

S1 Table. Clinical characteristics of enrolled subjects for analyzing frequency of mMDSCs in whole blood

Group	HC	IT	IA⁺	IC	IA⁻
Gender (M/F)	7/13	10/8	7/4	9/6	9/4
Age (y)	36.9±8.81	29.27±4.76	38.63±8.68	43.15±9.73	41.25±9.71
ALT(U/l)	33±11.10	24±5.72	93.25±71.53	26.23±14.32	83.62±83.97
HBsAg (log₁₀IU/ml)	undetectable	4.69±0.043	3.98±0.70	2.78±0.90	3.00±0.58
HBeAg (S/CO)	undetectable	1551.97±125.57	905.81±694.21	undetectable	undetectable
HBV DNA (log₁₀IU/ml)	undetectable	7.57±0.042	6.99±0.59	undetectable	4.17±0.78

HC: Healthy controls; IT: immune-tolerant; IA⁺: HBeAg (+) chronic hepatitis B; IC:

inactive HBV carriers state; IA⁻: HBeAg (-) chronic hepatitis B