

## Supplementary Material

### Pathogen spectrum and immunotherapy in patients with anti-IFN- $\gamma$ autoantibodies: a multicenter retrospective study and systematic review

A total of 1540 articles published in English between January 1, 1985 and September 31, 2021, were identified by systematic literature review. After reviewing the article abstracts, 1399 articles not relevant to AIGAs were excluded. Among the remaining 144 articles, 96 (1-96) were used as data sources.

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**Supplementary Table 1.** Clinical characteristics and outcome of the 79 participants in the retrospective study

Variable	n=79
Age (year)	49 (45, 60)
Sex, female n (%)	36 (45.6)
AIGAs titers (ng/mL)	49327.9 (25222.9, 84167.8)
No. of infecting pathogens*	2 (1, 7)
No. of involved sites	3 (2, 6)
WBC×10 <sup>9</sup> cells/L	17.9 (13.8, 22.6)
N×10 <sup>9</sup> cells/L	12.3 (8.53, 15.2)
L×10 <sup>9</sup> cells/L	2.5 (1.6, 3.6)
HGB g/L	91.0 (78.4, 104.5)
ESR mm/h	104.0 (96.2, 119.8)
CRP mg/L	152.9 (126.3, 200.0)
CD4 <sup>+</sup> T-cell cells/µL	660 (430, 999)
CD8 <sup>+</sup> T-cell cells/µL	489 (321, 902)
CD3 <sup>+</sup> T-cell cells/µL	897 (586, 1591)
IgG g/L	22.7 (19.3, 29.7)
IgA g/L	2.7 (1.8, 4.0)
IgM g/L	1.3 (0.97, 2.0)
Globulin g/L	45.9 (36.8, 53.55)
Prognosis and outcomes n (%)	

Cured	17 (21.5%)
Persistent infection	23 (29.1%)
Relapse infection	27 (34.2%)
Death	12 (15.2%)

Data are expressed as median ± interquartile range.

Abbreviations: AIGAs, Anti-IFN- $\gamma$  auto-antibodies, WBC, White blood cell; N, neutrophil counts; L, Lymphocyte counts; HGB, hemoglobin; ESR, erythrocyte sedimentation rate; CRP, C-reactive protein; Ig, immunoglobulin.

Normal range: IgG: 8–18 g/L, IgA: 2.01–2.69 g/L, IgM: 0.84–1.32 g/L, CD4+ T-cell: 410–1590 cells/ $\mu$ L, CD8+ T-cell: 190–1140 cells/ $\mu$ L, CD3+ T-cell: 690–2540 cells/ $\mu$ L.