

Author	Cytokine	Study	Result
Experimental administration of cytokines			
Shoham 1987 ¹	TNF	Intravenous and intraventricular injection into rats	Increases SWS
	IL-1B		Increases SWS
Fang 1997 ²	TNF	Intraperitoneal injection in mice	Increases NREM sleep
	IL-1B		Increases NREM sleep
Takahashi 1999 ³	TNF inhibitor	Intraventricular injection into rabbits	Decreases IL-1-induced NREM sleep
	IL-1 inhibitor		Decreases TNF-induced NREM sleep
Dickstein 1999 ⁴	TNF	Intraventricular injection in sheep	Increases SWS
Obal 1995 ⁵	IL-1	Intraventricular injection into rats	Increases NREM sleep and SWS
	GHRH antibodies		Decreases IL-1-induced NREM sleep and SWS
Krueger 1987 ⁶	IFN alpha	Intraventricular or intravenous injection into rabbits	Increases SWS
Kubota 2001 ⁷	IL-2	Intraventricular injection into rabbits	Increased NREM sleep; some decreases in REM sleep
Kushikata 1998 ⁸	IL-4	Intraventricular injection into rabbits	Decreases NREM sleep; some decreases in REM sleep
Spath-Schwalbe 1998 ⁹	IL-6	Intravenous injection into humans	Decreases REM sleep, but variable effects on SWS
Hogan 2003 ¹⁰	IL-6	Intraventricular injection into rats	Increases then decreases NREM sleep; no effect on REM
Benedict 2009 ¹¹	IL-6	Intranasal administration to humans	Increases SWS
Opp 1995 ¹²	IL-10	Intraventricular injection into rats	Decreases NREM sleep
Kushikata 1999 ¹³	IL-10	Intraventricular injection into rabbits	Decreases NREM sleep
	IL-15		Increases NREM sleep; some decreases in REM sleep
Kubota 2000 ¹⁴	IL-13	Intraventricular injection into rabbits	Decreases NREM sleep
	TGFB		Decreases NREM sleep
Kubota 2001 ¹⁵	IL-18	Intraventricular injection into rabbits	Increases NREM sleep
Kubota 2000 ¹⁶	NFKB inhibitor	Intraventricular injection into rats and rabbits	Decreases IL-1B-induced sleep
Endogenous levels of cytokines			
Fang 1997 ²	TNF	Knockout mice for TNF receptor compared with controls	Decreased baseline NREM sleep

Fang 1998 ¹⁷	IL-1	Knockout mice for IL-1 receptor compared with controls	Decreased baseline NREM sleep
Opp 1994 ¹⁸	Anti-IL-1B	Intraventricular injection into rats after sleep deprivation	Reduces sleep
Takahashi 1995 ¹⁹	Anti-TNF antibody	Intraventricular injection into rats and rabbits	Decreases NREM sleep
Moldofsky 1986 ²⁰	IL-1	Measurement in plasma of humans during sleep/wake cycle	Increase at onset of SWS
Gudewill 1992 ²¹	IL-1B	Measurement in plasma of humans during sleep/wake cycle	Some increases during sleep
	TNF		No change
	IL-6		Some increases during sleep
Lissoni 1998 ²²	IL-2	Measurement in humans during sleep/wake cycle	Peaks during sleep
Redwine 2000 ²³	IL-2	Measurement in plasma of humans during sleep/wake cycle	No change with sleep
	IL-6		Increase at sleep onset
Dimitrov 2006 ²⁴	IL-6R	Measurement in plasma of humans during sleep/wake cycle	Increased during sleep
Hogan 2003 ¹⁰	Anti-IL-6 antibodies	Intraventricular injection into rats	No effect on spontaneous sleep
Thomas 2010 ²⁵	IL-6	Measurement after stimulation of human monocytes during sleep/wake cycle	Increased IL-6 associated with decreased SWS and increased REM sleep, and fatigue the next day
Benedict 2007 ²⁶	IL-7	Measurement in plasma of humans during sleep/wake cycle	Increases during REM sleep
Kubota 2000 ¹⁶	NFKB inhibitor	Intraventricular injection into rats and rabbits	Decreases REM and NREM sleep
Dimitrov 2004 ²⁷	IL-2, IL-4, TNF, IFN gamma	Flow cytometry analysis of blood cells in humans during sleep/wake cycle	Increased Th1 activity in early sleep, shift to Th2 dominance in late sleep
Sleep deprivation and cytokines			
Born 1997 ²⁸	TNF	Measurement in plasma after 24 h sleep deprivation in humans	No change
	IL-1B	Production by T cells after 24 h sleep deprivation in humans	No change
	IL-2		Decreased
	IL-6		No change
Mackiewicz 1996 ²⁹	IL-1B	Quantitative gene expression after 24 h sleep deprivation in rats	Increase in expression
Shearer 2001 ³⁰	TNFR-1	Measurement in plasma after 88 hours total compared to partial sleep deprivation in humans	Increased
	IL-6		Increased

Irwin 2006 ³¹	TNF	Measurement after monocyte stimulation after 1 night partial sleep deprivation in humans	Increased
	IL-6		Increased
Redwine 2000 ²³	IL-6	Measurement after 4 hours sleep loss	Regular increase at sleep onset delayed by deprivation
Haack 2007 ³²	IL-6	Measurement in plasma after 8 nights partial sleep deprivation in humans	Increased
Frey 2007 ³³	IL-1B, IL-1RA	Measurement in plasma after 24 h sleep deprivation in humans	Increased
	IL-6		Decreased
Yehuda 2009 ³⁴	IL-1B, TNF, IL-6, IL-17	Measurement in plasma after 72 h sleep deprivation in rats	Increased
Rosa Neto 2010 ³⁵	TNF	Measurement in adipose tissue after 96 h paradoxical sleep deprivation in rats	Decreased
	IL-6		Increased
	IL-10		No change
Chennaoui 2011 ³⁶	TNF	Measurement in plasma after 24 h sleep deprivation in humans	Increased
	TNFR1, IL-6		No change
Ruiz 2010 ³⁷	IL-1B, IL-2, IL-4, IL-6, IL-10, TNF, IFN gamma	Measurement in plasma after 48 h sleep deprivation in humans	No change
Moller-Levet 2013 ³⁸	IL-6	Gene expression after 7 nights partial sleep loss	Increased IL-6 expression
Moller-Levet 2013 ³⁸	IL-1R	Gene expression after 7 nights partial sleep loss	Increased IL-1R expression

SWS – slow wave sleep, NREM – non rapid eye movement, REM - rapid eye movement, TNF – tumor necrosis factor, TNFR – TNF receptor, IL – interleukin, IL-1R – interleukin-1 receptor, IFN – interferon, TGFB – transforming growth factor beta

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