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Adoptive Immunotherapy

National Cancer Institute

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A technique for enhancing cell-mediated immunity by: 1) artificially increasing the number of specific immunocompetent cells through inoculation of either ex-vivo expanded primarily activated cytotoxic lymphocytes or genetically engineered lymphocytes with enhanced cytotoxic ability or 2) by altering tumor cells to make them more immunogenic.