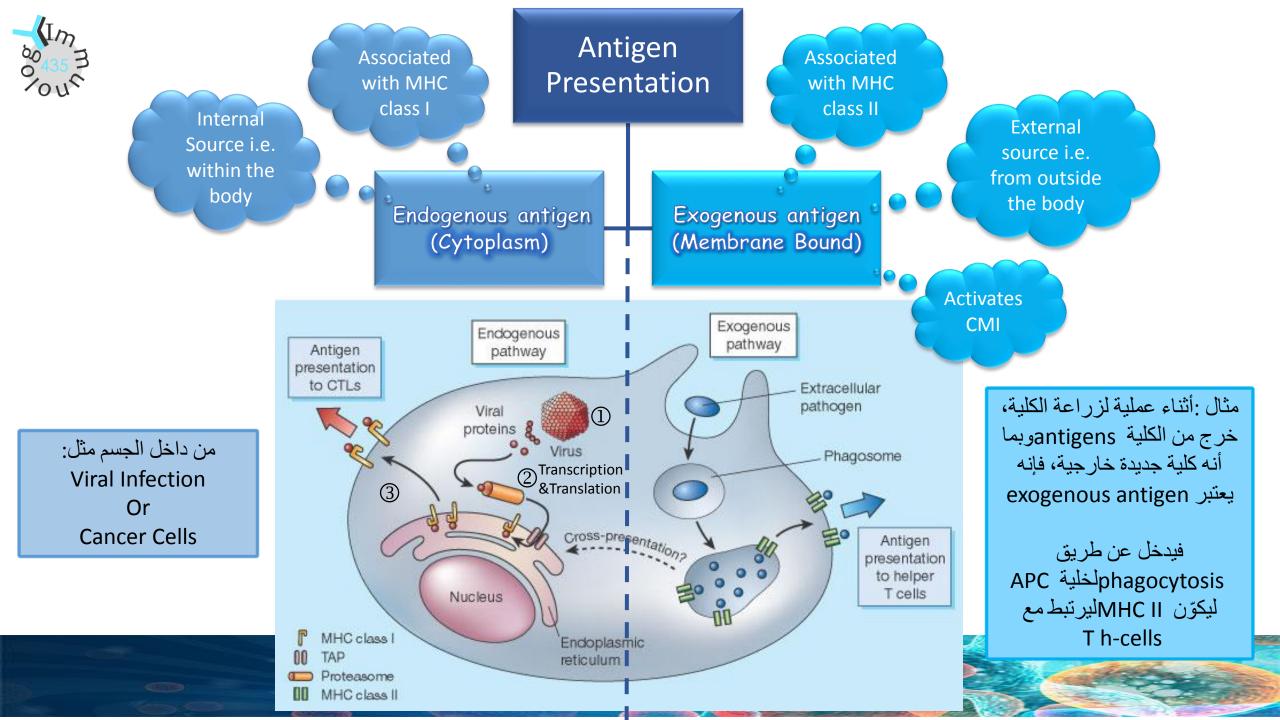
MHC class I Comprised of an MHC-encoded α chain and a β2-microglobulin chain Present on most cells

Bind endogenous antigens
synthesized in a cell
Present antigen to cytotoxic T cell
lymphocytes
Bind CD8 adhesion molecules on
cytotoxic T cells
Presence of foreign or overabundant antigens targets cell for
destruction

 $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{MHC class II} \\ \text{Comprised of MHC-encoded } \alpha \\ \text{and } \beta \text{ chains} \end{array}$ 

Present only on antigenpresenting cells Binds exogenous antigens

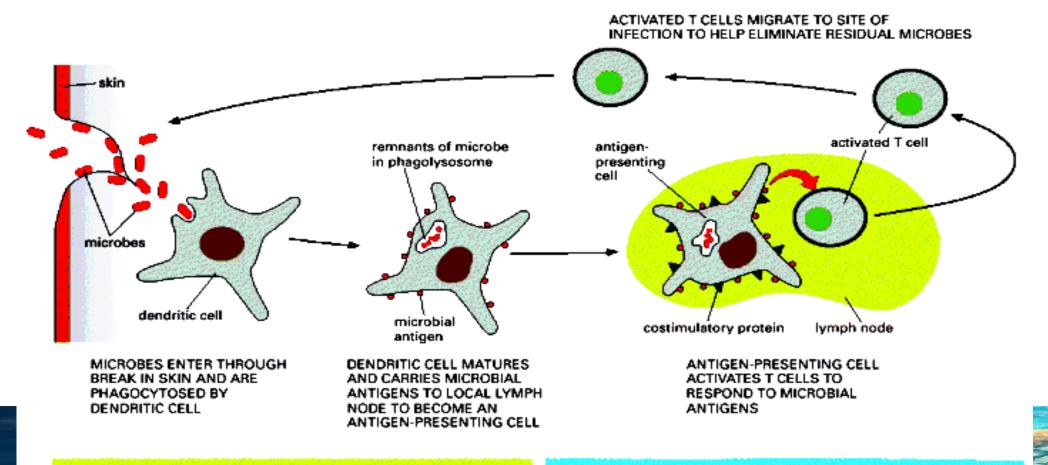
Present antigen to helper T cell lymphocytes Bind CD4 adhesion molecules on helper T cells Presence of foreign antigens induces antibody production, and attracts immune cells to area of infection





## Antigen Presenting Cell ( APC

 <u>Dendritic cells</u> and <u>macrophages</u> digest invading microbe and then present the antigen of the microbe <u>to lymphocytes in lymphoid organs</u>



#### First Signal:

- MHC class II + antigen *binds to* TCR (T-cell receptor)
- IL-1, LFA-1 with ICAM

Extra info: ICAM: (Intercellular Adhesion Molecule)

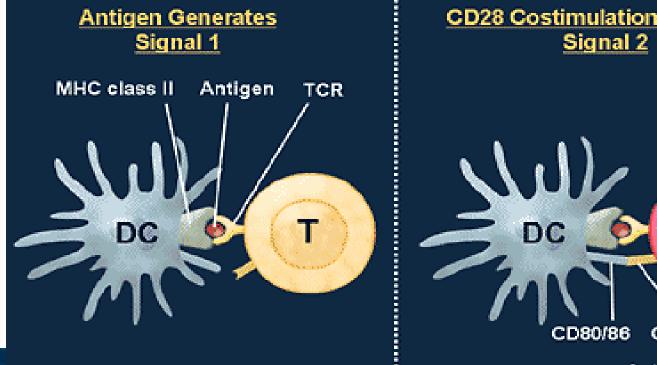
IL-1: is a group of 11 cytokines, which plays a central role in the regulation of immune and inflammatory responses

LFA-1: is involved in recruitment to the site of infection.

Cytokines: loose category of small proteins that are important in cell signalling.

### T-cell activation requires

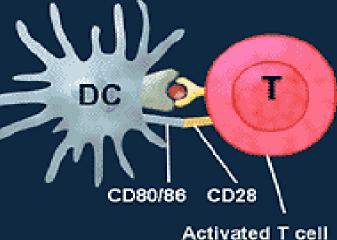
## **T** Cell Activation Requires 2 Signals



DC = dendritic cell Schwartz, Annu Rov Immunol, 2003;21:305.

## CD28 Costimulation Provides

2 signals



Second Signal (Costimulatory):

**B7 on APC** interacts with CD28 on lymphocyte

Extra info: B7: is a type of peripheral membrane protein

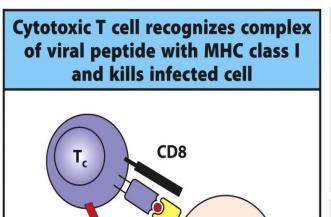
There are two major types of B7 proteins: B7-1 or CD80, and B7-2 or CD86.





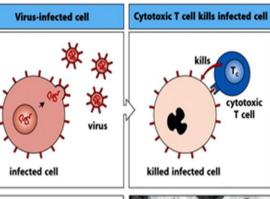
## Role of (TCR

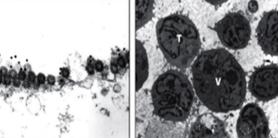
The TCR on CD8 + T cells interact with the MHC class I molecule & Ag.

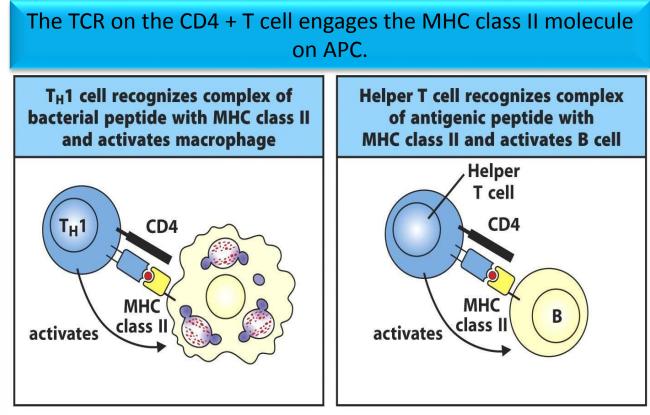


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### **Out come of T helper cell activation**

### $\circ~$ Production of IL-2 and its receptor

- IL-2 is also know as T cell growth factor
- Proliferation of antigen specific T cells
- Effector and regulatory cells are produced along with "memory" cells
- IL-2 also stimulates CD8 cytotoxic cells

### Production of Interferons

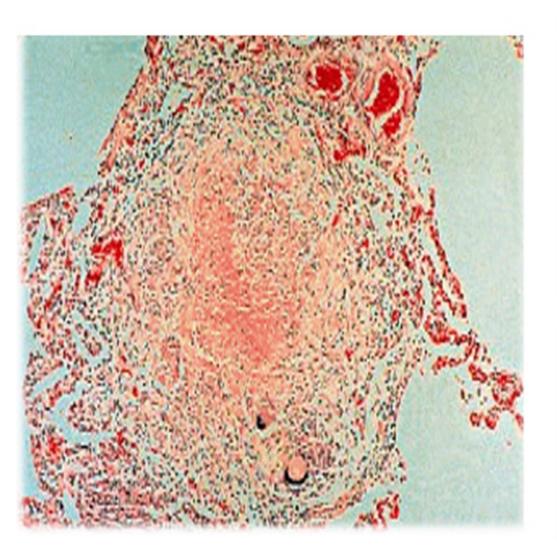
Enhances anti-microbial activity of macrophages

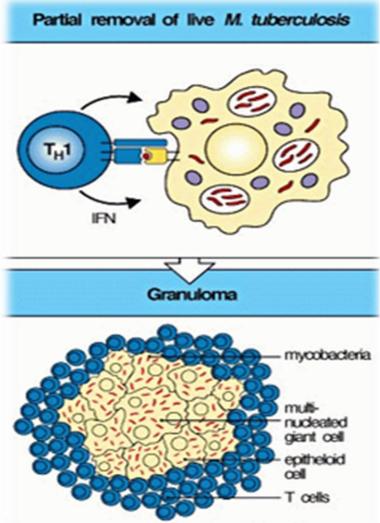
### Memory T cells

- Respond rapidly for many years after initial exposure to antigen
- A large number of memory cells are produced so that the secondary response is greater than the primary
- Memory cells live for many years and have the capacity to multiply
- They are activated by smaller amount of antigen
- They produce greater amounts of interleukins



#### An example of immune system response is : Granuloma Formation (Chronic Inflammation, e.g. TB)

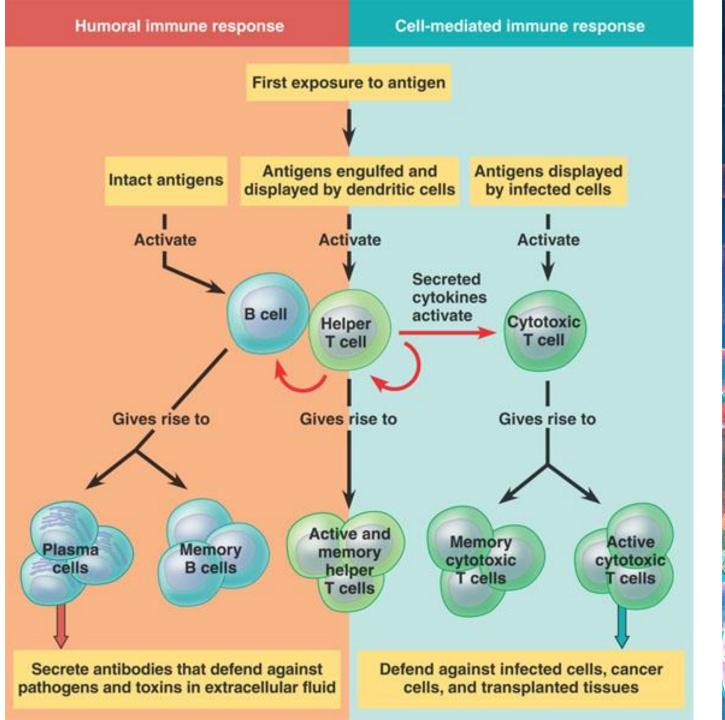






#### Explanation :

- T helper activates both B cells and T cytotoxic lymphocyte.
- T helper cell is the linkage between two response (Humoral immune and Cell mediated immune)





## **Examples of Cell Mediated Immunity**

### Delayed type of hypersensitivity (DTH) reaction:

#### The tuberculin test

 Mediated by CD4+ T cells and takes about 72 hours to develop

#### **Contact Dermatitis**



### Contact Sensitivity:

- Many people develop rashes on their skin following contact with certain chemicals such as nickel, certain dyes, and poison ivy plant
- The response takes some 24 hours to occur and like DTH, it is triggered by CD4+ T cells



## Summary

- Cell mediated adaptive immune response is specific and develops after exposure to a pathogen (antigen)
- Initial antigen exposure results in generation of memory cells for a stronger and a quicker response against future exposures to the same pathogen
- It is usually associated with chronic infections
- Antibodies are not involved



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