Supporting Information:

Patient-derived Airway Secretion Dissociation Technique to Isolate and Concentrate Immune cells using Closed-loop Inertial Microfluidics

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Supplementary Figure S1. Photograph images of (A) 4-parallel spiral microfluidics (top) with fluidic adaptor (down), and (B) experimental setup for closed-loop operation.

Supplementary Figure S2. (A) Photograph and (B) microscopic images of patient-derived airway secretions before and after the closed-loop separation.

Supplementary Figure S3. Flow cytometric comparison of resulting suspension by (A) closed-loop separation and (B) mucolytic (DTT) method.

Supplementary Figure S4. Comparison of closed-loop and mucolytic (DTT) separated PMNs with blood-borne neutrophils (A) without external stimulation and (B) with neutrophil elastase inhibitor.

Supplementary Figure S5. Photograph images of patient airway secretion samples used in NE release functional assays.

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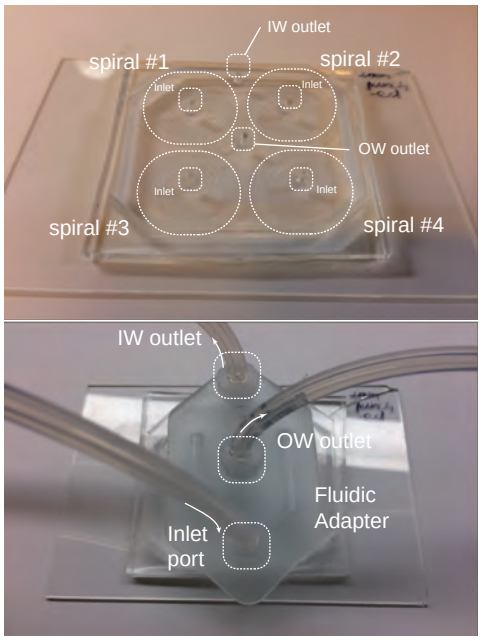

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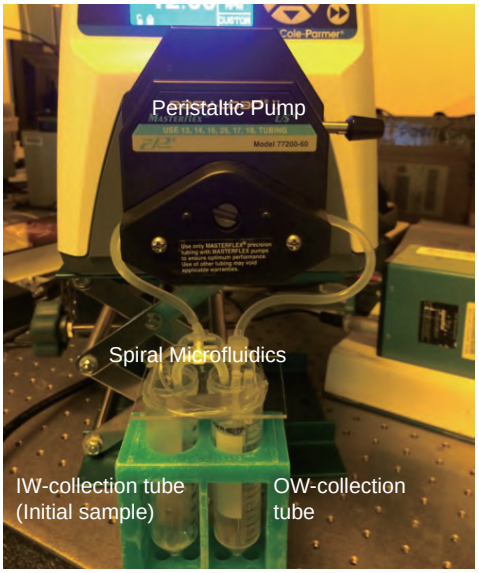

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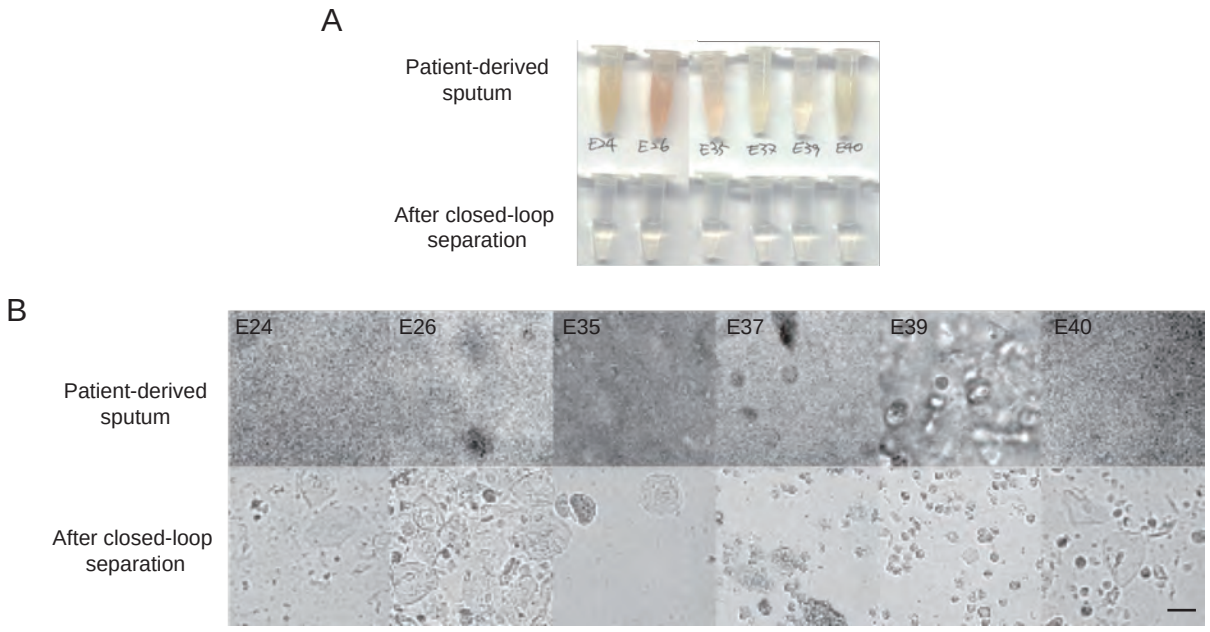

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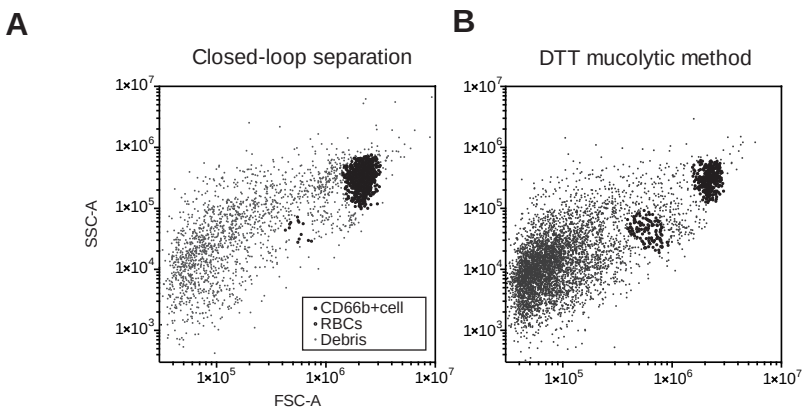

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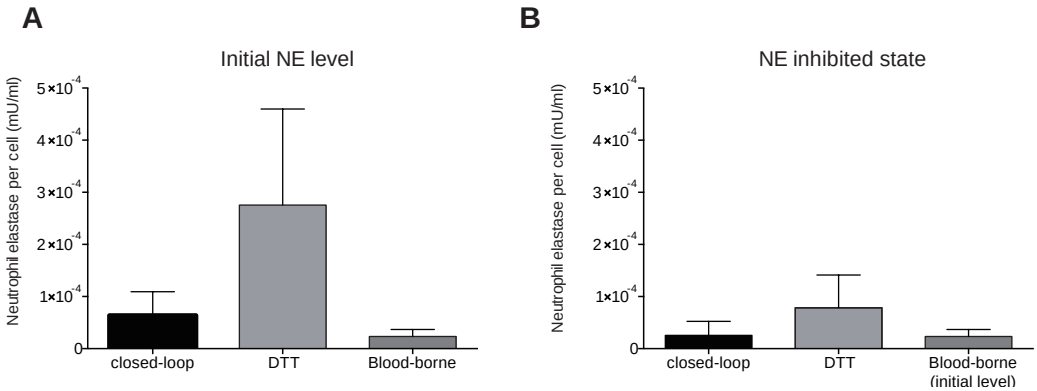

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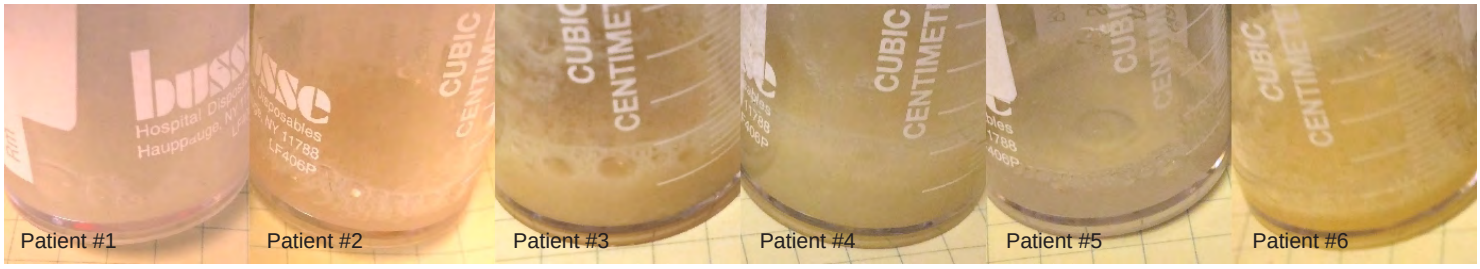

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