Methods and Materials for Treating Autoimmune Diseases and Conditions

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Description:
Disclosed are methods for treating an autoimmune disease or condition in a subject. The methods include administering to the subject a compound which inhibits the subject's classical complement pathway. Also disclosed are methods for suppressing hyperacute graft rejection in a subject. The methods include administering to the subject a compound which inhibits the subject's classical complement pathway. Compositions which include a specific inhibitor of C1q and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient are also described.

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