



Immunity, Vaccines , and

Vaccination

With some emphasis on Covid-19 (SARS-2)
disease

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Innate Defense System

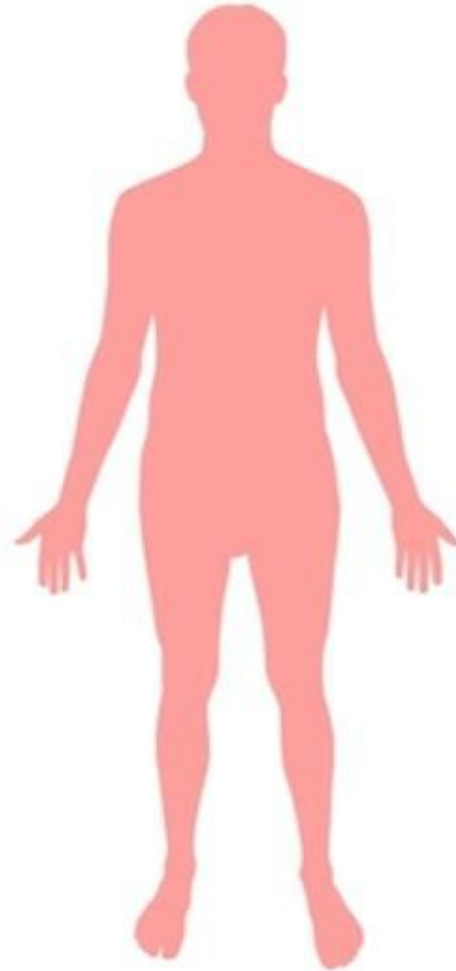
Adaptive Defense System

external membranes

- skin
- mucous membranes

internal defenses

- antimicrobial proteins
- phagocytes



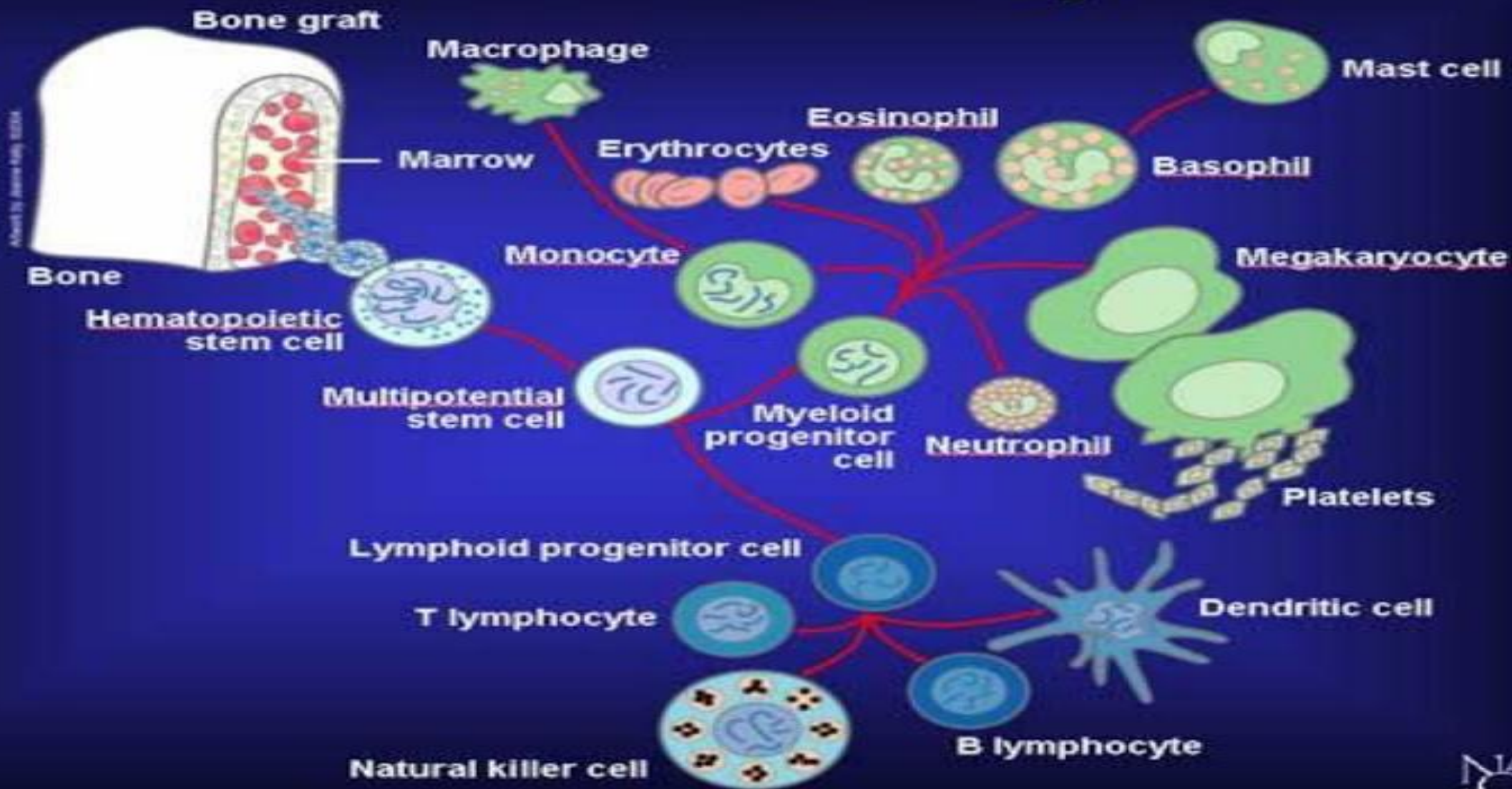
specific response
for a specific
type of invader



antibody

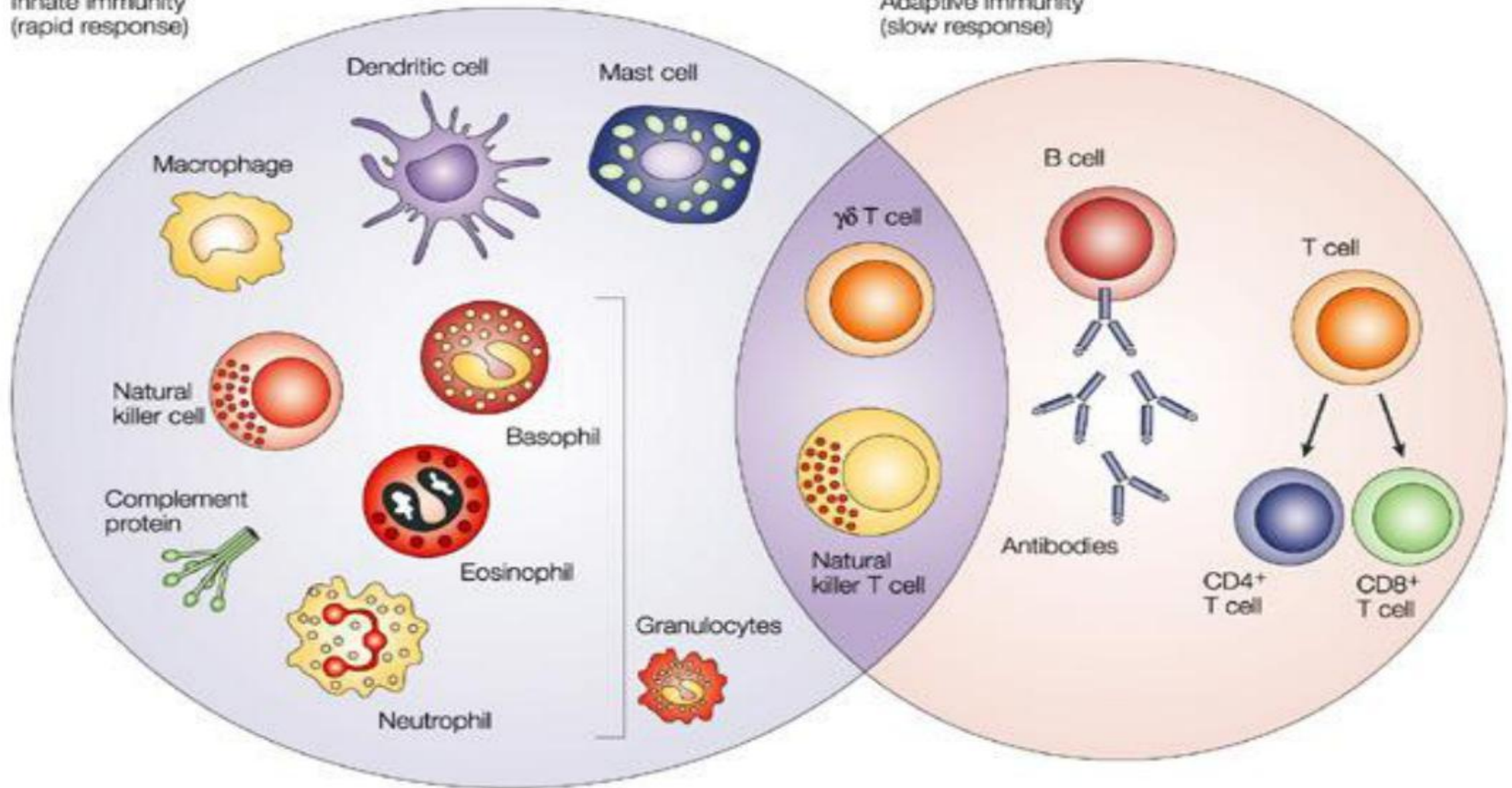
humoral immunity
cellular immunity

Cells of the Immune System



Innate immunity
(rapid response)

Adaptive immunity
(slow response)

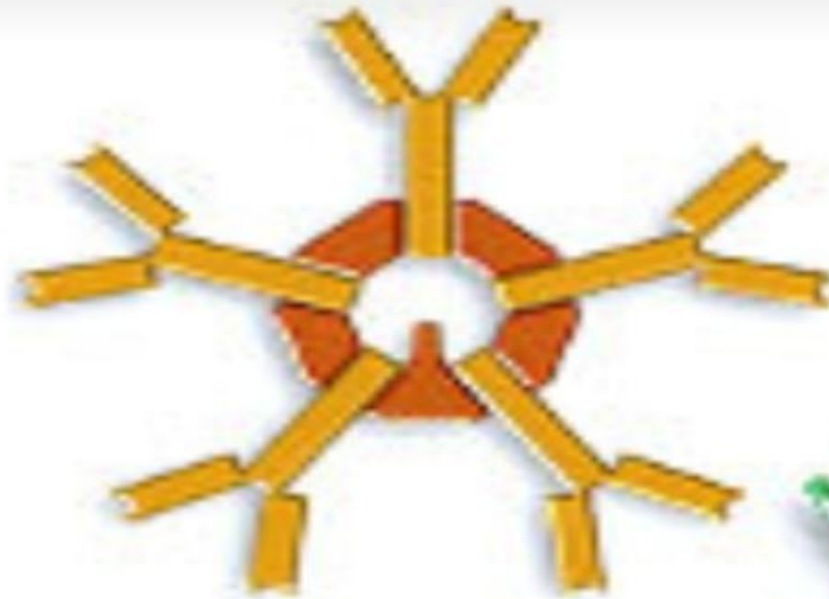




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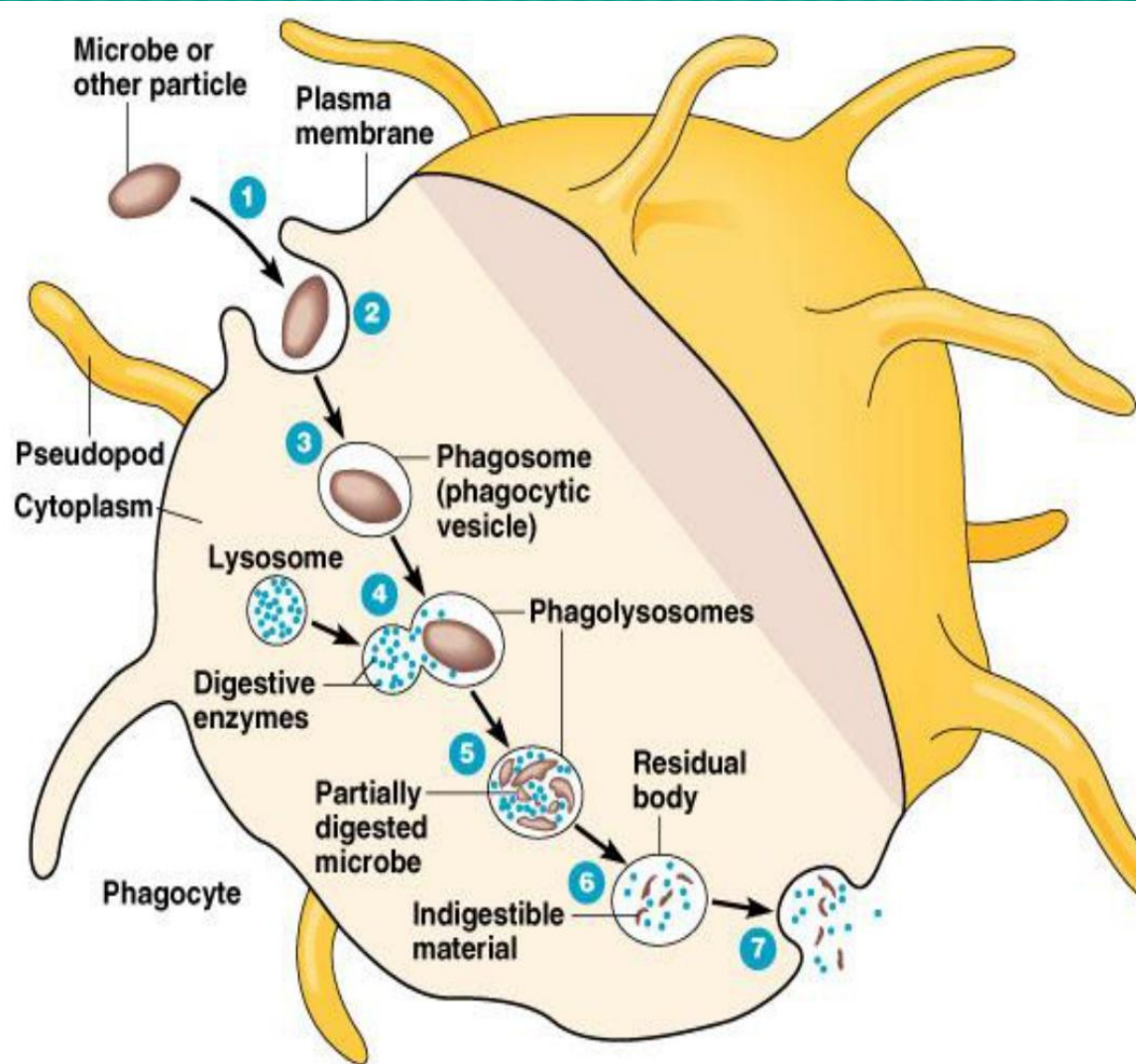


IgM



Immunoglobulins



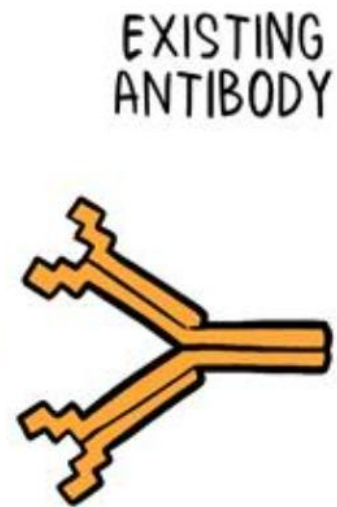
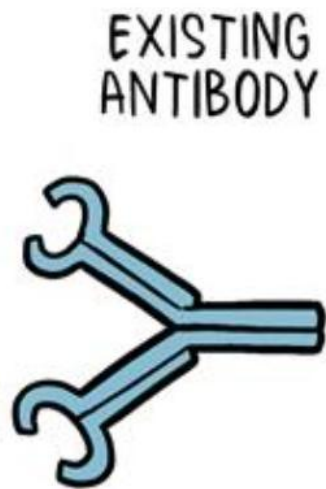
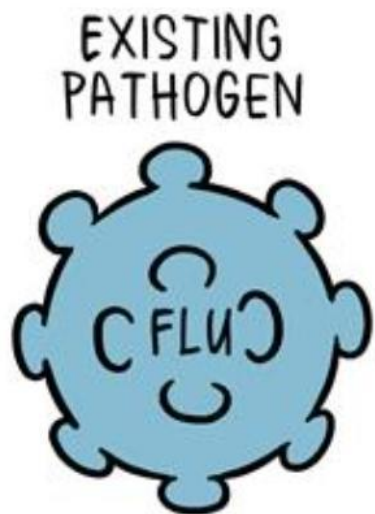
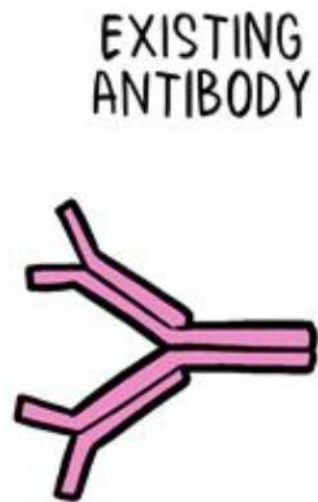
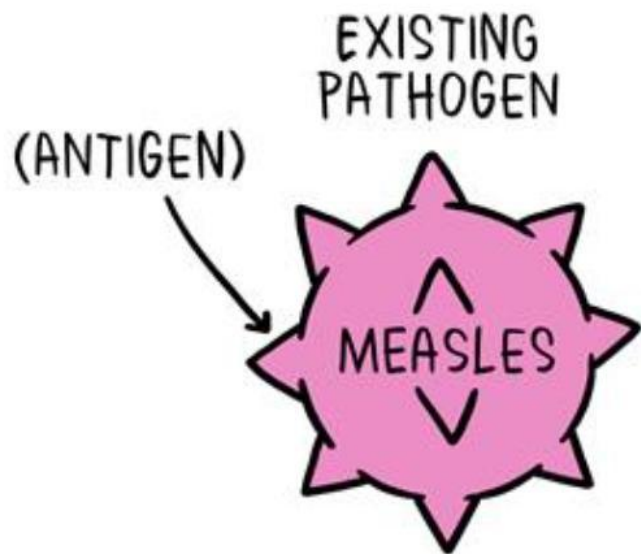


(a) Phases of phagocytosis

types of **adaptive** immune response

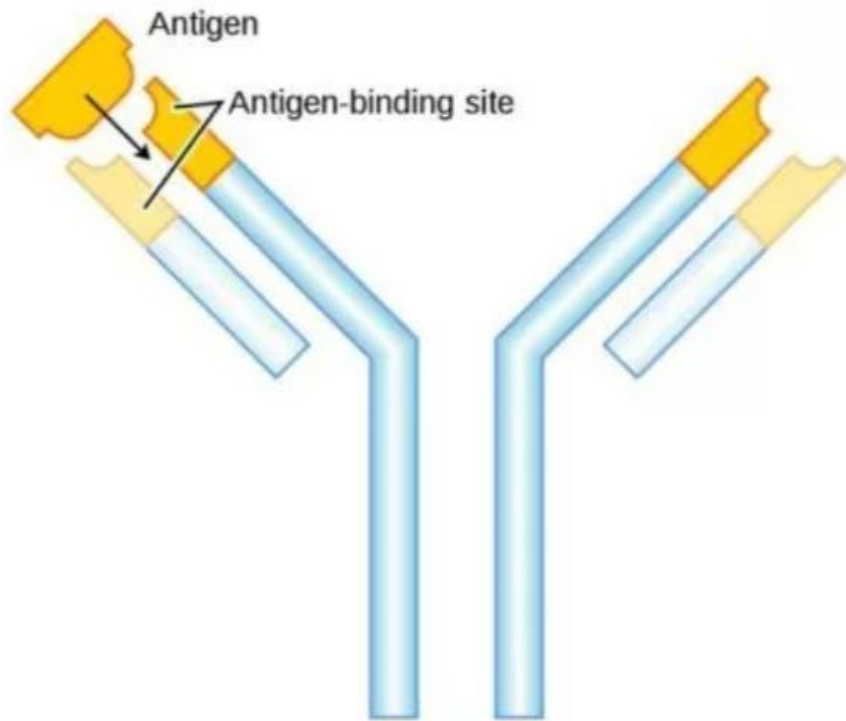
humoral
immune response

cellular
immune response



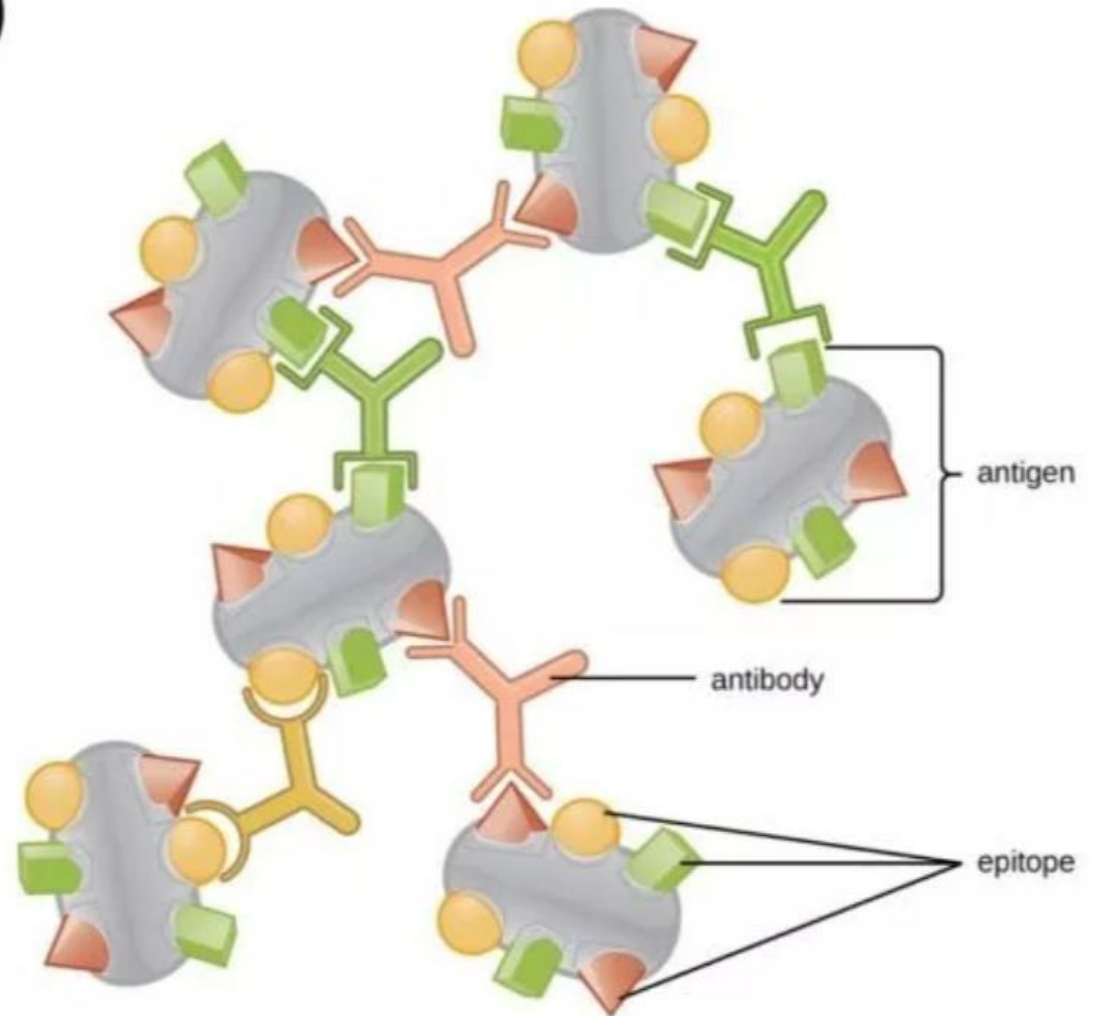
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Antigens

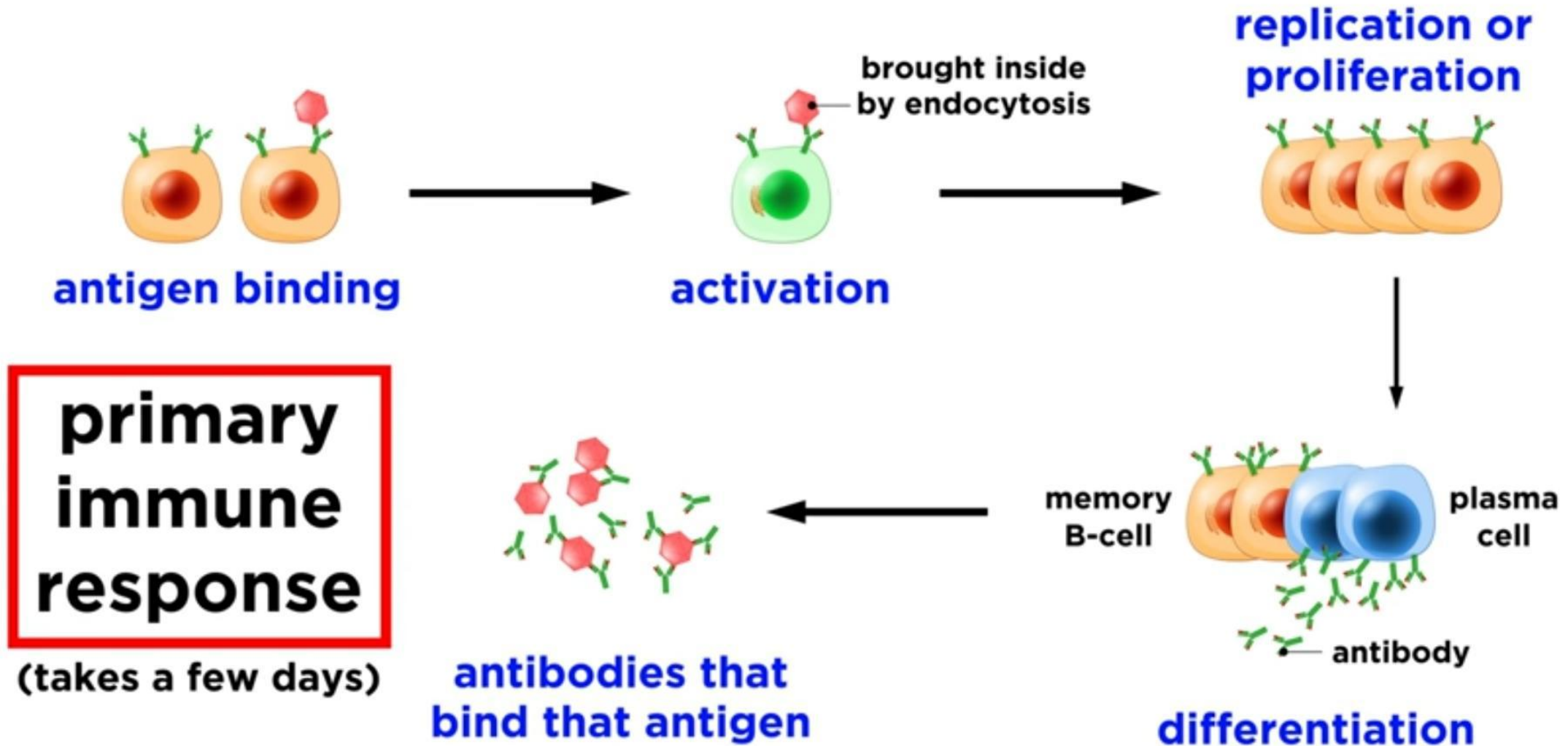


Antibody

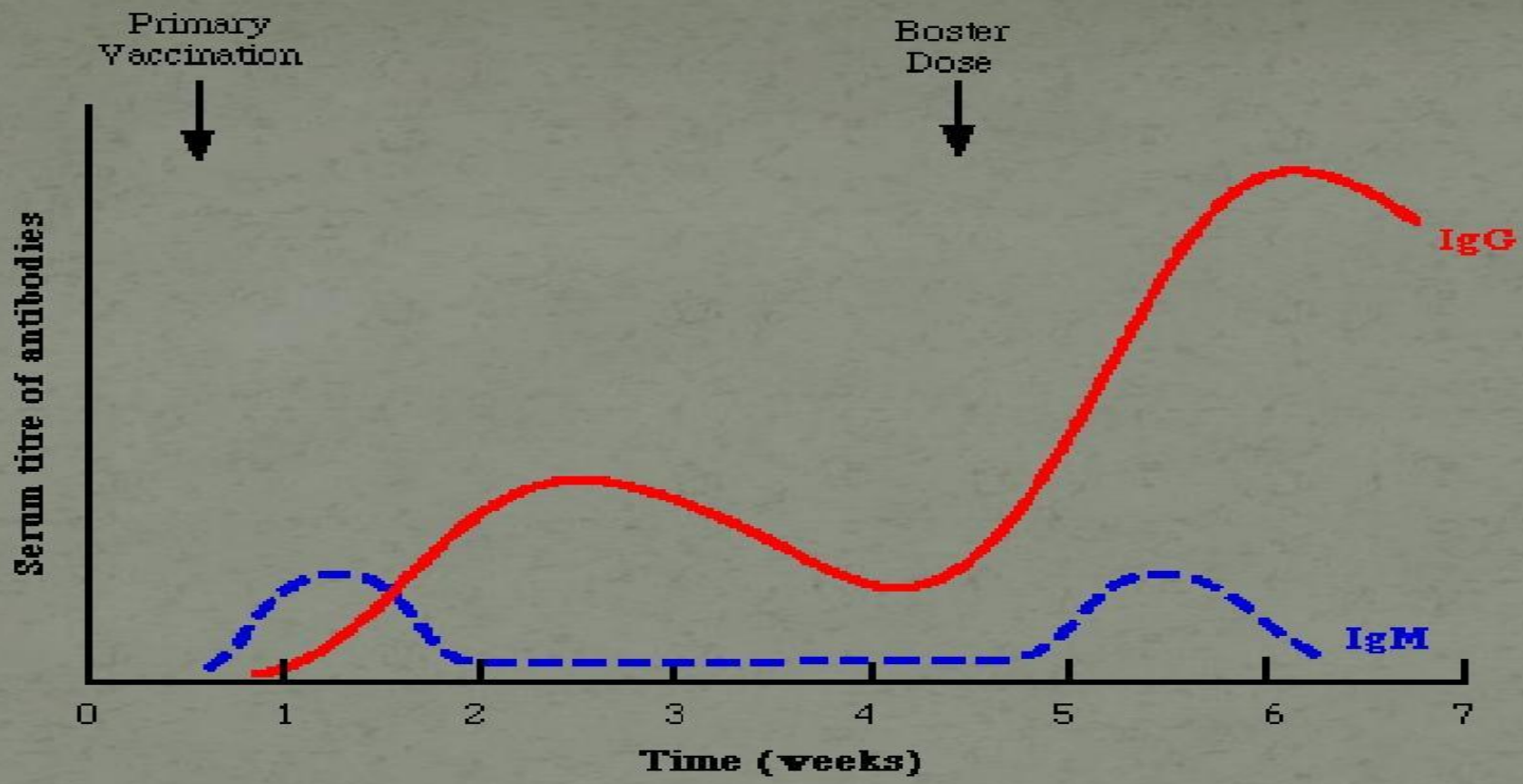
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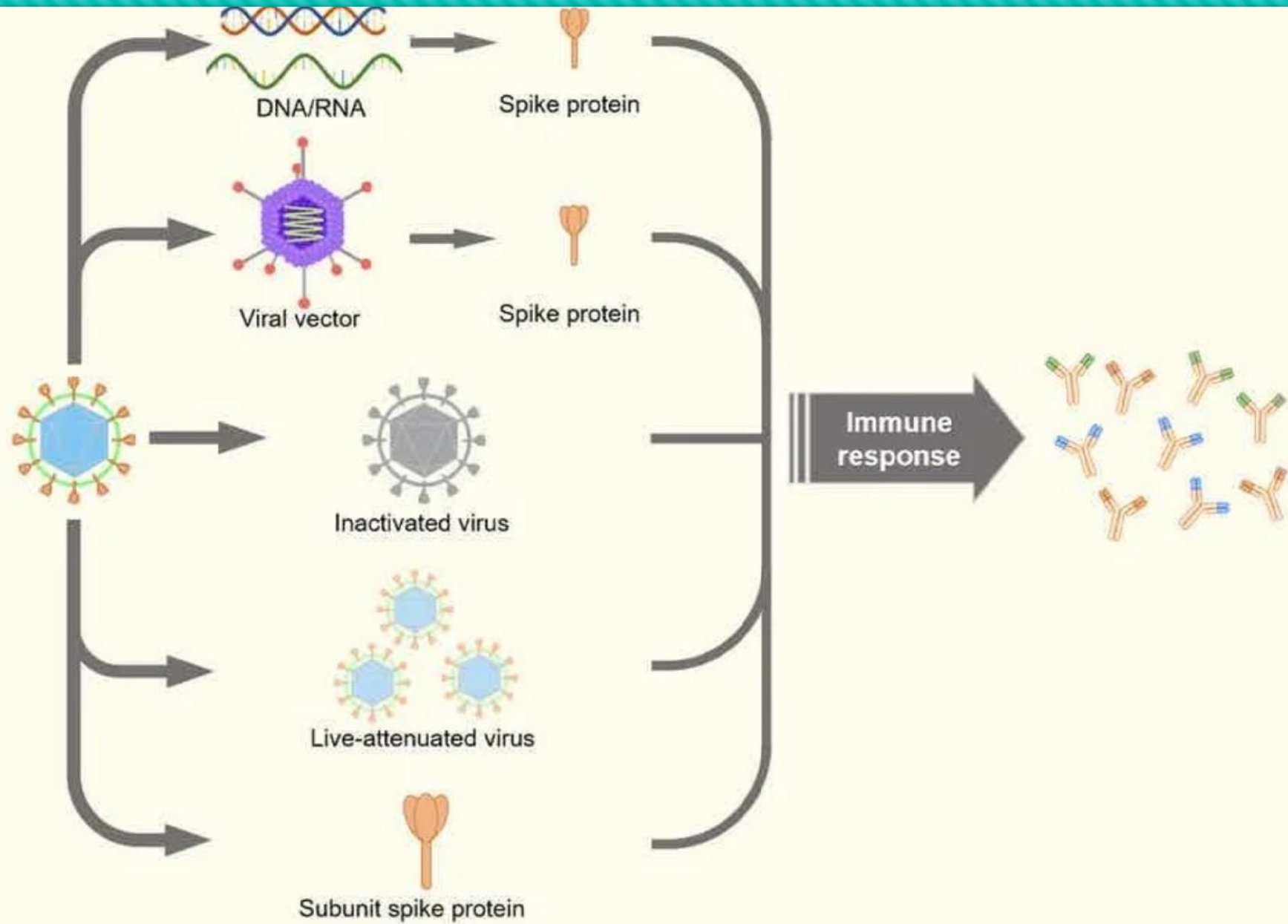


humoral immune response



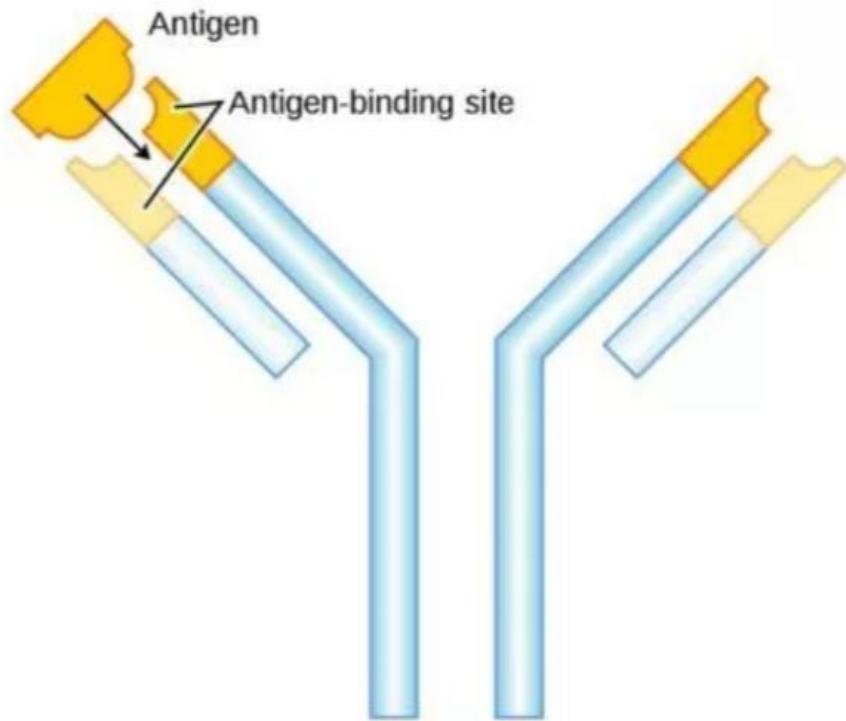






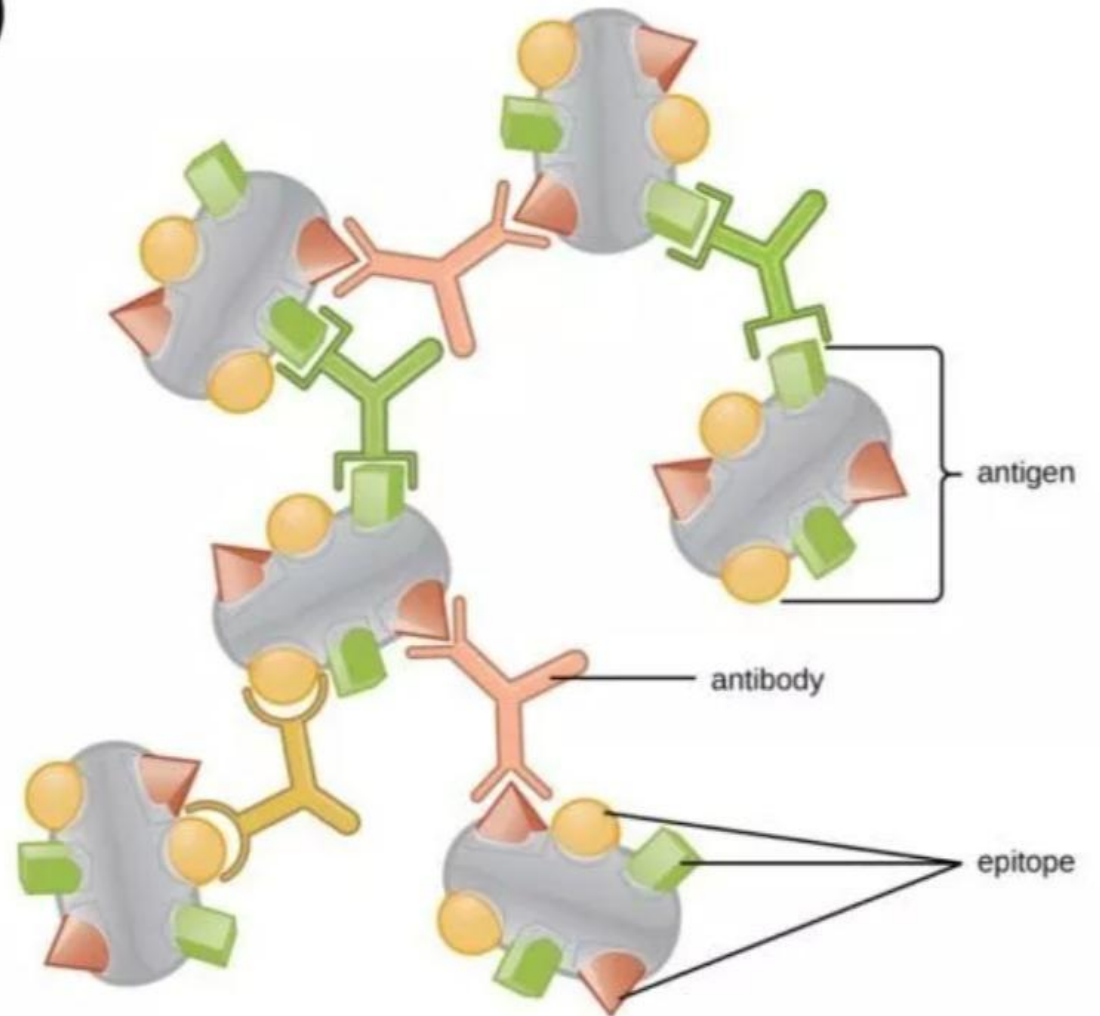
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Antigens



Antibody

(B)



Immunization

Passive: *antibodies*

Preventive

Infectious diseases

Therapeutic

Infectious diseases
Cancer

Active: *immunogens*

Preventive

Infectious diseases
Cancer
Pregnancy

Therapeutic

Infectious diseases
Cancer
Allergy

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

What you need to know

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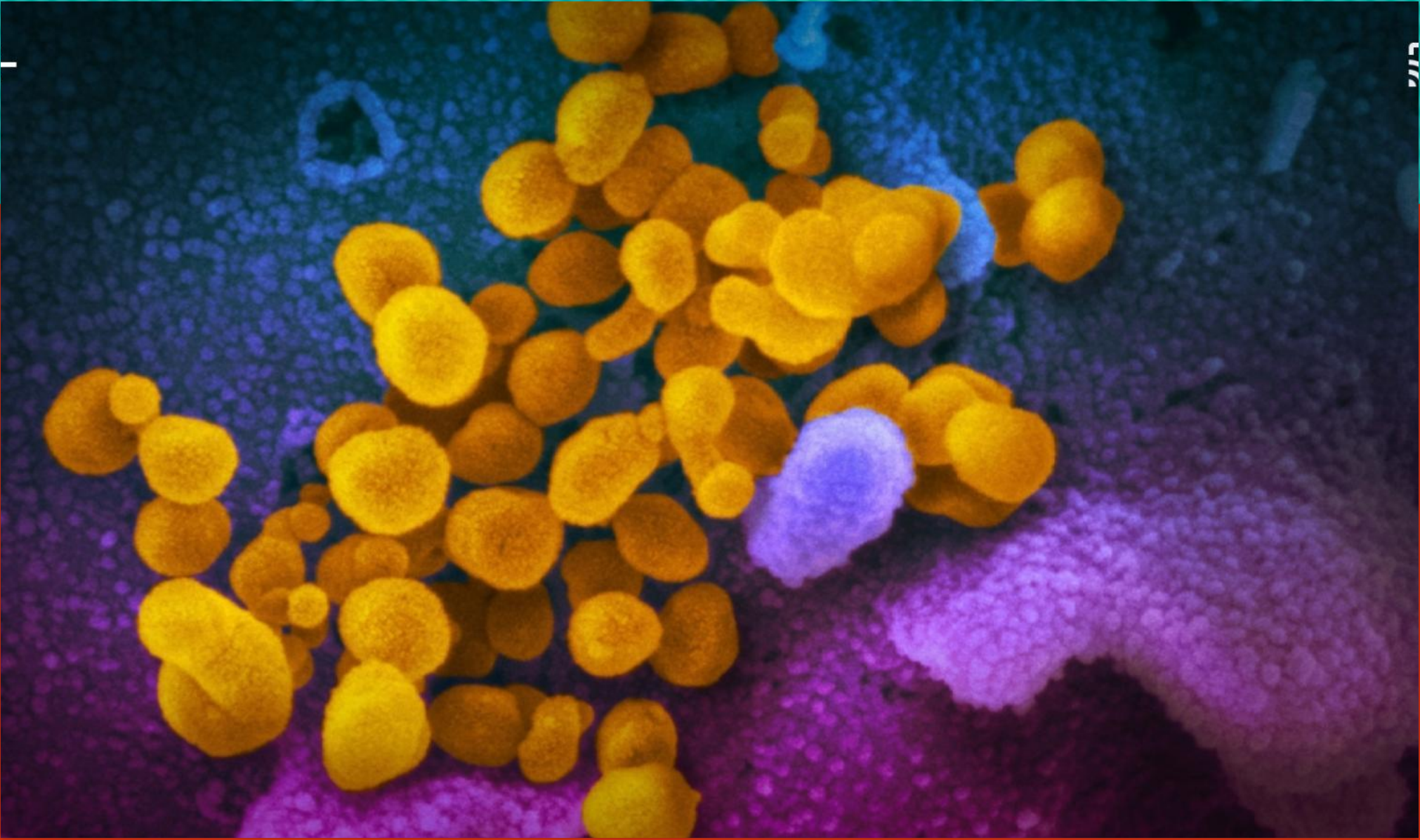


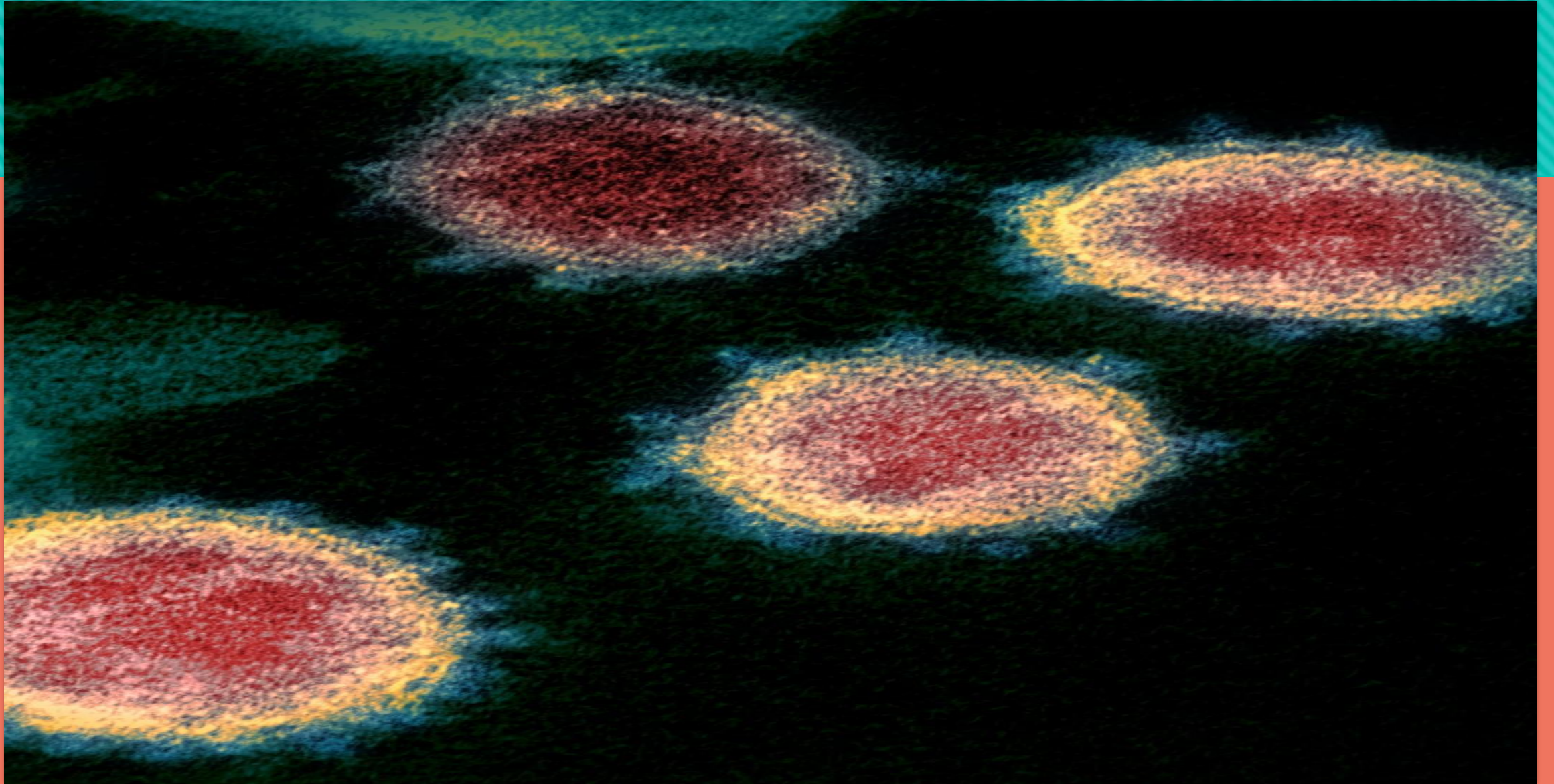


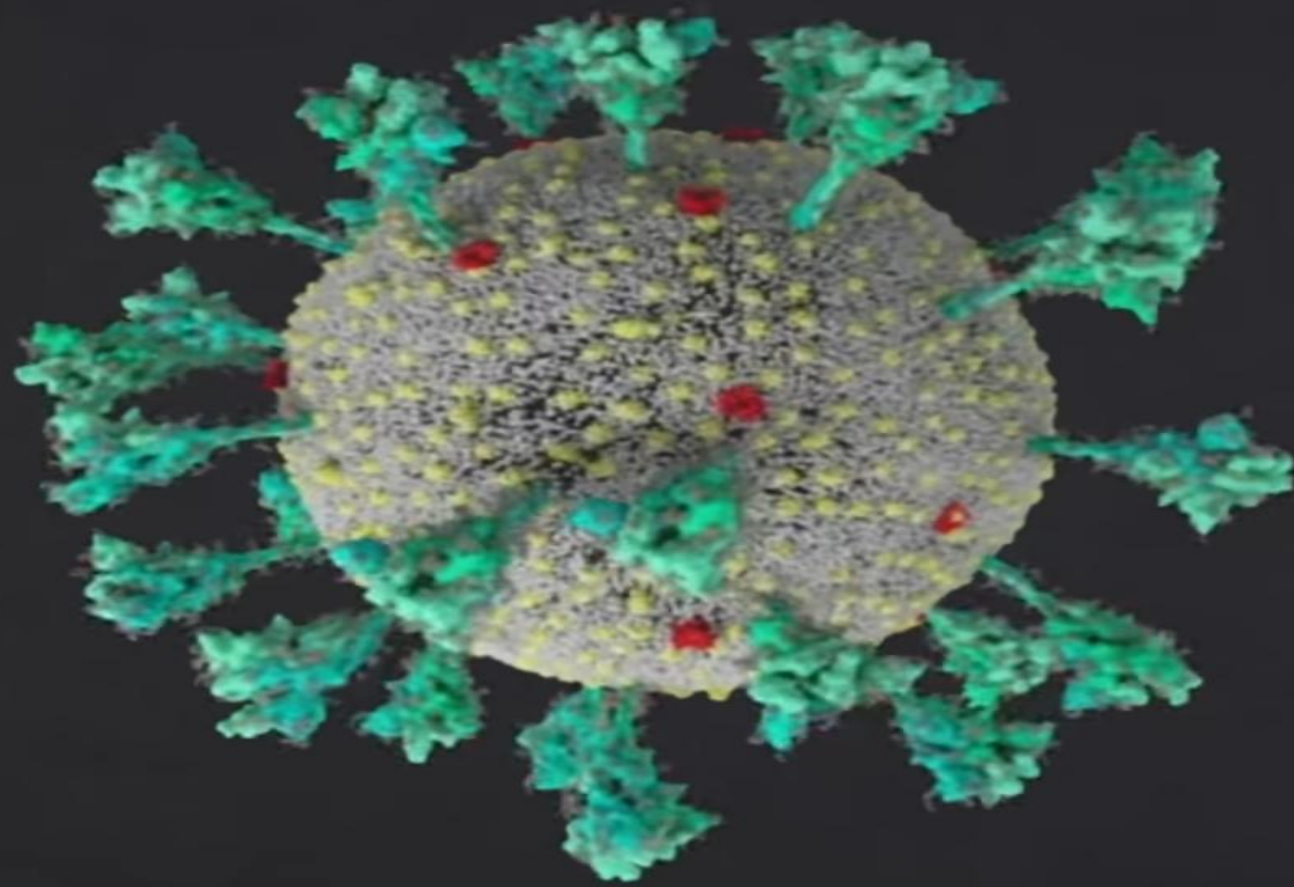


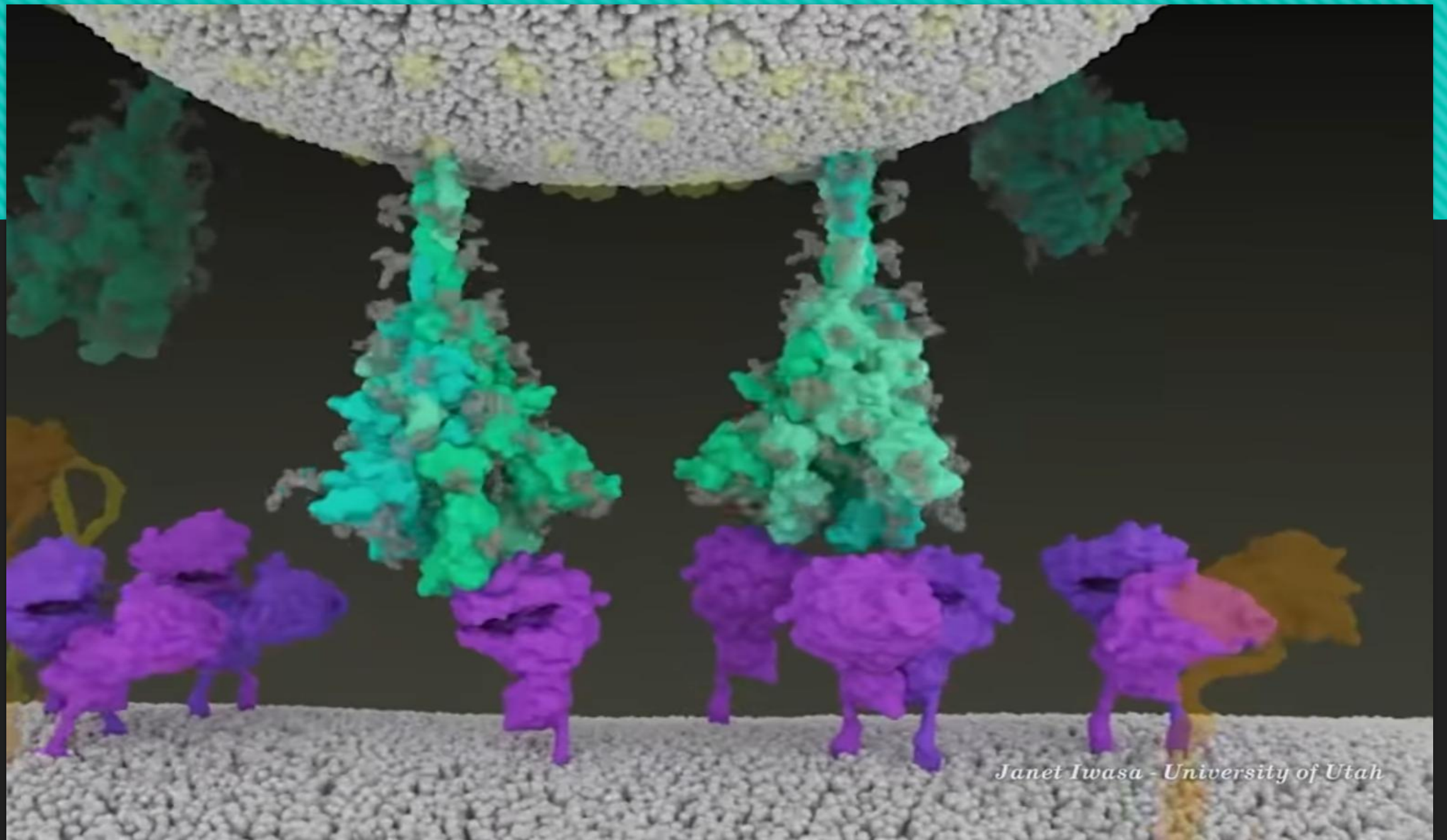


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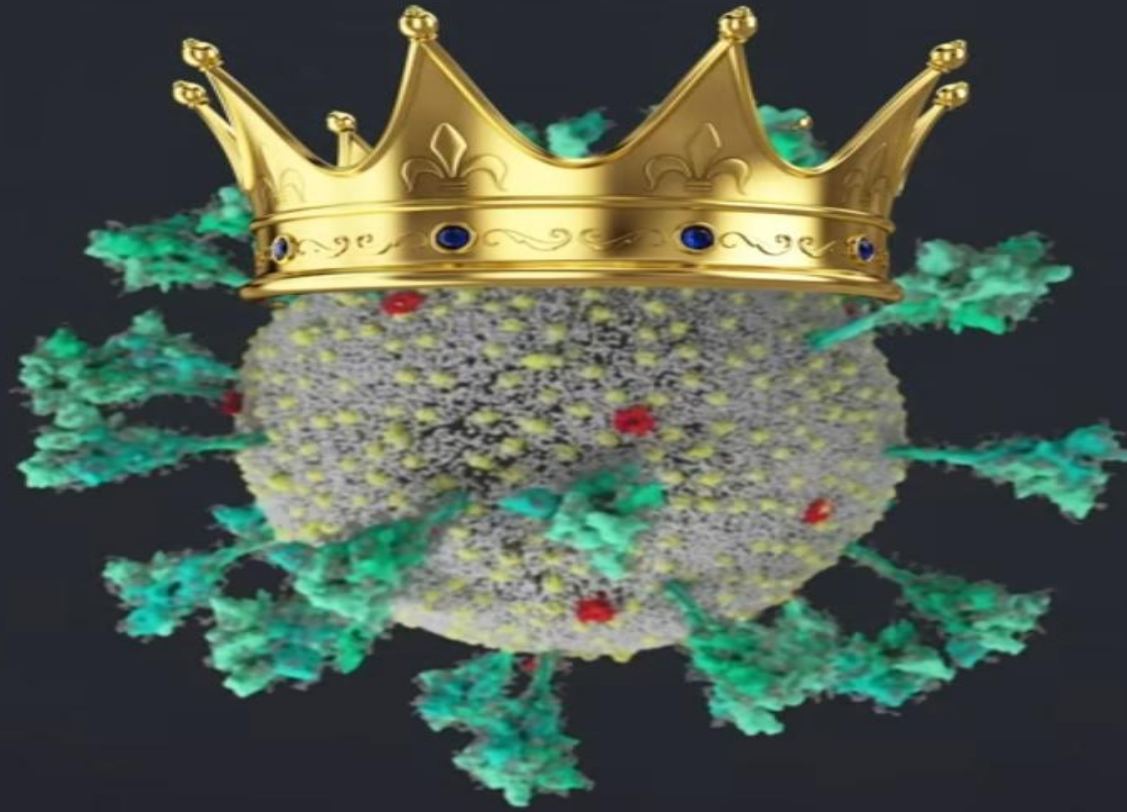






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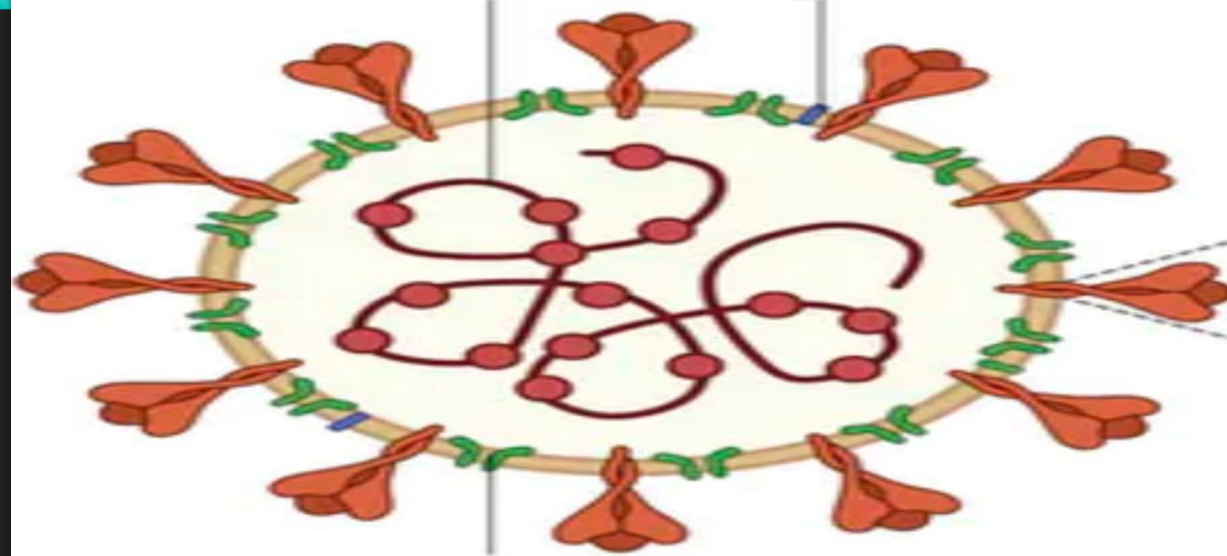
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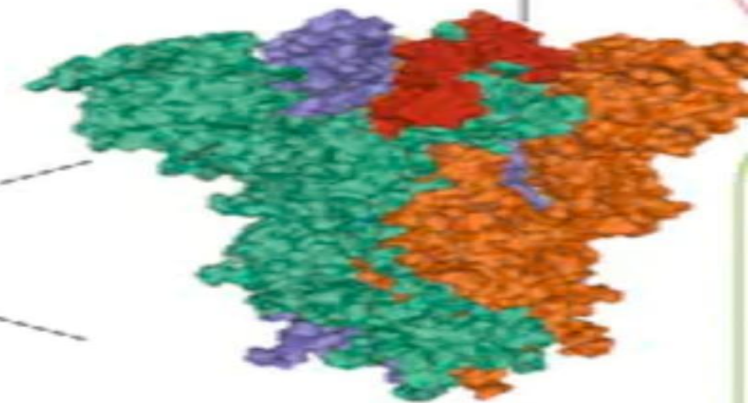
Nucleoproteins and
viral RNA

Envelope
protein (E)

Receptor binding
domain



Membrane protein
(M)



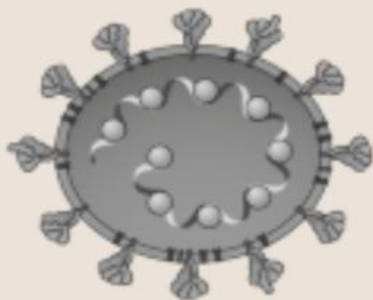
Spike (protein S)

SARS-CoV-2



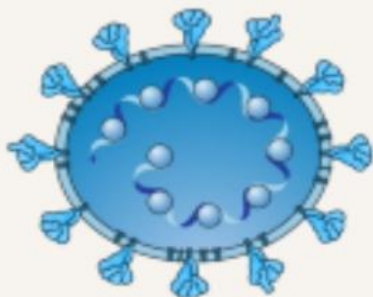
Whole-inactivated virus

Example: Polio vaccine
COVID-19:
PiCoVacc in phase 1
clinical trials



Live-attenuated virus

Example: MMR vaccine
COVID-19:
in preclinical stage



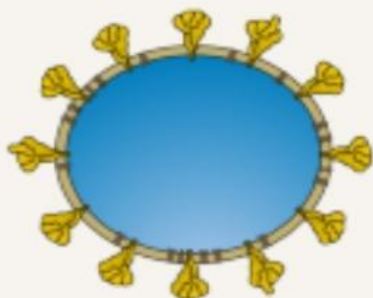
Protein subunit

Example: Seasonal
influenza vaccine
COVID-19:
NVX-CoV2373 in
phase 1/2 clinical trials

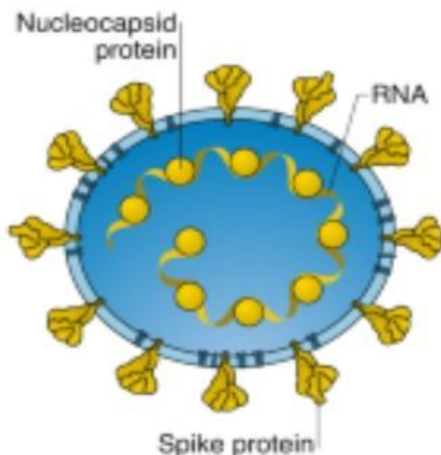


Virus-like particle

Example: Human
papillomavirus vaccine
COVID-19:
in preclinical stage



SARS-CoV-2



Viral vector

Example:
VSV-Ebola vaccine
COVID-19:
AZD1222, Ad5-nCoV
in phase 1/2/3 clinical trials



DNA

Example:
Not currently licensed
COVID-19:
INO-4800 in phase 1
clinical trials



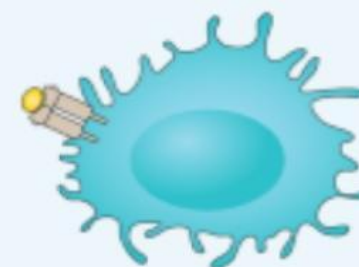
RNA

Example:
Not currently licensed
COVID-19:
mRNA-1273, BNT162
in phase 1/2 clinical trials

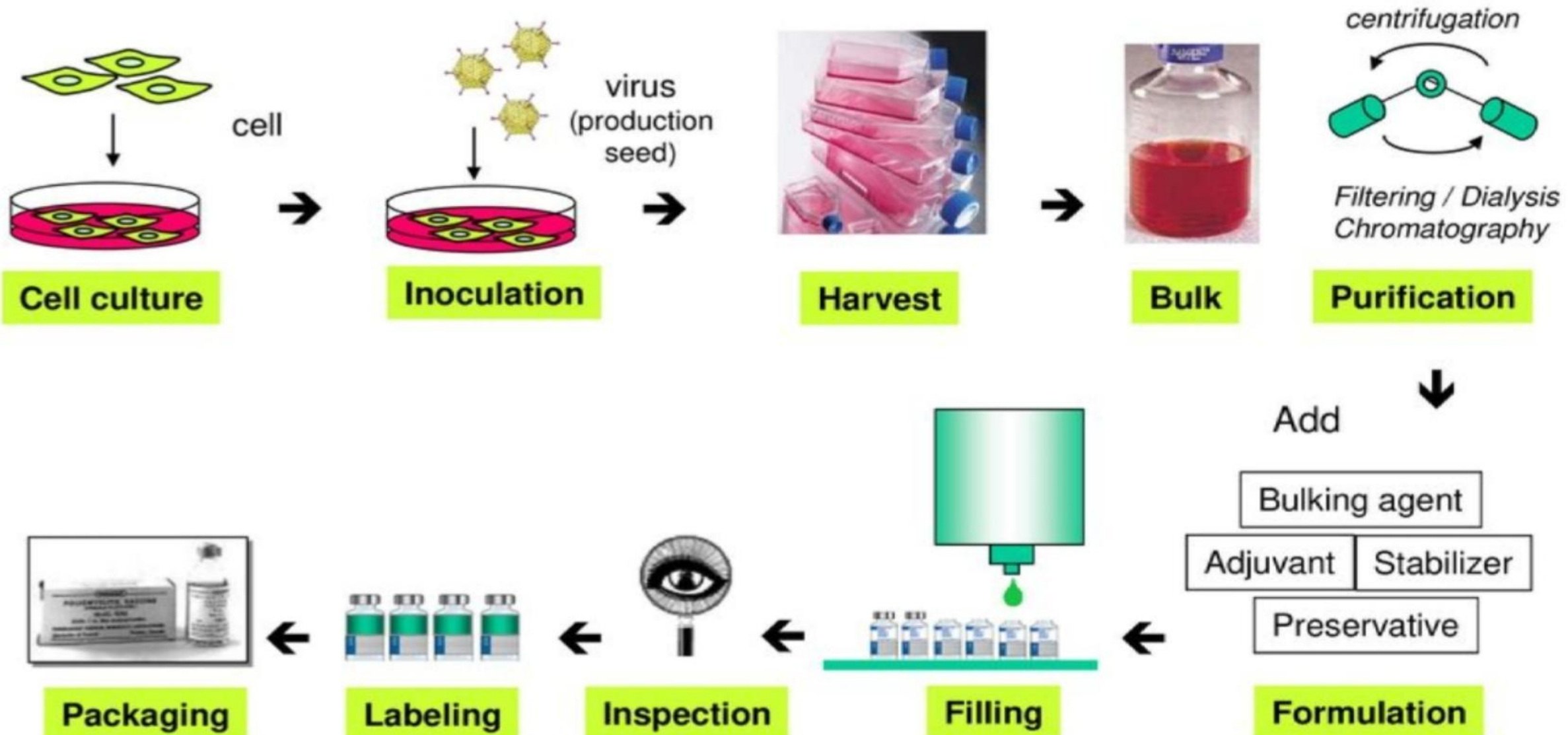


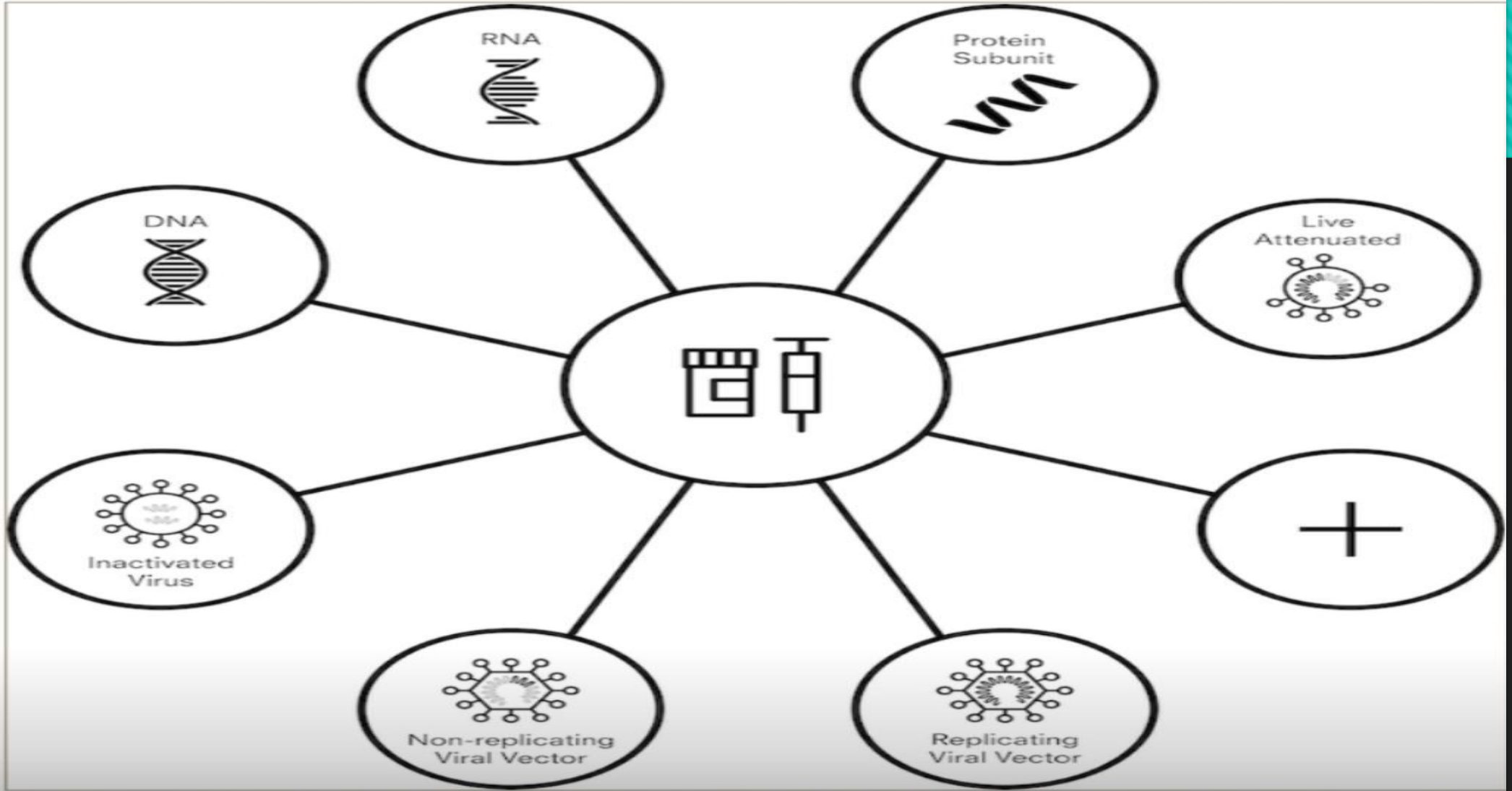
Antigen-presenting cells

Example:
Not currently licensed
COVID-19:
LV-SMENP-DC,
COVID-19/aAPC
in phase 1/2 clinical trials



How to produce Vaccine?





DNA vaccine

Good safety record in human studies.

Theoretical risks of integration of the vector.
Unable to revert to a pathogenic form.

Live attenuated virus
vaccine

Theoretical risk of recombination with circulating wild-type influenza viruses. Risks of hospitalization and wheezing were increased in children younger than 2 years of age.

Vaccine Platform against Influenza Virus

Safety

mRNA vaccine

No risks of infection or integration of the vector. Controllable in vivo activity and degradation of mRNA by natural cellular processes. More human data is required to evaluate safety.

Vaccine Platform against
Influenza Virus

Safety

Inactivated virus vaccine

May require adjuvants
(for example vaccines for
avian strains) that can
cause significant
reactogenicity.

COMMON VACCINES

- Chickenpox vaccine
- DTaP immunization (vaccine)
- Hepatitis A vaccine
- Hepatitis B vaccine
- Hib vaccine
- HPV vaccine
- Influenza vaccine
- Meningococcal vaccine
- MMR vaccine
- Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine
- Pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine
- Polio immunization (vaccine)
- Rotavirus vaccine
- Shingles vaccine
- Tdap vaccine
- Tetanus vaccine





CHINESE SCIENTISTS DISCOVER NEW VIRUS

ST... KE VIRUS SICKENS DOZENS WITH PNEUMONIA IN WUHAN IN CENTRAL CHINA

JAN 9, 2020

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Date	Milestone
Dec 1	Covid-19 illness documented (unpublicized Nov 17 th)
Jan 10	SARS-CoV-2 virus sequenced
Jan 15	NIH designs mRNA vaccine in collaboration with Moderna
Mar 16	Moderna Phase 1/2 trial begins
May 2	Pfizer/BioNTech Phase 1/2 trial begins
July 14	Moderna Phase 1/2 trial published in NEJM
July 27, 28	Moderna and Pfizer/BioNTech Phase 3 trial begins
Aug 12	Pfizer/BioNTech Phase 1/2 published in Nature
October 22,27	Enrollment in both Phase 3 trials complete; >74,000 participants
Nov 9	Pfizer/BioNTech announces interim analysis efficacy > 90%
Nov 16	Moderna announces interim analysis efficacy 94.5%
Nov 18	Pfizer/BioNTech announces 95% efficacy as final result
Nov 20	1 st EUA submitted by Pfizer/BioNTech
Nov 27	Distribution of vaccine by UAL charter flights throughout US
Dec 10	FDA External review of Pfizer/BioNTech EUA
Dec 11	Phase 1a Vaccination begins for health care professionals*

*Provisional on positive external review

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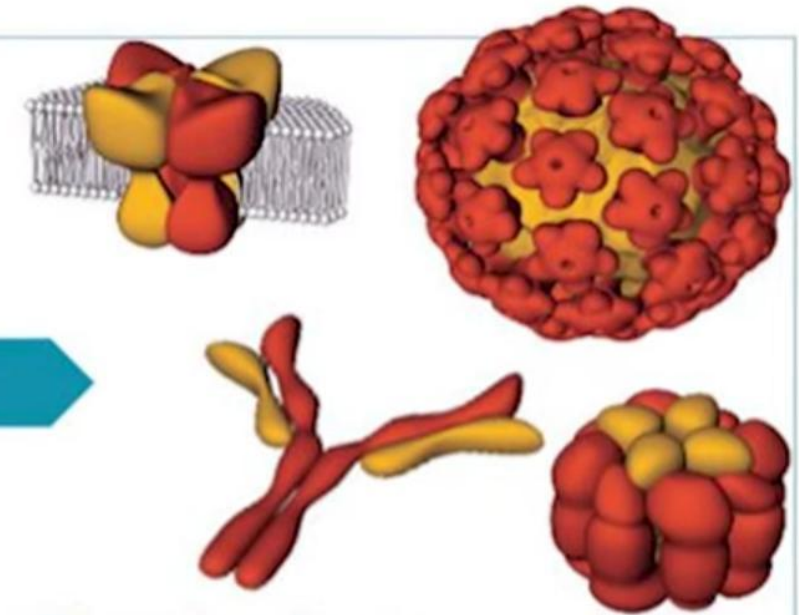
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Translation

mRNA

Data carrier of code

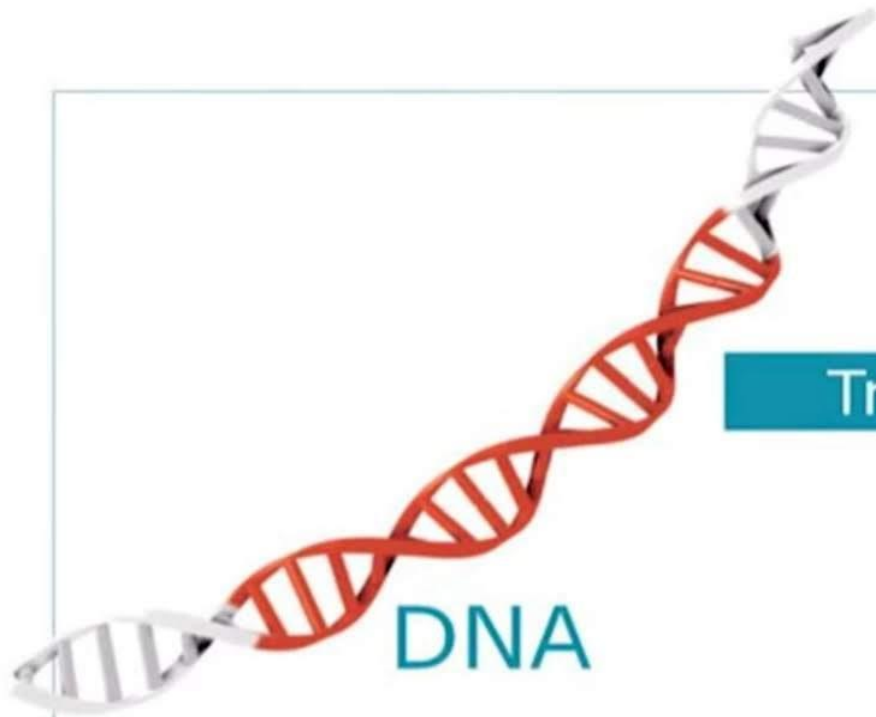
Carries target-specific instructions for making a protein from a gene to the site of translation



Proteins

Functional targets

Basic building blocks of all cells in the body – antibodies, hormones & enzymes are central to health



Source code of life

Carries unlimited genetic information

Transcription



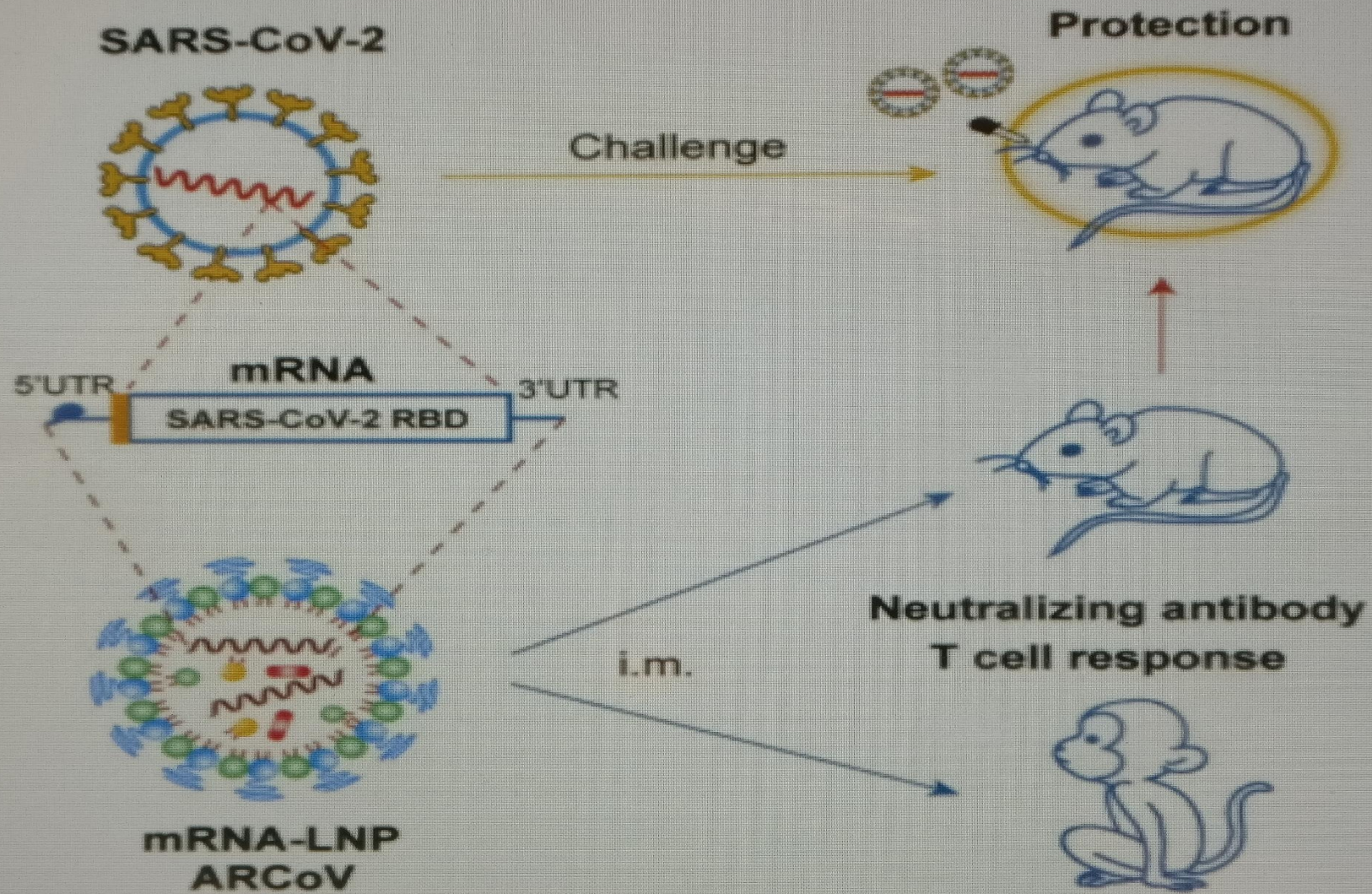
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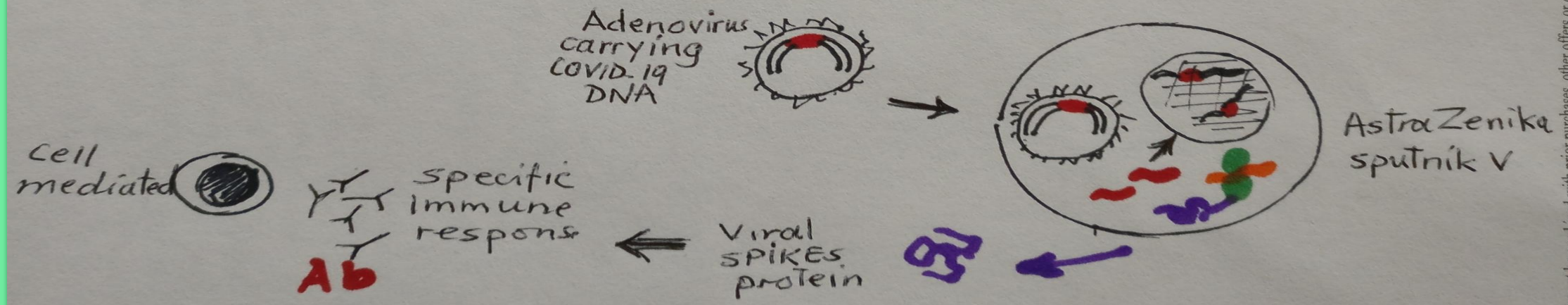
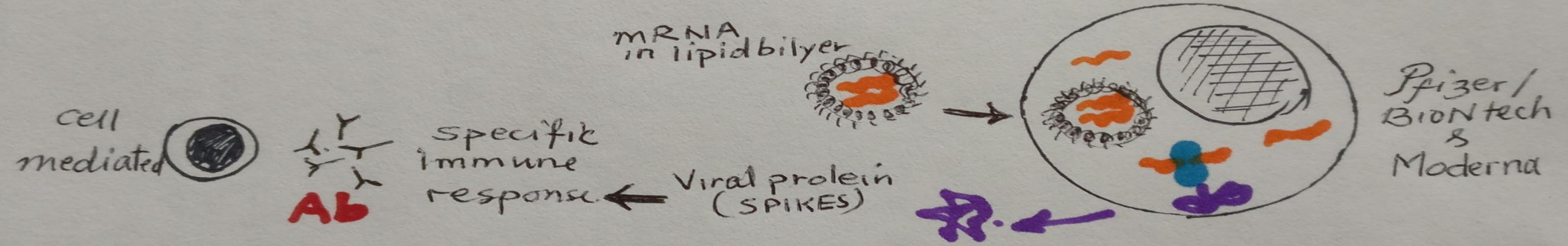
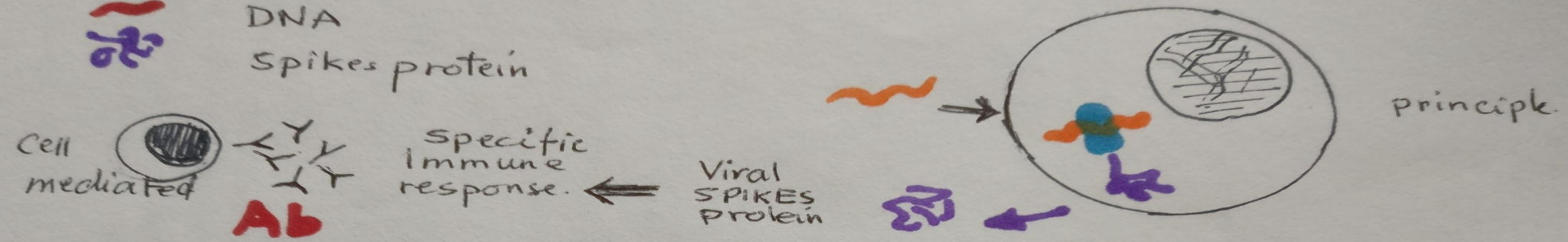
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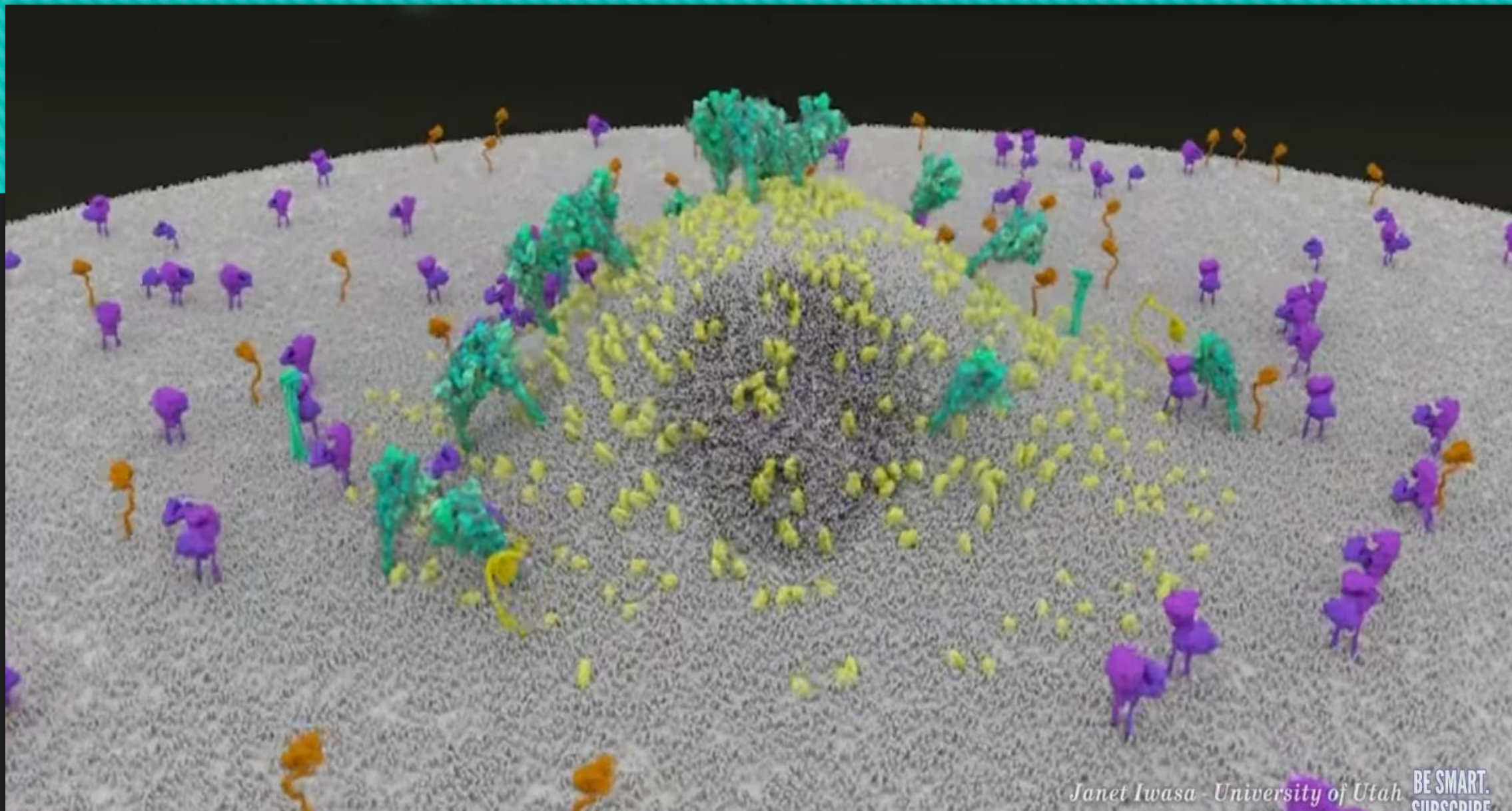


TYPICAL VACCINE TIMELINE



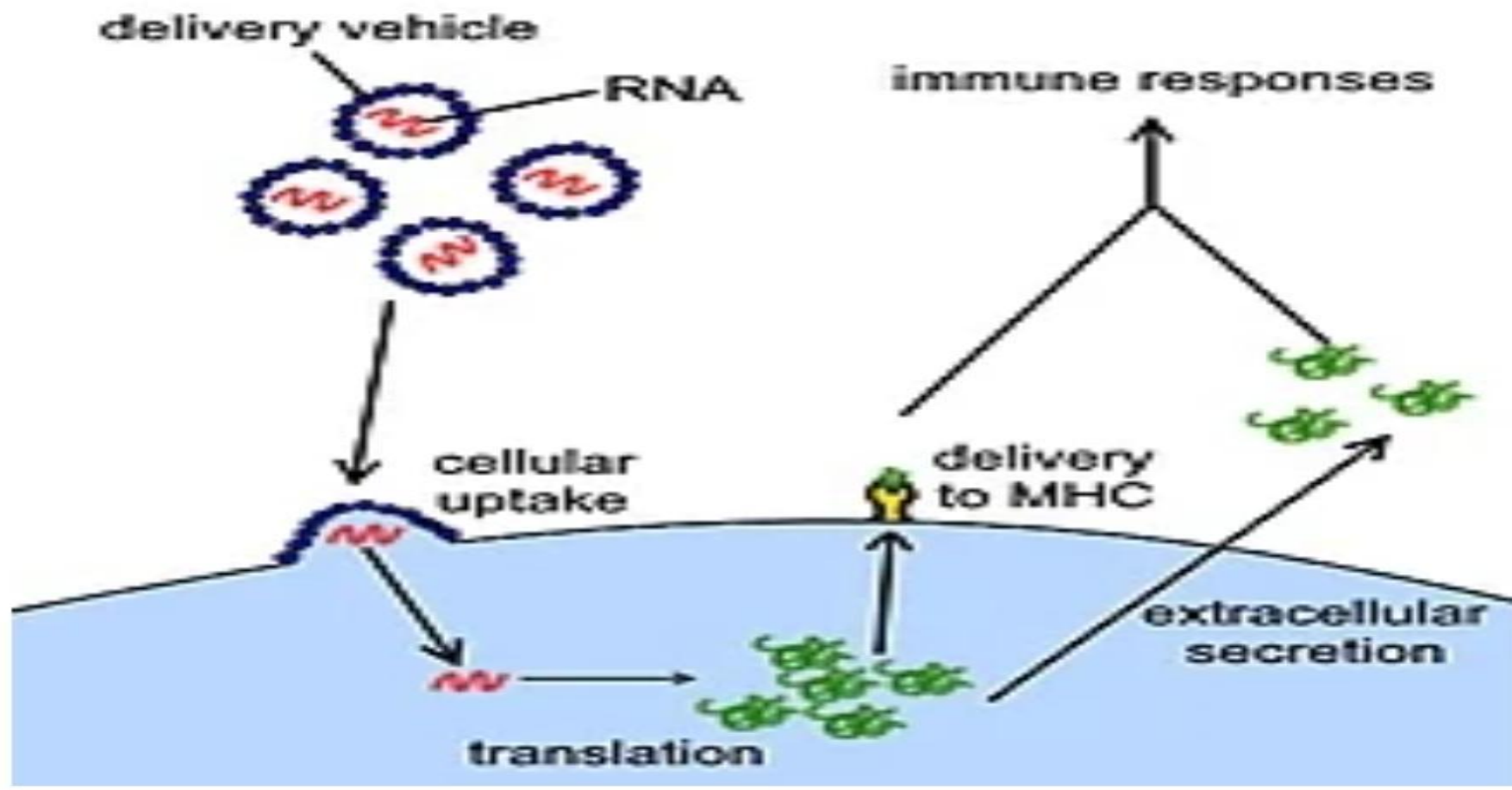
 mRNA
 Ribosomes
 DNA
 Spikes protein





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An illustration of the **mechanism of action** of the RNA vaccine



Pfizer, Moderna, AstraZeneca & Russian vaccines have all reported mild side effects



ONE WORLD PROTECTED

CEPI



**HEALTH SYSTEMS ARE
READY TO ENSURE DOSES
REACH THE PEOPLE THAT
NEED THEM THE MOST.**



The image features a dark, textured background with a teal and blue border. The text is centered and reads:

**WITH OVER 180 GOVERNMENTS
NOW INVOLVED, COVAX POOLS
FUNDING TO INVEST**

Work Group Proposed Interim Phase 1 Sequence

	Phase 1c Adults with high -risk medical conditions Adults 65+	
	Phase 1b Essential workers (examples: Education Sector, Food & Agriculture, Utilities, Police, Firefighters, Corrections Officers, Transportation)	
Phase 1a Health care personnel LTCF residents		

Time



Proposed groups for Phase 1a vaccination

Health care Personnel ^{1,2} (HCP) (~21million)	Long-Term Care Facility (LTCF) Residents ³ (~3M)
Examples	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hospitals• Long-term care facilities• Outpatient clinics• Home health care• Pharmacies• Emergency medical services• Public health	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Skilled nursing facilities (~1.3 M beds)• Assisted living facilities (~0.8 M beds)• Other residential care (~0.9 M beds)

1. <https://www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol/guidelines/healthcare>

2. <https://www.cisa.gov/publication/guidance-essential-critical-infrastructure-workforce>

3. <https://www.cdc.gov/longtermcare/index.html>





HOW LONG DOES THE PROTECTION LAST?

DOES IT PROTECT AGAINST ASYMPTOMATIC DISEASE?

DOES IT PREVENT PEOPLE FROM SPREADING THE VIRUS TO OTHERS?

DO I STILL NEED VACCINE IF I HAD COVID?

IS THE VACCINE SAFE FOR ME WITH MY UNDERLYING MEDICAL CONDITION?



**How well will they
protect the elderly?**



How long will vaccine protection last?

**What does the immune
response look like?**



Memory B cells



Antibodies




Killer T cells (CD8+)





Helper T cells (CD4+)



**Can even better results
be achieved?**

 = not immunized, but still healthy

 = immunized and healthy

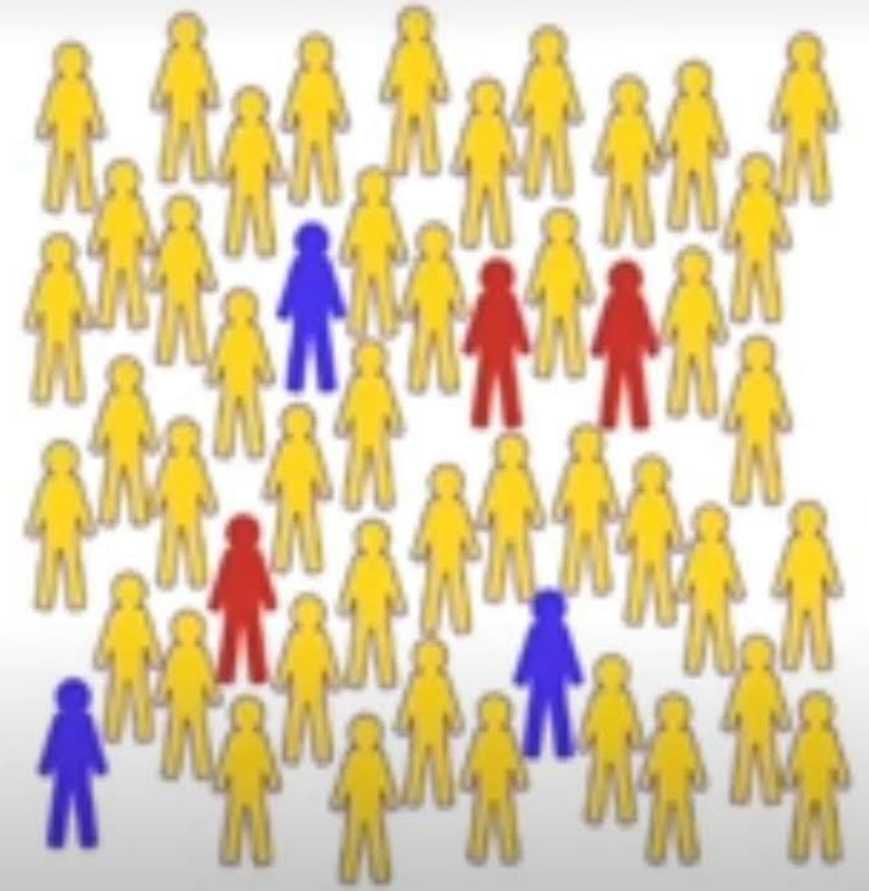
 = not immunized, sick, and contagious



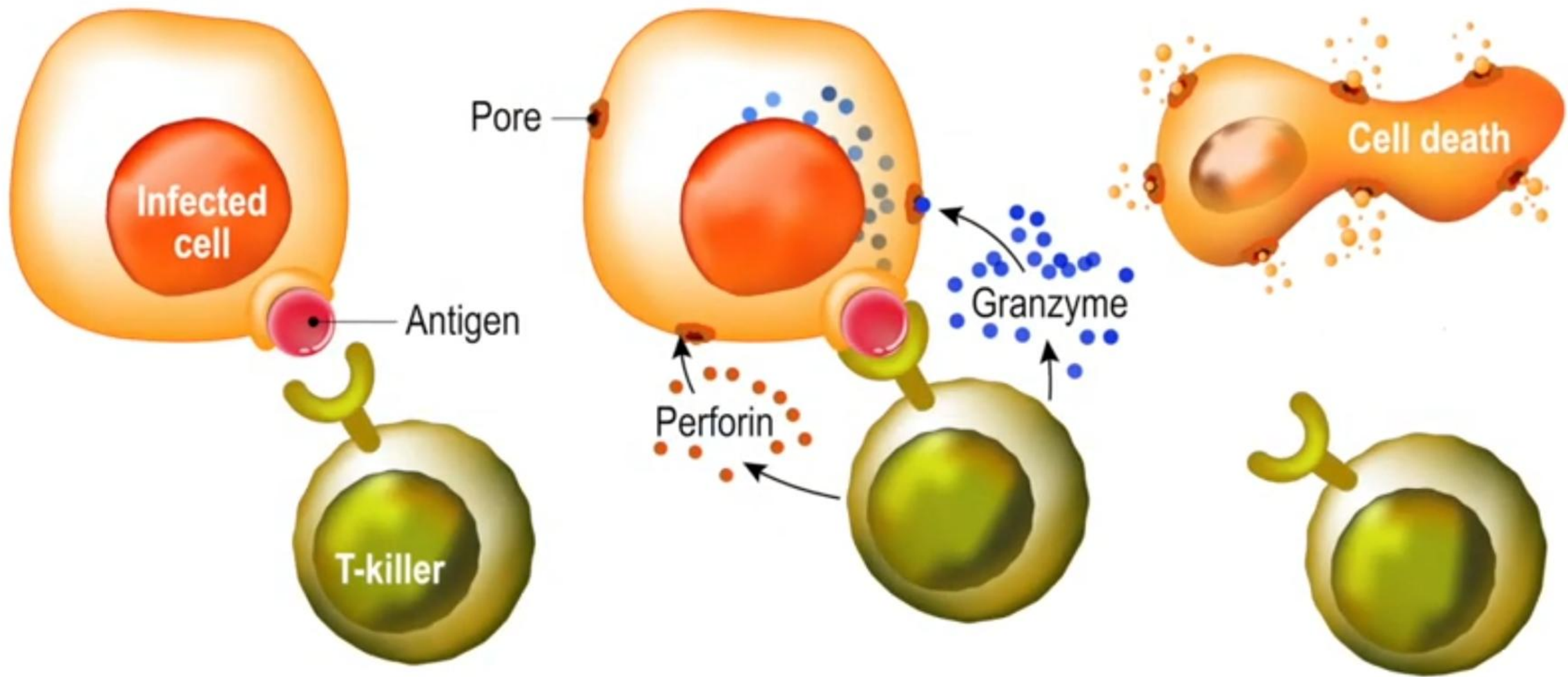
Most of the population gets immunized.

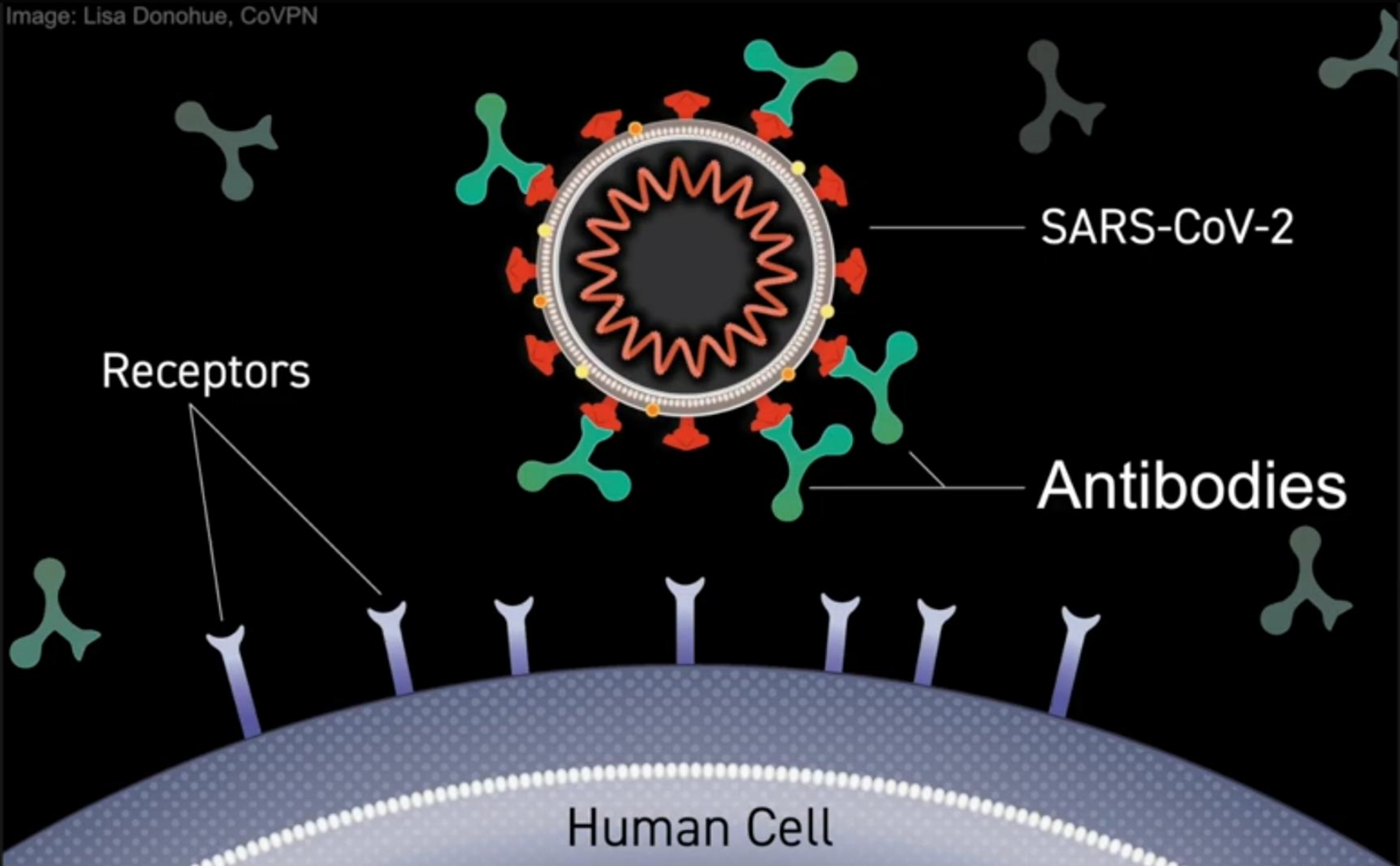


Spread of contagious disease is contained.



What is the B-cells and T-cells component?





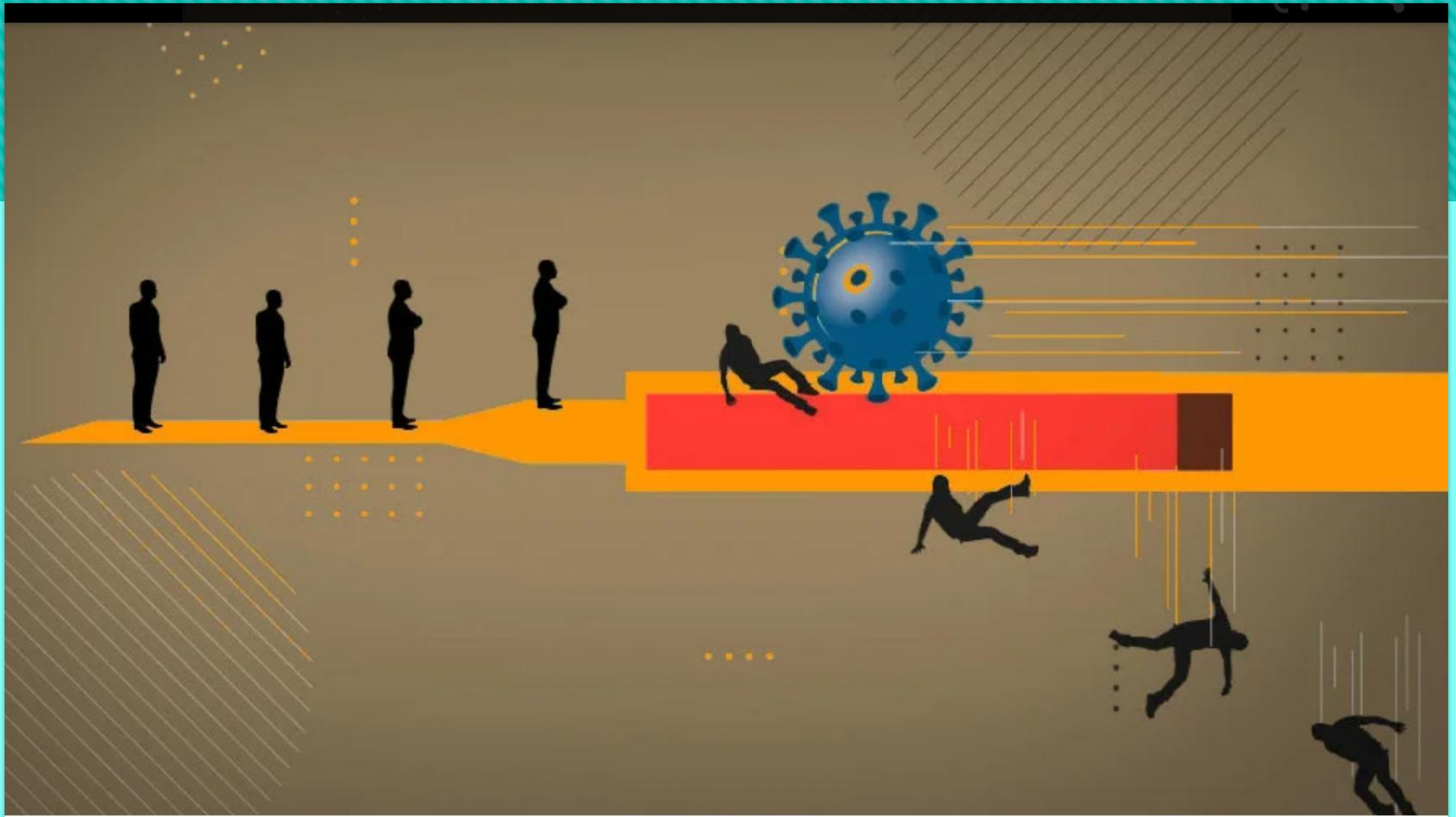
SARS-CoV-2

Receptors

Antibodies

Human Cell

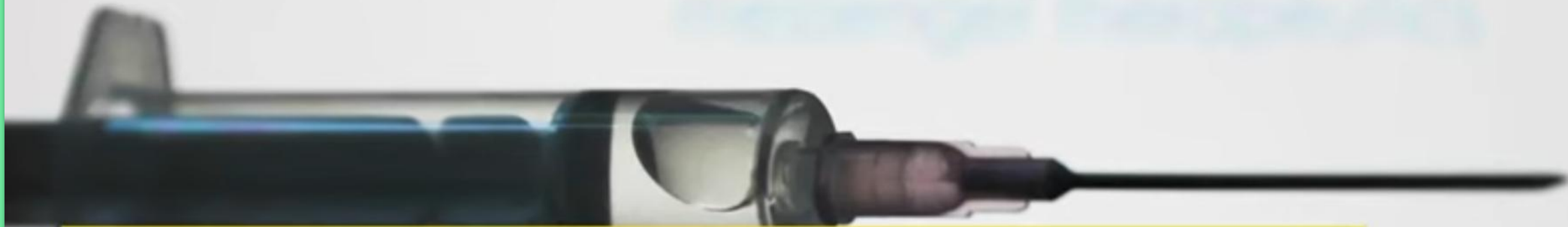
**Will it work in people who are
immunocompromised?**



The Pfizer logo is centered in the upper half of the image. It consists of the word "Pfizer" in a stylized, cursive, pink font, set within a white, horizontally-oriented oval shape. The background of the entire image is a solid magenta color.

**Pfizer will reportedly charge \$20 per dose for
its vaccine**

moderna™



**Moderna has said that their vaccine will
cost \$37**



SII

**Vaccine will cost between ₹500 and ₹600 per
dose for the general public**

Translating pharma lingo: the announced price of Pfizer of \$19.50 and Moderna of \$25-\$37 per dose actually means their price of \$39 and \$50-\$74 per person. Two doses are required per person for the Pfizer, Sputnik V and Moderna vaccines. The price of Sputnik V will be much lower.

 **NDTV**  @ndtv · Nov 22

Moderna To Charge \$25-\$37 Per Dose For Its #COVIDVaccine, Says CEO
[ndtv.com/world-news/mod...](https://www.ndtv.com/world-news/moderna-to-charge-25-37-per-dose-for-its-covid-vaccine-says-ceo)

Sputnik V

moderna

The price per dose of the vaccine would be

“much lower” than...

COVID - 19

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Covid-19
Vaccine
?

Experts

Vaccine should give long-term protection - the best case scenario would be lifetime protection

Experts

...in case the virus mutates and “escapes” the ability of one vaccine to neutralise it





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- Optimisation of the Vaccines

Reduced or increased/ one or two shots/ boost within 1, 2, or 3 years.

Mutation is possible especially when they infect the animals where they were first developed (bat,, mink) and back to humans.

200 cases reported in Denmark and Netherlands.

- Whether the Vaccines are protective,i.e prevent transmission .

,We don't know .

Some reinfection happened and secreted the virus.

The Vaccines in these trials prevented the occurrence of severe cases.

We need to continue to protect ourselves.

- About 20 trln lost because of Covid-19 compared to 20 bln spent on preparing the Vaccines.
- Duration of protection / don't know
- Safety among certain high risk population:

People with autoimmunity,People with cancer (immunocompromised , about 500000 patients) . Vaccination is important but don't know the degree of protection.These groups were not included in the trial.

- when will the general public receive the vaccine/March or April
- Rapid Ag testing.

Using slide testing like pregnancy test

If you have a gathering or family get together you can test yourself within 10 minutes. Many companies applied for authorization from US authorities (EUA)....????

- PCR could be positive after recovery, Rapid Ag checking for protein (not for RNA) so only positive when it is active infection (protein)
- Is there any more peaks or another pandemic, Yes , we need a contingency plan.

- To reach herd immunity you need to vaccinate 60-70 % of the community.
- Remdesivir(RDV) , it is an antiviral nucleotide analogue (RNA polymerase

Used in ,Ebola , SARS, MERS (not promising

Increase liver enzymes (indication of liver damage.

- Trump's treatment = Vit D , RDV + monoclonal antibodies.
- Covid-19 Vaccines timetable

*Preclinical data (Interim analytical data)... Genome sequencing , identifying the part that code for spike protein, preparing mRNA synthetically , putting mRNA inside nanolipid , add adjuvant....get the approval of FDA to go ahead with human trials. (154)

*Phase 1. Undergo safety tests for healthy people.[21]

*Phase 2. Broader group of people.[13]

*Phase 3. Large international trials to test the vaccine s impact on Covid-19[10]

- WHO/ International Consortium (Gavi/Covax) and Cepi ...to distribute the Vaccines to 190 countries .Many countries will get their Vaccines for free

Cepi (Coalition For Epidemic Preparedness Innovation) founded in Davos , Switzerland.

Headquarter , Oslo/ Norway

Founded and financed by Bill& Melinda Gate foundation, Norway ,India , Wellcome trust.

They have already paid for two billion doses of Vaccines.

They are fighting with high income countries to get their share to distribute to poor countries.

- Gavi/Covax and Cepi 2 bln doses
 - USA2 bln doses
 - European.....1.5 bln doses
 - Japan.....300 mil dose

- The advantages of mRNA Vaccines over traditional protein Vaccines.

1) design and production speed

2) low cost production

3) induction of cellular and humoral immunity...but

Required cold chain distribution &

Easy to degrade.

- placebo groups received different injections in Pfizer , Moderna and AstraZenika.
- In their trials ,checking for infection with Covid-19 after vaccination differ .?
- Is it mandatory to vaccinate?

They say NO and it is up to the person.

But , ...? ??

- Covid-19 and ethnic disparities.

In USA/ Black , Latino, then white

In UK /Black , Asian then white.

biomedical , social factors and political aspects.

Minority groups are disproportionately

affected by chronic medical conditions and lower access to health care.

Living and working conditions predisposed them to...

- Blood groups & Covid-19

A or AB are more likely to have severe Covid-19 infection than people of group B or O.

- Active smoking.

In some studies smoking increased resistance to Covid-19 infection but not in old people especially over 70 years old.

Nitrous oxide -- vasodilation

Nicotine is an anti-inflammatory

- It is a vascular disease

High cases in people with cardiac problems and other vascular system. Massive clots appear in

Autopsies of Covid-19 infected people.

- Activation of immune system (LPS , lipopolysaccharide), or infection will lower Vit.D level. ,So in Covid-19 infection we expect low Vitamin D.
- 14000 subjects , Vit.D was checked prior to checking PCR(10.1% were positive). Vitamin D was less than 30ng/ml.
- Higher infection in 60 years and under but less hospitalization . Lower infection in over 60 years but more hospitalization.
- Affinity of Covid-19 virus to certain receptors. It attaches to(Ace 2 receptors) on the cells of the tongue, alveolar type 2 cells, pharynx and nose.
- When are we going to see the effect of Vaccination? 6-8 months
- does it protect against infection/ we don't know. Many scenarios :

1) it prevents clinically recognized disease.

2) not clinically recognizable but have the virus in nasopharynx./ don't know.

3) infected, no symptoms ---- the immune system doesn't allow the virus to replicate---- so no dissemination of the virus

- Weather and Covid-19

It is thermolabile virus/during cooking (60-70 C)

Avoid raw meat , snakes

*In one study (in cold weather become weak and die under freezing temperatures.

*Others study the virus increase in cold and dry weather.

*In the USA it increases in summer with high humidity.

*In general Respiratory diseases are seasonal but this virus does not circulate long enough to establish any potential seasonal pattern.

- Is there any rare side effects/ NO . phase 3 didn't give any information. With more people vaccinated they will appear
- Vit. D and Covid-19

It can be considered as a therapeutic not only a vitamin. It is like a steroid hormone can go inside the nucleus through a VDR (Vit. D receptor)....

Sun--dermis---previtamin D3----stored in the fat & when needed ---to the kidneys where they will be changed to the active form.

It will bind to the immune cells.

Viral infection increased in the north of 35 parallel .

- inverse relationship of Vit.D and BMI

(Body mass index)

Obese people need more Vit.D

#BMI 25 ---no supplement over the daily dose.

BMI 26-30--1.5 the regular dose

BMI over 30 you need to take three times the daily dose.

- Old age and Vit.D.

- Companies working or producing Covid-19 Vaccines:

Pfizer- Biontech, Moderna, AstraZenika, Johnson & Johnson, Novavax, Sanofi , Glaxosmithkline, Sinofarm, Sinovac, CanSino Biologics , SII, Bharat Biotech

- In an interview Americans say

60% yes [they will take the vaccine]

18% unwilling to take (probably they will change).

22% are pretty sure they won't take Covid-19 vaccine.

- Side effect of the Vaccines during trials :

Arm pain, fatigue ,fever ,chills , nausea, headache .

Lymphadenopathy :

64 in vaccinated

06 in placebo

04 got Bell's palsy (in vaccinated)

You trust us with your penis.



Trust our vaccine.