## **Dendritic Cell**

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Dendritic cells are a type of macrophage, and one of their functions is to recognize and engulf foreign cells in a process called phagocytosis. Dendritic cells are being studied for use in vaccination against certain forms of cancer. They are located under the skin or in intestine tissue, where they react against foreign bodies such as bacteria. Magnification: 7,000× (at 15 x 12cm image size).

