Supplementary Material

Neutrophil expressed CD47 regulates CD11b/CD18-dependent neutrophil transepithelial migration in the intestine *in vivo*.

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Supplementary Fig. 1. Flow cytometry analysis of PMN migrated into luminal content *in vivo*. **a** Transmigrated PMN into the intestinal lumen were identified as CD45⁺ CD11b^{high} Ly6G⁺ by flow cytometry. **b** Circulating PMN in peripheral blood, identified as CD45⁺ CD11b^{low} Ly6G⁺, were excluded in gating analysis of transmigrated PMN into the luminal space (TEpM). **c** Analysis of PMN TEpM *in vivo* using a proximal colon loop model reveals that *Cd47^{-/-}* mice have significantly reduced numbers of PMN that migrated to the intestinal lumen 1 hr after intraluminal instillation of leukotriene B₄ (LTB₄; 1 nM) compared with WT mice. Dots represent individual mice. Data are Means ± SEM of three independent experiments, 10-11 mice/group (*p ≤ 0.05) as determined by Mann-Whitney U test.



Supplementary Fig. 2. Flow cytometry analysis of PMN infiltration into lamina propria upon cytokine stimulation. Lamina propria enriched fraction was isolated from WT and $Cd47^{-/-}$ mouse intestine after combined cytokine stimulation with IFN- γ (100 ng) and TNF- α (100 ng) for 24 hr. a PMN were identified as CD45⁺ CD11b⁺ Ly6G⁺ SiglecF⁻. b Cytokine stimulation elicited similar responses in WT and $Cd47^{-/-}$ mice and numbers of PMN accumulated in LP fraction before TEpM assay were not significantly different. Data are Means ± SEM of three independent experiments, 9-10 mice/group.



Supplementary Fig. 3. *MRP8-cre;Cd47*^{fl/fl} mice did not present spontaneous mucosal inflammation at baseline. Lamina propria enriched fraction was isolated from non-stimulated *MRP8-cre;Cd47*^{fl/fl} and *Cd47*^{fl/fl} mice. Myeloid cells present in the subepithelial space were quantified by flow cytometric analysis and cells were identified as follows: PMN (CD45⁺ CD11b⁺ Ly6G⁺ SiglecF⁻); Monocytes (CD45⁺ CD11b⁺ Ly6G⁻ SiglecF⁻ Ly6C^{high} F4/80^{low}); Macrophages (CD45⁺ CD11b⁺ Ly6G⁺ SiglecF⁻ Ly6C^{low} F4/80^{high}). Percentage of cells was not significantly different between *MRP8-cre;Cd47*^{fl/fl} and *Cd47*^{fl/fl} mice. Data are Means \pm SEM of three independent experiments, 3-4 mice/group.



Supplementary Fig. 4. CD47 physically associates with CD11b in circulating human PMN. a CD47 and CD11b association on human PMN was assessed by PLA using anti-human CD47 (clone C5D5) and polyclonal anti-human CD11b Abs. A green positive fluorescent signal indicates close proximity (<40nm) between CD47 and CD11b. b Combinations of CD47 and polyclonal goat against JAM-A Abs, and c CD11b and JAM-A mAbs did not elicit a fluorescent signal indicating no close interaction between these proteins. Actin filaments were counterstained with Alexa Fluor-555 conjugated phalloidin. d Scheme of PLA fundament.

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Antibodies:

Antibodies anti-human CD47 (B6H12.2) and anti-human CD18 (TS1/18.1.2.11) were purified from supernatants of hybridoma cells obtained from the American Tissue Culture Collection (ATCC; Manassas, VA). Antibodies against human CD47 (C5/D5) were produced in our laboratory.¹ Function blocking LEAFTM antibodies to mouse CD11b (M1/70), CD47 (miap301), CD11a (M1/17), CD18 (M18/2), rat IgG_{2b} isotype (RTK4530), and anti-mouse conjugated antibodies PE-CD11b (M1/70), PercP-CD45 (30-F11), PE-Cy7-Ly6C (HK1.4), Brilliant Violet (BV)605-Ly6G (1A8), Alexa Fluor(AF)488-CD18 (m24), and human and mouse Fc receptor blocking antibodies (TruStain FcXTM) were purchased from Biolegend (San Diego, CA). Rabbit anti-human CD11b (EP1345Y) and anti-mouse CD11b (CBRM1/5), Fixable Viability Dye eFluor780 and the non-conjugated anti-human CD11b (CBRM1/5), Fixable Viability Dye eFluor780 and the non-conjugated rat anti-mouse Ly6G/Gr1 (RB6-8C5) were from eBiosciences (San Diego, CA). AF647-F4/80 (BM8) and AF647-Ly6G (1A8) were purchased from Invitrogen; BV421-Siglec-F (E50-2440) and AF488-anti-human CD11b (ICRF44) were purchased from BD Biosciences (San Jose, CA).

Immunoprecipitation and Immunoblotting

BMN were solubilized in cold lysis buffer (HBSS⁺ supplemented with 1% Triton X-100, 1 mM PMSF, and 1× protease inhibitor cocktail), followed by sonication. Lysates were incubated with 5 μ g of mAbs against murine proteins CD18, CD11a, CD11b, and CD47 for 2 hr at 4°C. The immune complexes were captured by incubation with 50 μ L of Protein G-Sepharose 4B overnight at 4°C under end-over-end rotation. Immunoprecipitated proteins were mixed with 2x Laemmli sample

buffer (1:1) complemented with 2-mercaptoethanol and heated for 5 min at 65°C, and

loaded into 4-20% precast polyacrylamide gels and transferred to PVDF membrane (Bio-Rad; Hercules, CA). Membranes were blocked with 3% of BSA in Tween-20/Tris-buffered saline (TTBS) for 1 hr, followed by overnight incubation at 4°C with goat anti-CD47 (1:1000) or rabbit anti-calnexin (1:10000; Sigma Cat#C4731) primary Abs. CD11b was detected on HL60 lysates with a rabbit anti-CD11b Ab (1:200). Membranes were washed and incubated with appropriate HRP-conjugated secondary antibodies for 1 hr in TTBS with 5% milk, followed by film development using Pierce ECL Western Substrate (Thermo Scientific. Waltham, MA).

Flow cytometry analysis

All cytometry stainings were performed in flow cytometry staining buffer (PBS⁻ containing 2% FBS) at 4°C and protected from light. PMN from luminal content were stained in the presence of murine Fc-block (1:50) with the following antibodies: PercP-CD45 (1:100), PE-CD11b (1:100), AF647-Ly6G (1:100), for 30 min. To detect PMN in the LP-enriched fraction, 2x10⁶ cells were stained with a live/dead discrimination dye (1:1000) for 20 min, followed by incubation with the following antibodies in the presence of Fc-block (1:100): PercP-CD45 (1:200), PE-CD11b (1:200), BV605-Ly6G (1:200), and BV421-SiglecF (1:200) for 30 min. Absolute number of cells was determined by using CountBright counting beads, following manufacturer's recommendations. Analysis of CD11b/CD18 integrin activation was performed on HL60 stimulated with 1 μM of fMLF at 37°C, in the presence of human Fc-block (1:100), APC-conjugated anti-CD11b (CBRM1/5; 1:200) and AF488-conjugated anti-CD18 (m24; 1:200) as previously described.² Total levels of CD11b were quantified by using an AF488-conjugated anti-human CD11b (1:200). After stimulation, cells were fixed in 4% PFA/PBS before analysis. Flow cytometry analysis was

performed on a NovoCyte Flow Cytometer (ACEA Biosciences Inc. San Diego, CA). Results were analyzed using FlowJo v10 software (Tree Star, Ashland, OR).

Immunohistochemical staining

IHC staining was performed on formalin-fixed, paraffin-embedded, 4 µm sections of ileal loop tissue, as previously detailed.³ All reagents were purchased from Vector Laboratories (Burlingame, CA). Briefly, after de-paraffinization, antigen was retrieved with Antigen Unmasking Solution (1:100). Tissue was then permeabilized with 0.5% Triton X-100, and endogenous peroxidase activity was abolished with Bloxall solution. Ly6G/Gr1 Ab (1:50) was detected with peroxidase-conjugated anti-rat antibody (ImmPRESS HRP anti-rat IgG). The bound complexes were visualized by ImmPACT DAB Peroxidase Substrate, counterstained with hematoxylin QS and mounted in Permount (Thermo-Fisher Scientific). Images were acquired with an Olympus IX73 equipped with a 20x/0.75NA and a 40x/0.60NA lenses, and CellSenses Standard 2.3 software (Olympus Corp).

Proximal Ligation Assay

Mouse BMN, human PMN and HL60 cells were cytospun at 400 rpm for 5 min. Proximity ligation assays were performed using DuoLink[®] in situ-fluorescence PLA Probes and reagents according to manufacturer's instructions (Millipore Sigma). Images were acquired by a Leica SP5 inverted confocal microscope (Leica Microsystems; Buffalo Grove, IL) equipped with a 100×/1.40NA oil lens and Leica Application Suite (LAS 2.7.3.9723). Images were processed using Fiji software (NIH, Bethesda, MD).

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