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Software and code

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Data collection	SAS software was used to collect Taiwan's National Health Insurance Data.
Data analysis	FlowJo v10 was used to analyze flow cytometry data. Prism v8 was used to perform all statistical calculations. iDEP2.01 was used to analyze processed RNA-sequencing data. R v4.3.3 was used to preprocess RNA-sequencing data and analyze single-cell RNA sequencing data. ImageJ and CaseViewer was used to analyze histological slides. Zen (Black edition) system 2.3 was used to analyze immunofluorescent data.

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Publicly available dataset from the Gene Expression Omnibus database under accession number GSE222197, GSE151177, and GSE162183 were used. In this study, we deposited two datasets into the Gene Expression Omnibus database under accession number GSE274941 (evohcgwqhfpjwr) and GSE274449 (cfopqwiyfhwvot). Their access tokens are in brackets.

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Reporting on race, ethnicity, or other socially relevant groupings	Our study did not involve any reporting on race, ethnicity, or other socially relevant groupings.
Population characteristics	Our study did not involve any reporting on population characteristics.
Recruitment	Our study used human data from Taiwan's National Health Insurance Depository. We used it for analysis only and at no point was any subject personally identified. We recruited 3 healthy patients to donate their healthy skin samples and 3 psoriatic patients to donate their lesioned psoriatic skin.
Ethics oversight	The collection of Taiwan's National Health Insurance Depository data was approved by Academia Sinica's Institutional Review Board for Biomedical Science Research with IRB number (AS-IRB-BM-23014). The collection of skin samples was approved by Academia Sinica's Institutional Review Board for Biomedical Science Research with IRB number (AS-IRB-BM-20062).

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Sample size	The sample size for the respective figures is included in the figure legend.
Data exclusions	We did not exclude any data.
Replication	All experiments were repeated at least twice.
Randomization	The sex and age of mice was randomly assigned in this study.
Blinding	The investigator was not blinded in this study. However, we ensure our data is a representation of the biological conditions by ensuring our data measurements are repeatable.

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Antibodies

Antibodies used

PE/Dazzle594 anti-mouse CD45 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 103146; RRID: AB_2564003
 APC/Cy7 anti-mouse CD4 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 100414; RRID: AB_312699
 APC anti-mouse gd TCR Antibody Biolegend Cat# 118115; RRID: AB_1731824
 PE/Cy7 anti-mouse CD3 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 100220; RRID: AB_1732057
 PerCP eFluor710 anti-mouse IL-22 Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 46-7222-82; RRID: AB_2573839
 PE anti-mouse CD11b Antibody Biolegend Cat# 101208; RRID: AB_312791
 Alexa Fluor 488 anti-mouse Gr-1 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 108417; RRID: AB_389309
 FITC anti-mouse CD3 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 100306; RRID: AB_312671
 PE/Cy7 anti-mouse gdTCR Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 25-5711-82; RRID: AB_2573464
 eFluor 506 anti-mouse IL-17A Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 69-7177-82; RRID: AB_2637303
 Alexa Fluor 647 anti-mouse Ly6G Antibody Biolegend Cat# 127610; RRID: AB_1134159
 FITC anti-mouse CD45.1 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 110706; RRID: AB_313495
 APC-eFluor 780 anti-mouse MHC II Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 47-5321-82; RRID: AB_1548783
 eFluor 506 anti-mouse CD11c Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 69-0114-80; RRID: AB_2637426
 PerCP/cy5.5 anti-mouse CD11b Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 45-0112-80; RRID: AB_953560
 eFluor 450 anti-mouse CD103 Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 48-1031-80; RRID: AB_2574032
 PE anti-mouse CD207 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 144204; RRID: AB_2561499
 Alexa Fluor 647 anti-mouse CD317 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 127014; RRID: AB_1953289
 BV421 anti-mouse Vg4 Antibody BD Cat# 742308; RRID: AB_2740689
 APC anti-mouse CD11b Antibody Biolegend Cat# 101212; RRID: AB_312795
 PE anti-mouse Gr1 Antibody eBioscience Cat# 12-5931-82; RRID: AB_466045
 BV421 anti-mouse I-A/I-E Antibody Biolegend Cat# 107632; RRID: AB_2650896
 BV650 anti-mouse XCR1 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 148220; RRID: AB_2566410
 APC eFluor 780 anti-mouse CD64 Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 47-0641-80; RRID: AB_2735011
 PerCP/eFluor710 anti-mouse MerTK Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 46-5751-80; RRID: AB_2688093
 BV786 anti-mouse CCR2 Antibody BD Cat# 747966; RRID: AB_2872427
 APC anti-mouse Ly6G Antibody Biolegend Cat# 127613; RRID: AB_1877163
 Alexa Fluor 700 anti-mouse Ly6C Antibody Biolegend Cat# 128024; RRID: AB_10643270
 Alexa Fluor 488 anti-mouse IL-23 Antibody Invitrogen Cat# 53-7023-82; RRID: AB_2574435
 BV605 anti-mouse CD3 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 100306; RRID: AB_312671
 Anti-mouse CD16/32 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 101302; RRID: AB_312801
 eFluor 506 Fixable Viability Dye eBioscience Cat# 65-0866-14
 Live/Dead Fixable Blue Invitrogen Cat# L23105
 Anti-mouse IL-23r Antibody R and D Systems Cat# MAB1686; RRID: AB_2124650
 Rat IgG2b In Vivo Isotype Control Ichor Bio Cat# ICH2243; RRID: AB_2921378
 Anti-mouse phospho-NF-kB p65 (Ser536) Antibody Affinity Biosciences Cat# AF2006; RRID: AB_2834435
 Anti-mouse NFkB2 p100/p52 Antibody 4882 Cell Signaling Cat# 4888; RRID: AB_915969
 Anti-mouse RelB (C1E4) Rabbit mAb 4922 Cell Signaling Cat# 4888; RRID: AB_915969
 beta-Actin (ACTB) Monoclonal Antibody (ACTB/2370) Thermo Scientific Cat# MA5-15739; RRID: AB_10979409
 GAPDH Loading Control Monoclonal Antibody (GA1R) Invitrogen Cat# MA5-15738; RRID: AB_10977387
 Purified anti-mouse CD40 Antibody Biolegend Cat# 102901 (HM40-3); RRID: AB_312944
 Anti-Serotonin Antibody [YC5/45] Abcam Cat# AB6336; RRID: AB_449517
 Anti-human CD1a Antibody R&D Systems Cat# MAB7076; RRID: AB_10973620
 Anti-human HTR2A Antibody biorbyt Cat# Orb10009; RRID: AB_10750020
 Goat anti-mouse FITC Jackson Immunoresearch Cat# 115-095-006; RRID: AB_2338590
 Goat anti-rabbit RFP Jackson Immunoresearch Cat# 111-025-006; RRID: AB_2337927
 Goat anti-rabbit IgG (H+L) Secondary Antibody HRP Thermo Scientific Cat# 31460; RRID: AB_228341
 Goat anti-mouse IgG (H+L) Secondary Antibody HRP Thermo Scientific Cat# 31430; RRID: AB_228307

Validation

We did not develop any primary antibody.

Clinical data

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Clinical trial registration	IRB number AS-IRB-BM-20062 was used for collection of skin samples. IRB number AS-IRB-BM-23014 was used to analyze data from Taiwan's National Health Insurance Depository.
Study protocol	For AS-IRB-BM-20062, we collected 3 skin samples from healthy donors and psoriatic patients respectively. The skin sample was halved, with one half being treated with DOI and the other half serving as a control. For AS-IRB-BM-23014, we identified psoriatic patients using the codes 696.1 and 696.8 in the International Classification of Diseases 9 (ICD9). We then checked for SSRI and anti-psychotic exposure. Those with SSRI exposure were categorized under SSRI, those with anti-psychotic exposure were categorized under anti-psychotic, and those with no exposure were categorized under control. Patients with both SSRI and anti-psychotic use were excluded.
Data collection	For AS-IRB-BM-20062, we accessed data from Taiwan's National Health Insurance Depository. For AS-IRB-BM-23014, we collaborated with doctors from the Department of Dermatology, National Taiwan University Hospital and Department of Dermatology, Taipei Medical University-Shuang Ho Hospital to collect skin samples.
Outcomes	For AS-IRB-BM-20062, we looked at changes in transcriptome. Differentially expressed genes (DEGs) between healthy non-treated and lesioned non-treated are considered psoriatic genes. We then looked at DEGs of lesioned treated versus lesioned non-treated and compared it with psoriatic genes to determine if there are any overlap. The overlapped genes are psoriatic genes affected by serotonin 2A receptor. For AS-IRB-BM-23014, treatment received was divided into 4 different categories, Topical, Systemic, Combination, and Biologics with Topical being the mildest and Biologics being the most severe according to Taiwan Dermatological Association. We then tracked changes in treatment received for 6 months as a surrogate for psoriatic severity. For example, if a patient has to change from using Topical treatment to Biologics treatment, this is considered a worsening of psoriatic symptoms.

Plants

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Authentication	N/A

Flow Cytometry

Plots

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Methodology

Sample preparation	Cells were isolated from the ears by incubating overnight at 37°C with Dispase II (Thermo Scientific). The next day, the ear is then cut by scissors into small pieces and then immersed in RPMI (Gibco) containing Collagenase IV (Gibco) and DNase I (Bio Basic) for 90 minutes. The sample is then filtered using a 70µm cell strainer. The isolated single cells were then stained directly with fluorescent antibodies or treated with PMA (Merck), Ionomycin (BioGems), and GolgiStop (BD) if intracellular cytokine staining was required.
Instrument	BD® LSR II Flow Cytometer
Software	FlowJo v10
Cell population abundance	For Vg4 T cells, there are at least 100 cells per sample for all figures. For neutrophils, there are at least 1000 cells per sample for all figures. For IL23+ cells in Figure 5C, there are at least 100 cells per cell type. For Figure 5I, there are around 100 IL23+

moLCs in the control group and around 30 IL23+ moLCs in the DOI-treated group.

Gating strategy

Our gating strategy for IL17+ IL22+ Vg4 T cells and neutrophils are as Supplementary Figure S2. Our gating strategy for sorted moLCs are as Supplementary Figure S6. Our gating strategy for Figure 5C are as supplementary Figure S7.

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