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# CXC Cytokine Gene

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CXC Cytokine Genes encode Alpha Chemokines, CXC-type dual-cysteine chemokines with paired cysteine residues separated by a non-cysteine residue in their primary sequence that act as chemoattractants for neutrophils, but not for monocytes. (NCI)