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Attenuated *Listeria monocytogenes* CRS-100

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A live-attenuated strain of the Gram-positive bacterium *Listeria monocytogenes* (Lm) with potential immunostimulatory and antineoplastic activities. Upon intravenous administration, attenuated *Listeria monocytogenes* CRS-100 may accumulate in and infect liver cells where it may activate a potent innate immune response and an adaptive immune response involving the by recruitment and activation of T lymphocytes. This agent may potentiate the immune response to vaccines against various liver neoplasms.