

1. Ignorance            Autoimmune lymphocytes are kept in ignorance by sequestration of auto antigens behind cellular or vascular barriers; by the occurrence of cell death by
2. Anergy              Unstable metabolic arrest affecting lymphocytes that can lead to apoptosis [50].
3. Homeostatic control    Expression of cytotoxic T lymphocyte antigen 4 on activated T-lymphocytes.
4. Regulation          Inhibition of induction or effector functions of other classes of T-cells by regulatory cytokines or interference with receptor signaling.