



Anti-Erythropoietin receptor autoantibodies

Prevalence

A significantly increased production of autoantibodies to the erythropoietin receptor (anti-EPOR) was found in patients with systemic lupus erythematosus (18,3 %). In healthy persons the prevalence of anti-EPOR was about 2,2 %. The antibodies were found especially in LE-patients with anemia (31,9 %).

Literature

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