

# macrophage *(mac-ro-phage)*

## Definition

n. a large white blood cell occurring principally in connective tissue and in the bloodstream that ingests foreign particles and infectious microorganisms by phagocytosis

## Example Sentence

A **macrophage** helps eliminate cellular debris.

## Synonyms

phagocyte; scavenger cell; large white blood cell

## Antonyms

cellular debris

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