Supplementary Materials: Enumeration and Localization of Mesenchymal Progenitor Cells and Macrophages in Synovium from Normal Individuals and Patients with Pre-Osteoarthritis or Clinically Diagnosed Osteoarthritis

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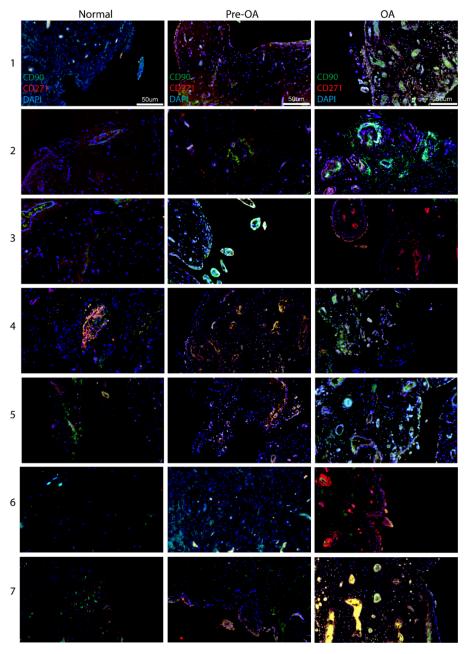


Figure S1. Markers of mesenchymal progenitor cells (MPCs) (CD90, CD271) in Normal, Preosteoarthritis (OA) and OA synovial tissue. Representative images from the remaining seven individuals from the normal, pre-OA and OA cohorts stained with CD90 (green), CD271 (red) and 4',6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI) (blue). Scale bar represents 50µm.

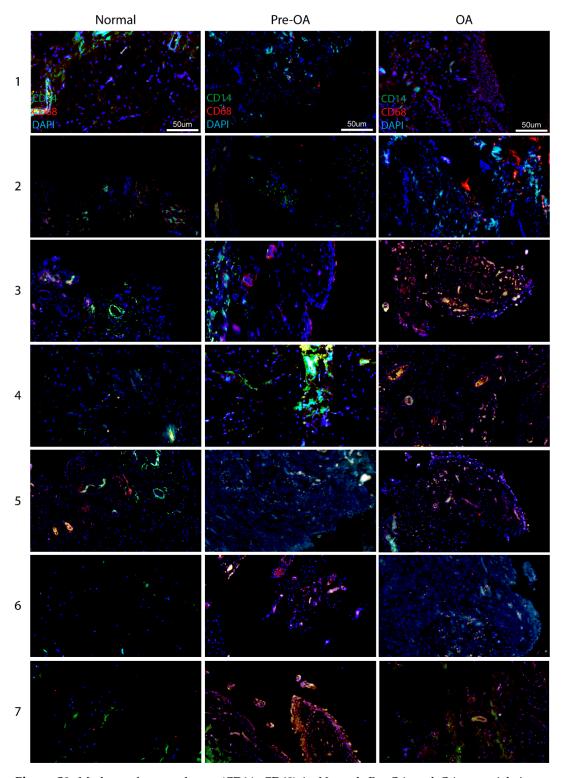


Figure S2. Markers of macrophages (CD14, CD68) in Normal, Pre-OA and OA synovial tissue. Representative images from the remaining seven individuals from the normal, pre-OA and OA cohorts stained with CD14 (green), CD68 (red) and DAPI (blue). Scale bar represents $50\mu m$.

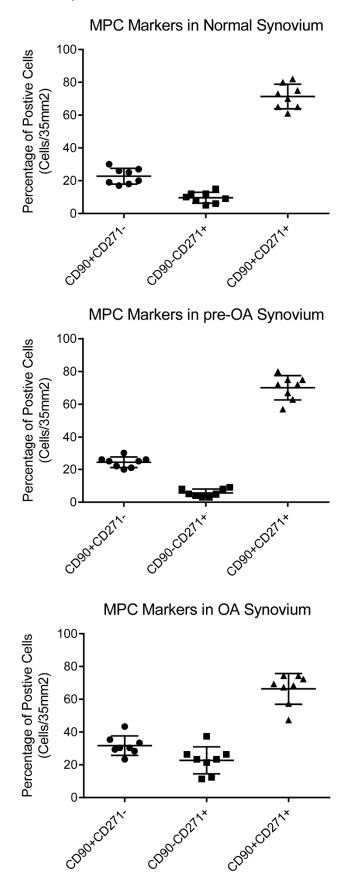
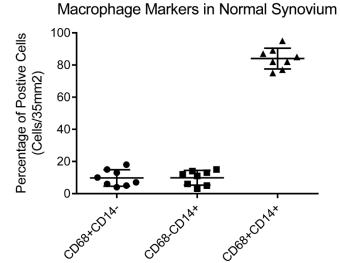
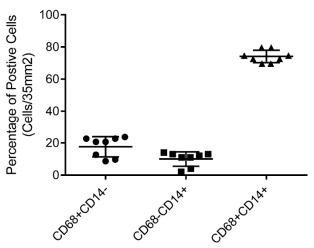


Figure S3. Enumeration of single and double positive cells expressing MPC markers. CD90⁺, CD271⁺ and CD90⁺ CD271⁺ cells were quantified in normal, pre-OA and OA synovium. In all cohorts examined, the majority of cells expressing both markers (CD90 and CD271).







Macrophage Markers in OA Synovium

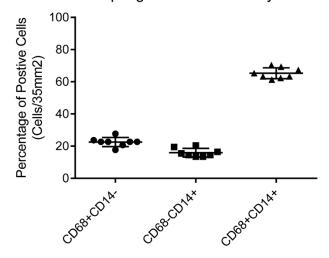


Figure S4. Enumeration of single and double positive cells expressing macrophage markers. CD14⁺, CD68⁺ and CD14⁺ CD68⁺ cells were quantified in normal, pre-OA and OA synovium. In all cohorts examined the majority of cells expressed both markers (CD14 and CD68).

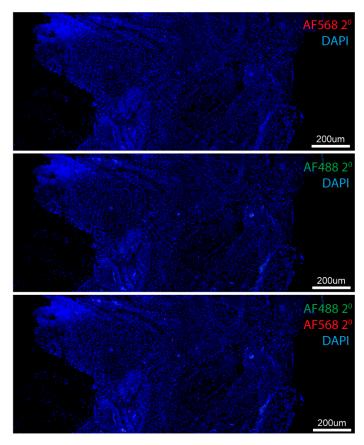


Figure S5. Isotype Controls. To control for non-specific binding of the primary antibody, isotype specific controls conjugated to each fluorophore were examined on synovial tissue sections. Limited/no reactivity was observed.