

Title (en)

METHODS FOR INDUCTION OF TOLERANCE TO ADENOVIRAL VECTORS AND TRANSGENE PRODUCTS

Title (de)

METHODEN ZUR INDUKTION VON TOLERANZ GEGENÜBER ADENOVIRALEN VEKTOREN UND TRANSGENEN PRODUKTEN

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METHODES D'INDUCTION DE TOLERANCE A DES VECTEURS ADENOVIRaux ET A DES PRODUITS TRANSGENIQUES

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[origin: WO0073477A1] The invention relates to a method for inducing tolerance to an adenoviral vector and/or transgene product in a host, thereby allowing persistent transgene expression in the host and allowing repeated vector administration to the host while minimizing or eliminating the host immune response. The method comprises pretreating a host by administering to the host adenoviral vector-infected antigen presenting cells wherein said adenoviral vector comprises heterologous nucleic acids encoding an immunomodulatory molecule and a transgene and wherein said adenoviral vector-infected antigen presenting cells migrate to lymphoid organs and/or lymph nodes and induce tolerance. The method further provides for subsequent administration to the host of an adenoviral vector comprising a heterologous nucleic acid encoding said transgene wherein the host immune response is reduced or eliminated to said adenoviral vector and said transgene even upon repeated administration of said adenoviral vector.

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