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Sample size	Graphpad prism was used to calculate significance and the required n per experiment.
Data exclusions	Data sets were not excluded.
Replication	All experiments contained triplicate or duplicate biological replicates and were repeated 2-3 at separate time points.
Randomization	Most studies used donor derived macrophages which were randomly collected from healthy donors. 10 samples were collected from PBMCs of children with TB and without TB from a field site.
Blinding	Most experiments were coded to perform experiments blind; performing tech or PDFs were not aware of the effect of drugs or identity of samples. PBMCs from children were coded for a blind tPCR testing by a PDF.

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Validation	All antibodies were are validated in other publications listed at the source of the supplier.

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Laboratory animals	NHP Models were used (rhesus monkeys at age 6 weeks).
Wild animals	na
Field-collected samples	na
Ethics oversight	NHP Models were used under an approved IACUC protocol from Texas biomedical center, (# 1655-MM, Texas Biomedical Center) San antonio Texas USA

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Human research participants

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Population characteristics	Healthy identified donors derived blood samples or TB patients studied under ongoing protocols were analyzed. Ten samples of children with or without TB were collected under approved protocols.
Recruitment	They were a part of ongoing studies.
Ethics oversight	Samples were collected under protocols: PBMC collected from children #527/QD-BVPTU of the Director of the National Lung Hospital (NLH), NLH Institutional Review Board (IRB), Vietnam; PBMCs from US-border zone under HSC-SPH-12-0037, UT School of public health, Brownsville, TX, USA.

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Flow Cytometry

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Methodology

Sample preparation	Described under methods
Instrument	Fortessa flow cytometer (Beckton Dickinson),
Software	FlowJo v10 software (Tree Star, Inc.).
Cell population abundance	Described under methods
Gating strategy	Described under supplementary information

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