

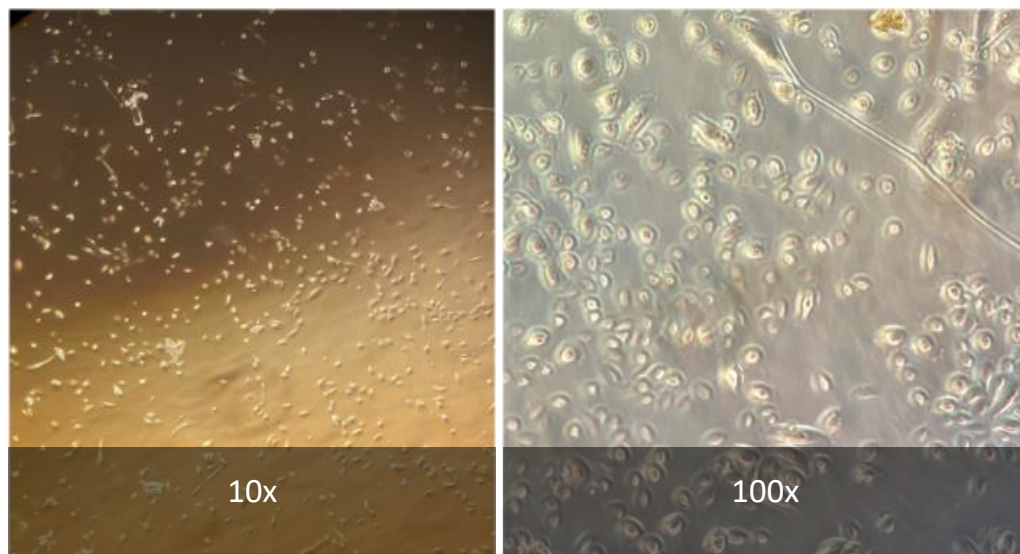


Figure S1: Microscopic view of Human Tonsil Epithelial Cells (HTEpiC) at 10x and 100x magnifications. Images depict impressions of healthy and dividing HTEpiC at passage 4, which is ready to be infected

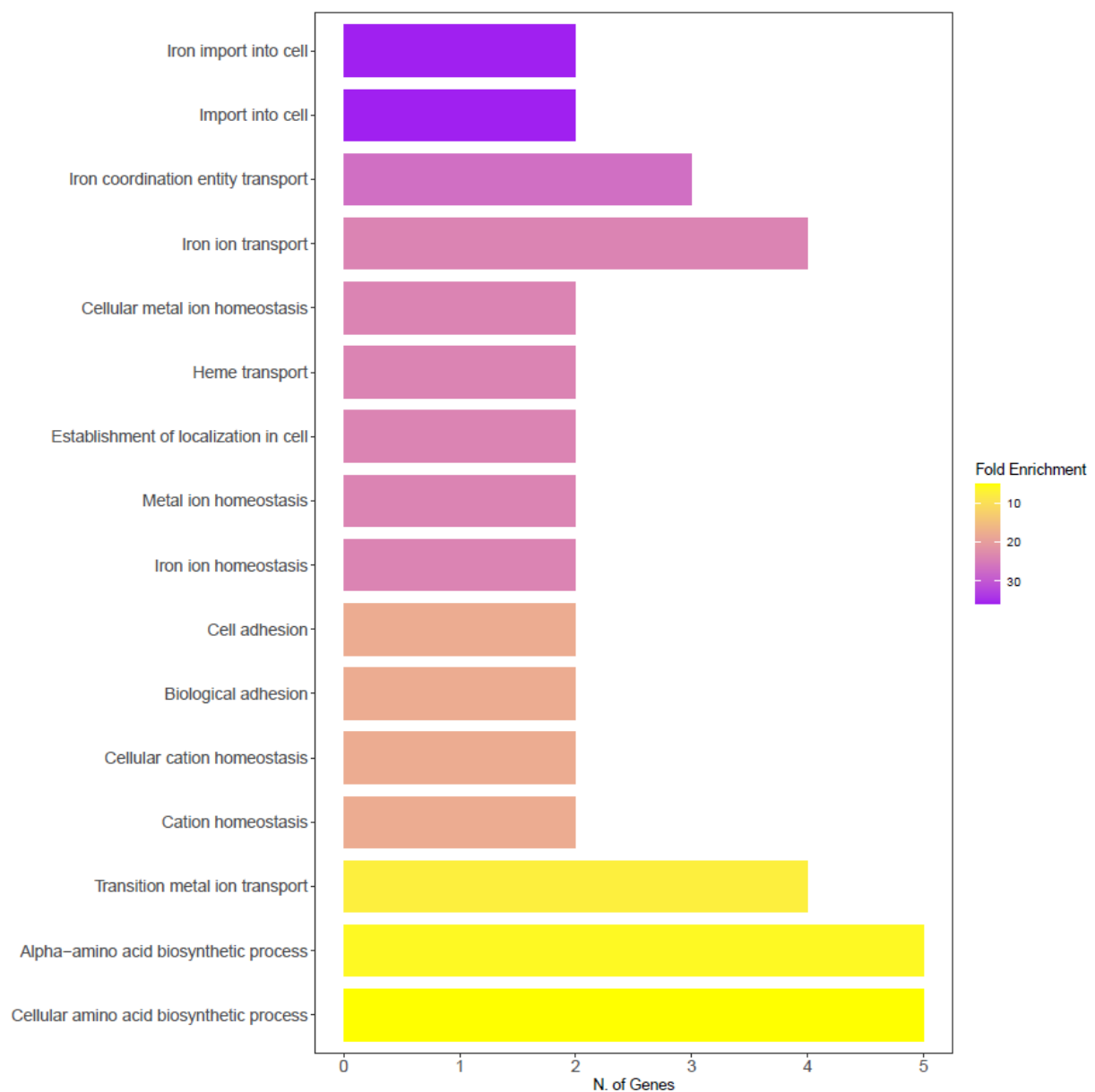


Figure S2: Top 20 GO significantly enriched biological process analyzed from differentially expressed genes uniquely upregulated at 3h of exposure to host cells. Genes were significantly involved ($FDR > 0.05$) in the respective pathways detected by GO enrichment analysis.