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- The exact sample size (n) for each experimental group/condition, given as a discrete number and unit of measurement
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Data collection

ZEN software (ver. 3.0) from Carl Zeiss was utilized for collection of confocal and live SIM imaging.
LC-MS/MS data acquisition software Xcalibur (ver. 4.3) from ThermoFisher Scientific was utilized.

Data analysis

For microscopy Imaging, Carl Zeiss ZEN 3.0 blue edition was used for analyzing and editing images. All MS/MS samples were analysed using Sequest Sorcerer platform (Sagen-N Research, San Jose, CA, USA). Sequest was set up to search the Homo sapiens (20612 entries, UniProt (<http://www.uniprot.org>)). Scaffold Q+ (version 5.1.0, Proteome Software Inc., Portland, OR) was used to validate MS/MS based peptide and protein identifications. A peptide of greater than 99% probability for achieving FDR lower than 1.0% based no Scaffold Local FDR algorithm was accepted as a true identification. A protein identification of greater than 14.0% probability to achieve an FDR less than 1.0% and containing 2 or more identified peptides was accepted. Protein Prophet algorithm57 was used to calculate the protein probabilities. The GO annotations for the proteins were retrieved from NCBI (downloaded Feb 11, 2021). Normalization was performed iteratively on intensities while medians being used for averaging. Of 5173389 spectra in the experiment at the given thresholds, 2120870 (41%) were included in quantification. A new distribution was created by Gaussian distribution with a downshift of 1.8 and width of 0.3 standard deviations. All processes were conducted using Perseus software platform from Max Planck Institute of Biochemistry. The pre-determined significantly oxidized proteins based on their log2FC and log2P were analyzed by GOnet, and oxidized proteome networks by functional association were determined by STRING and visualized by Gephi (ver. 0.9.2) or Cytoscape (ver. 3.9.1). Crystal structures of oxidized proteins containing oxidatively modified Met residues were illustrated by PyMOL2 (2.5.2). Representative crystal structures were retrieved from reported literature at Protein Data Bank (PDB). Further detailed methods are described in Methods section of manuscript. For editing raw data, OriginPro 2017, Microsoft office 2017 were used. The FACS data was processed by the CytExpert software (ver. 2.4.0.28)

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The authors declare that the data supporting the findings of this study are available within the article and its Supplementary Information. The protein information utilized in this study is available from the Homo sapiens protein sequence database (20612 entries, UniProt (<http://www.uniprot.org>)). Raw mass spectrometry dataset used for oxidised proteome analysis have been deposited to the ProteomeXchange Consortium via the PRIDE partner repository with the dataset identifier PXD038746 and 10.6019/PXD038746. Extra data are available from the corresponding author upon reasonable request. The source data underlying Fig. 1. c-f; Fig. 2. b, d, f-h; Fig. 3. a-c, e, f; Fig. 4. b, e, g; Extended Data Fig. 1. a, b, e-j; Extended Data Fig. 2. e, g; Extended Data Fig. 4. b; Extended Data Fig. 5; Extended Data Fig. 6; Extended Data Fig. 7. c; Extended Data Fig. 8. b, c, and e are provided as a Source Data file.

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Sample size	The calculation for sample size was not performed. For all experiments, sample sizes were determined based on similar experiments described in published articles.
Data exclusions	No data were excluded from the analyses
Replication	All reported results were triplicated independently. Each attempts showed similar results.
Randomization	For the experiments using cell lines, we randomly allocated cells cultured in the same condition into experimental sets, including positive/negative control. In imaging analysis, we randomly selected target at least three individual cells, then we choosed the best images.
Blinding	For cell-based experiments except for LC-MS/MS, the perfect blinding could not be achieved because the allocating of cell groups, data collection, and data analysis were performed by the same researchers. For LC-MS/MS experiment, the investigator performed the experiment with blinded samples labeled 1-1, 1-2, ..., 4-3 (corresponding to triplicated samples for BTP-/hv-, BTP+/hv-, BTP-/hv+, and BTP+/hv+)

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Antibodies

Antibodies used	Gasdermin D: NBP2-33422 (Novus Biologicals) WB - 1000:1 Caspase-1: ab207802 (Abcam) and PA5-29342 (Invitrogen) WB - 1000:1 Caspase-3: ab32351 (Abcam) WB - 1000:1 Caspase-4: A94799 (Antibodies) WB - 1000:1 Caspase-5: sc-393346 (Santa Cruz) WB - 500:1 IL-1beta: P420B (Invitrogen) WB - 1000:1 IL-18: PA5-79479 (Invitrogen) WB - 1000:1 Beta-actin: MA5-15739 (Invitrogen) WB - 1000:1 Anti-rabbit HRP: ab205718 (Abcam) WB - 3000:1 Anti-mouse HRP: 31430 (Invitrogen) WB - 5000:1
Validation	All antibody were commercially available. The manufacturer provides its validation on their website. Gasdermin D: https://www.novusbio.com/products/gsmdmc1-antibody_nbp2-33422 Caspase-1: https://www.abcam.com/caspase-1-antibody-epr19672-ab207802.html Caspase-1: https://www.thermofisher.com/antibody/product/Caspase-1-Antibody-Polyclonal/PA5-29342 Caspase-3: https://www.abcam.com/caspase-3-antibody-e87-ab32351.html Caspase-4: https://www.antibodies.com/caspase-4-p20-cleaved-gln81-antibody-a94799 Caspase-5: https://www.scbt.com/p/caspase-5-p20-antibody-h-2 IL-1beta: https://www.thermofisher.com/antibody/product/IL-1-beta-Antibody-Polyclonal/P420B IL-18: https://www.thermofisher.com/antibody/product/IL-18-Antibody-Polyclonal/PA5-79479 Beta-actin: https://www.thermofisher.com/antibody/product/beta-Actin-Loading-Control-Antibody-clone-BA3R-Monoclonal/MA5-15739 Anti-rabbit HRP: https://www.abcam.com/goat-rabbit-igg-hl-hrp-ab205718.html Anti-mouse HRP: https://www.thermofisher.com/antibody/product/Goat-anti-Mouse-IgG-H-L-Secondary-Antibody-Polyclonal/31430

Eukaryotic cell lines

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Cell line source(s)	HeLa, Panc-1, and Miapaca-2: ATCC WT and GSDMD KO iBMDMs were immortalized from mouse (James Vince Lab, WEHI)
Authentication	commercial cell lines were authenticated by commercial vendors. GSDMD KO was authenticated by western blot (supplementary information Fig. 10)
Mycoplasma contamination	The cell lines were tested negative for mycoplasma contamination
Commonly misidentified lines (See ICLAC register)	None.

Flow Cytometry

Plots

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Methodology

Sample preparation	HeLa cells of 7–80% confluence in 6-well plate were treated with BTP (10 μ M) for 2 h and further incubated with Rhod-2 AM (3 μ M) and Ion K ⁺ green-2 (40 μ M) for an hour. Then, the cells were irradiated with blue LED (450 nm, 10 J·cm ²). 2 hours after irradiation, the cells were detached using cell scrapper and the fluorescence of cell suspension was detected using flow cytometry (CytoFLEX S, Beckman, USA). Further information is provided in the supporting information.
Instrument	CytoFLEX S, Beckman, USA
Software	CytExpert software (ver. 2.4.0.28).
Cell population abundance	The abundance of the HeLa cell population within post-sort fractions is 10000. We selected experimental viable cells of reasonable size (positive FSC, intensity < 40 X 10 ⁵) with internal complexity (positive SSC, intensity < 40 X 10 ⁵) except for cell debris. The purity of the samples is above 80%
Gating strategy	The cells were selected by the preliminary FSC-A/SSC-A gates. Cells with positive FSC and positive SSC are selected, and discarded signals from cells with extremely high SSC (> 40 X 10 ⁵) or FSC (> 40 X 10 ⁵). For both of the mitochondrial Ca ²⁺ assay (Rhod-2 assay) and intracellular K ⁺ assay (ION K ⁺ Green assay), we measured signals of dyes with Laser/filter combination of mCherry. We defined the cation-mobilized cells (BTP+/hv+) based on the histogram of control condition (BTP +/hv-).

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