Supplemental Materials

Animals. IL-12p35 knockout mice were originally purchased from the Jackson Laboratory and were bred at Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth. Female mice (6-8 week old) were used for experiments.

NK depletion. Depleting anti-NK (clone PK136) antibodies were produced as bioreactor supernatant. 250 ml, equivalent to 250 mg of the antibody, was administered intraperitoneally 2 days prior to hyperthermia, on the day of hyperthermia and 5 days later. Greater than 95% depletion of NK cells was confirmed by flow cytometry.

MHC class I expression on B16. B16F10 cells were plated on 4 of T25 flasks. Next day, 2 flasks were transferred to an incubator set at 43°C and incubated for 30min. 24 or 48h after heating, cells were harvested from heated and unheated flasks. 2x10⁵ cells were blocked with anti-CD16/32 (eBioscience, CA), stained with anti-mouse H-2K^b (clone AF6-88.5) or its isotype antibody (BioLegend, CA), and analyzed by 7-Color MACSQuant (Miltenyi Biotec, CA).

In vitro heating of tumor-infiltrating leukocytes. Established B16 tumors were minced and filtered through 70μm strainers to obtain single cell suspension. Pooled cells were resuspended in 80% Percoll (GE Healthcare, WI) and placed in 50mL tubes. 40% Percoll was carefully added on the top and the tubes were spun at 410g for 25min at 18°C with no brake. Tumor-infiltrating leukocytes were harvested from the buffy layer, heated *in vitro* at 43°C 30min, and incubated at 37°C 14h. Cells were then stained with CD45, CD3e, CD8a, CD44 and CD69 and analyzed by 7-Color MACSQuant (Miltenyi Biotec, CA).

Vaccination study. Eppendorf tubes containing $6x10^{6}$ CT26 cells in 600 ml plain RPMI medium were g-irradiated (10,000 rads) and heated on a heat block at 37, 40, 43, or 46°C for 30 min and were rested at 37°C for 2h. On day - 14 and -7, mice were ID vaccinated with 50ml of the heated cell solution (equivalent to $5x10^{5}$ CT26 cells) on the right flank. On day 0, mice were challenged ID with $1x10^{5}$ CT26 cells on the right (vaccinated side) and left flanks (contralateral side).

Supplemental Figure Legends

Supplemental Figure 1. Intratumoral heat difference is minimal. **(A)** Two temperature probes were placed approximately 3 mm apart within a tumor, and the tumor was heated as described in Method. **(A)** Readings from two temperature probes. Examples from two mice, showing the maximal temperature differences are both smaller than ± 0.4 °C, the accuracy of our system.

Supplemental Figure 2. IONPs only or an AMF only does not affect the growth kinetics of distal tumors. (A) Experimental design to test the effect of IONPs only or an AMF only in CT26 model. (B) Growth kinetics of distal CT26 tumors. (C) Experimental design to test the effect of IONP only or an AMF only in B16 model. (D) Growth kinetics of distal B16 tumors.

Supplemental Figure 3. IONPs only or an AMF only does not affect the growth kinetics of secondary B16 tumors. (A) Experimental design to test the effect of IONPs only or an AMF only. (B) Growth kinetics of secondary tumors.

Supplemental Figure 4. NK cells are not required for the treatment efficacy. (A) Experimental design to test if NK cells are required for the treatment efficacy. (B) Histogram of splenocytes from mice with or without NK depleting antibody treatment, showing successful NK cell depletion. (C) Growth kinetics of secondary tumors.

Supplemental Figure 5. IL-12 is not required for the treatment efficacy. (A) Experimental design to test if IL-12 is required for the treatment efficacy. (B) Growth kinetics of secondary tumors.

Supplemental Figure 6. 45°C 20 min increases but does not activate CD8⁺ T cells in dLN. (A) Experimental design to test if 45°C 20 min increases and activates CD4⁺ and CD8⁺ T cells. (B) % CD4⁺ T cells and % CD8⁺ T cells among leukocytes (CD45⁺ cells) in dLN (top) and % CD44⁺ CD69⁺ cells among CD4⁺ T cells and CD8⁺ T cells in dLN (bottom). **Supplemental Figure 7**. CD8 depleting antibody treatment successfully depletes CD8⁺ T cells without affecting other major immune populations. **(A)** Experimental design to test how CD8 depleting antibodies affect major immune populations. **(B)** Number of CD8⁺ T cells, CD4⁺ T cells, B220⁺ cells, CD11b⁺ cells, CD11c⁺ cells, and NK1.1⁺ cells in the spleen from mice with or without CD8 depleting antibody treatment.

Supplemental Figure 8. Heating B16 cells *in vitro* at 43°C 30min induces upregulation of surface MHC class I. **(A)** Experimental design to test if heating B16 cells *in vitro* at 43°C 30min induces upregulation of surface MHC class I. **(B)** Representative histograms for unheated cells (top) and heated cells (middle), comparing isotype and MHC class I stainings, and histograms for MHCI class I stainings, comparing unheated cells and heated cells (bottom).

Supplemental Figure 9. Direct heating of tumor-infiltrating leukocytes at 43°C 30min does not activate T cells. **(A)** Experimental design to test if heating tumor-infiltrating leukocytes *in vitro* at 43°C 30min activates CD4⁺ or CD8⁺ T cells. **(B)** % CD44⁺ CD69⁺ cells among CD4⁺ T cells and CD8⁺ T cells after *in vitro* heating.

Supplemental Figure 10. Heating tumor cells for prophylactic vaccination *in vitro* before vaccination at 43°C or above dampens the vaccination effect. **(A)** Experimental design to test if heating tumor cells for prophylactic vaccination *in vitro* before vaccination affects the vaccination effect. **(B)** Growth kinetics of tumors given after vaccinations on the vaccinated side (left) and contralateral side (right).