

Infliximab

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Infliximab is a chimeric [monoclonal antibody](#) (human-murine) that inhibits **tumor necrosis factor-alpha (TNF α)**. It is used to treat [autoimmune diseases](#) driven by this inflammatory [cytokine](#).

Indications

Infliximab is used to treat several chronic inflammatory diseases, including:

- Rheumatologic diseases:

1. [Rheumatoid arthritis](#) see [Infliximab for rheumatoid arthritis](#)
2. Ankylosing spondylitis
3. Psoriatic arthritis

- Inflammatory bowel diseases:

1. Crohn's disease
2. Ulcerative colitis

- Dermatological conditions:

1. Severe plaque psoriasis

Mechanism of Action

Infliximab specifically binds to **TNF- α** , blocking its activity and reducing inflammation. This helps alleviate symptoms and slow disease progression.

Types of immunosuppressants include Biologics such as [adalimumab](#) (Humira®) and [infiximab](#) (Remicade®). Calcineurin inhibitors such as [tacrolimus](#) (Envarsus XR® or Protopic) and [cyclosporine](#) (Gengraf®, Neoral® or Sandimmune®). Corticosteroids ([prednisone](#))

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