Influence of Pre-competition Intensive Training on B Lymphocyte Immunity of Excellent Track and Field Athletes

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Abstract: Objective: Study the influence of pre-competition intensive training on B lymphocyte immunity of excellent track and field athletes. Method: Select 10 excellent track and field athletes of the school to receive pre-competition intensive training and observe the influence of long-time training and competition on B lymphocyte immunity of these athletes. Result: In this study, the concentration of serum IgG of these athletes is obviously lower than normal value before and after training. The comparative result has visible difference and is of statistical significance (p < 0.05). After one-month intensive training, the concentration of SlgA increases gradually, is visibly different from that before training, and is of statistical significance (p < 0.05). The change of the concentration of SlgA has positive correlation with that of IgG and has negative correlation with that of IgA and IgM. After competition, the change of the concentration of SlgA has negative correlation with that of IgG and has positive correlation with that of IgA and IgM. Conclusion: The pre-competition intensive training to excellent track and field athletes will not cause significant influence on the concentration of serum immunoglobulin of athletes, but SlgA will increase visibly, indicating that the mucosal immune system of athletes is in good condition.

Keywords: B lymphocyte immunity, excellent track and field athletes, pre-competition intensity training.

1. INTRODUCTION

With the continuous popularization in recent years, the level of track and field athletics gradually improves. To enhance athletes’ self quality, proper training way should be adopted during intensive training. Recently, track and field athletes suffer from different diseases in routine training, including cold, fever, common respiratory diseases, etc., which has a strong impact on normal training and playing at normal level. Pre-competition intensive training to track and field athletes contributes to reducing the influence on athletes’ immune system. To study the influence of pre-competition intensive training on B lymphocyte immunity of excellent track and field athletes, this paper selects 10 excellent track and field athletes of the school to receive pre-competition intensive training and analyzes the results. The details are shown below:

2. OBJECTS AND METHODS

2.1. Object

Ten excellent track and field athletes of the school, including five male athletes and five female athletes, are selected as objects of study. These objects are in good health and do not suffer from any serious endocrine system diseases. They are 18 to 26 years old on average, their height ranges from 168cm to 178cm, and weight ranges from 50kg to 68kg [1]. See Table 1 for analysis on general information.

2.2. Experimental Methods

2.2.1. Detailed Contents

All athletes should take a one-month pre-competition intensive training. Speed training, physical training and endurance training should be done weekly. To enhance the will-power of the athletes, various training activities should be carried out in practice. See Table 2 for detailed arrangements.

2.2.2. Sample Collection

Take 3ml venous blood from each athlete in the first week after pre-competition intensive training; take 3ml venous blood and 3ml saliva from each athlete after one-month pre-competition intensive training; put all blood and saliva samples collected into common test tube and place in the lab for 30min; and then centrifuge blood samples at 2500r/min for 10min. Before collecting saliva, athletes should gargle with clear water, centrifugation of naturally-secreted saliva at 3000r/min should be done before taking supernate; send samples to immunological detection center for testing; finally, take 3ml venous blood and 3ml saliva from each athlete after competition, keep in 0-4°C refrigerator, and send to testing center in time for examination [2].

2.2.3. Testing Methods

In this study, Array360System automatic analytical instrument is used to analyze the samples by rate nephelometry and measure IgG, IgA and IgM coefficients. The kit selected is original auxiliary product [3].
2.2.4. Data Processing Way

Statistics software SPSS20.0 is adopted in this study to process the statistical data. All data are expressed as average value ±standard deviation (X±SD). T and \( t \) test should be done. The difference is of statistical significance if \( P<0.05 \), and that is of great statistical significance if \( P<0.01 \).

3. LAB RESULTS

3.1. Comparison with Lg Cell Value of Athletes in Quiet State

In this study, the concentration of serum IgG of these athletes is visibly lower than normal value before and after training. The comparative result has visible difference and is of statistical significance (\( P<0.05 \)), which means that, before pre-competition intensive training, the B lymphocyte immunity of athletes are normal. See Table 3 for detailed comparative results.

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<th>Number of Cases(n)</th>
<th>Average Age (year)</th>
<th>Average Height (cm)</th>
<th>Average Weight (kg)</th>
<th>Average Training Time (year)</th>
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<td>10</td>
<td>22±1.2</td>
<td>174±5.12</td>
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Table 2. Weekly training contents.

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Table 3. Change of the concentration of IgG before and after intensity training and after competition.

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<td>IgG/(g.L(^{-1}))</td>
<td>10.23±0.98</td>
<td>10.56±1.25</td>
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Table 4. Change of the concentration of lgA and lgM before and after intensity training and after competition.

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<td>LgA/(g.L(^{-1}))</td>
<td>2.35±0.85</td>
<td>2.24±0.56</td>
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<td>LgM/(g.L(^{-1}))</td>
<td>1.35±0.26</td>
<td>1.45±0.25</td>
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<td>1.48±0.58</td>
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Table 5. Change of the concentration of SlgA before and after intensity training & before and after competition.

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<td>SlgA/(g.L(^{-1}))</td>
<td>0.12±0.02</td>
<td>0.18±0.06</td>
<td>0.18±0.07</td>
<td>0.21±0.04</td>
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3.2. Change of B Lymphocyte Immunity after Intensive Training and Competition

In the study, the concentration of lgA declines after training and increases after competition, the change trend is not distinct and is of no statistical significance (\( P>0.05 \)); the concentration of lgM increases after training and declines after competition, the change trend is also not distinct and is also of no statistical significance (\( P>0.05 \)) [4]. Therefore, the values of different phases have no visible difference. See Table 4 for detailed comparative results.

3.3. Change of SlgA

In the study, the concentration of SlgA increases gradually after one-month intensive training, and it is visibly different from that before competition and is of statistical significance (\( P<0.05 \)). After competition, the concentration of SlgA increases immediately, and it is visibly different from that before training and is of statistical significance (\( P<0.05 \)). See Table 5 for detailed comparative results.
3.4. Correlation of SlgA, lgG, lgA and lgM before and after Intensive Training and Competition

In the study, the change of the concentration of SlgA has positive correlation with that of lgG and has negative correlation with that of lgA and lgM [5]. After competition, the change of the concentration of SlgA has negative correlation with that of lgG and has positive correlation with that of lgA and lgM. According to the results, in order to define the testing method, the relevant analysis results can be used to analyze the three immune globulins and identify the change situation of serum immunoglobulin. See Table 6 for detailed comparative results.

4. SUMMARY

4.1. Influence of Long-time and High-intensity Training on B Lymphocyte Immunity

Immune globulin refers to the globulin which is similar to antibody in activity or chemical structure. It is mainly produced by B lymphocyte and exists in blood. Currently, lgG, lgA and lgM are mainly used to assess body immunity index. Generally, B cells in peripheral blood cyclic system will surely be changed after acute exercise, but the quantity will not be changed. Since the coefficient of lgG, lgA and lgM produced by B cells declines visibly in and after exercise and can be recovered after exercise, long-time intensive training has less influence on B lymphocyte immune system. In the study, lgA and lgM are balanced before training, which is mainly caused by the difference of training level of athletes, therefore, training contents can be added properly in pre-competition training [6].

4.2. Influence of Long-time and High-intensity Training on SlgA

SlgA mainly appears in respiratory system and digestive system, and is the first anti-infection line of defense of body. Since epithelial and hypodermal cells on mucosa have a direct or indirect antigen-antibody reaction, they should be combined with partial immune system consisting of peripheral T cells and B cells for detailed analysis. If the immune system has visible reaction after being stimulated, detailed analysis should be made on the involved factors. Since central system does not participate when the immune system is stimulated, immune response can be done by itself [7].

4.3. Correlation of Serum Immune Globulins and SlgA during Long-time and High-intensity Intensive Training

According to the study, the correlation of serum immune globulins (lgG, lgA and lgM) and SlgA is known. Before training, the change of the concentration of lgM has negative correlation with SlgA and the correlation coefficient is about -0.7. Hence, SlgA should be analyzed before and after training. Since lgM is high-efficiency antimicrobial, its decline and increase in infection rate and immune level have certain internal relations. In the study, the change of the concentration of SlgA has positive correlation with that of lgG and negative correlation with that of lgA and lgM. After competition, the change of the concentration of SlgA has negative correlation with that of lgG and positive correlation with that of lgA and lgM. According to current immunological knowledge, most contents are lgG. Since different individuals have certain difference, the detailed change of lgG can be known through the change of serum values before and after competition.

CONCLUSION

lgA and lgM of excellent track and field athletes before and after training are in normal range. Since lgG is in normal range, long-time training before competition contributes to improving the immune level of track and field athletes. Practice proves that, lgG, lgA and lgM of athletes after training and competition have no visible difference, hence, intensive training has less influence on body immune system, and proper routine training can be done before competition.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The author confirms that this article content has no conflict of interest.

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Table 6. Correlation of SlgA with lgG, lgA and lgM before and after intensive training and competition & before and after competition.

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