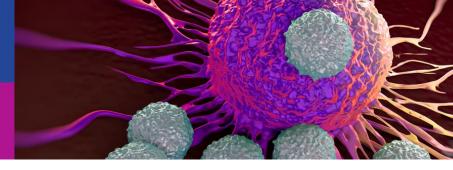
# Research at Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center



## Cancer

### **NAME OF LABORATORY:** Hematology Research Laboratory for CLL Cell Biology

PI: Dr. Yair Herishanu MD

Director of Department: Prof. Irit Avivi MD

**Research Objectives:** Our main clinical and research interests are in the field of chronic lymphocytic leukemia. Our research focuses on the interactions of CLL cells with the tissue microenvironment.

#### Main Research topics:

- B-cell receptor signaling in CLL cells
- The interactions between CLL cells and the tissue microenvironment
- Development of novel targeted therapies in CLL.

Staff: Mika Shapiro PhD, Nili Dezorella - PhD student

#### **Active Grants:**

• CBRC Hematology grant

#### **Collaborations:**

- Dr.Adrian Wiestner, Hematology Branch, NHLBI/NIH, Bethesda, USA
- Professor Idit Shachar, Weizmann Institute of Science: Head, Department of Immunology
- Dr Ben-Zion Katz, Department of Hematology, Tel Aviv Sourasky Medical Center

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