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In Figure 5, on page 299, two items of text were incorrectly placed in the figure so that they did not convey the author's meaning. The label "IL-7R → LT" should have been placed in part **b** of the figure, above the arrow in the lower left-hand corner of the figure. The label "IL-7R, CXCR5, TRANCER → LT" should have been placed above the arrow in the lower right-hand corner of the figure.

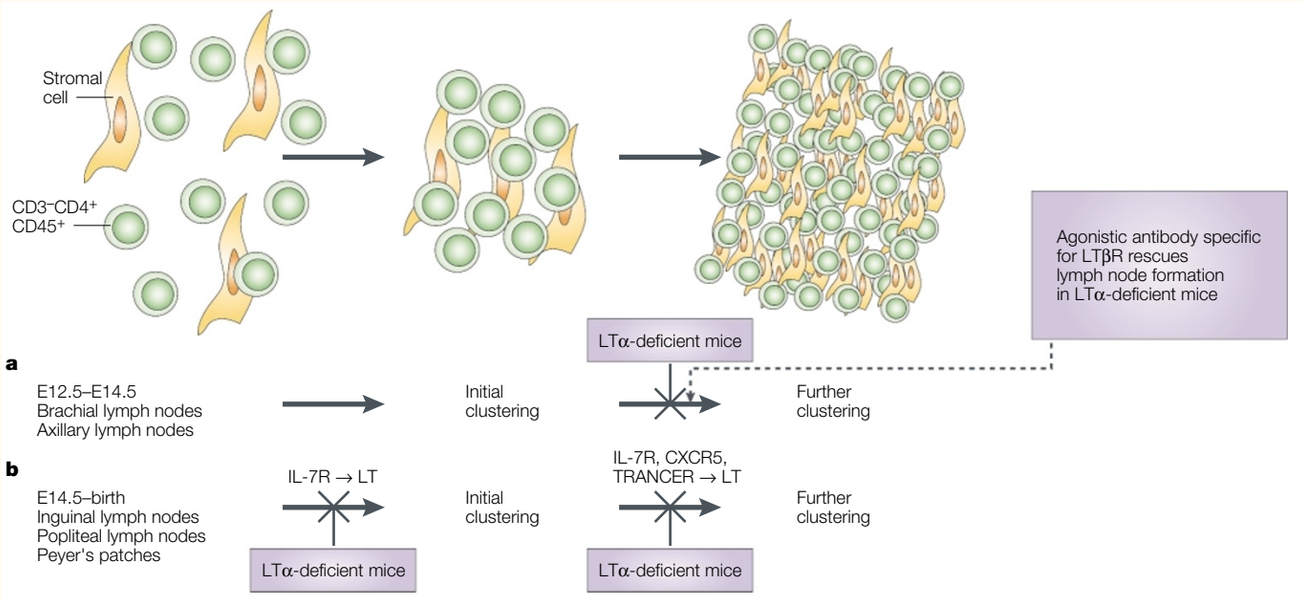

Figure 5 | **Model of increasing dependency on $LT\alpha_1\beta_2$ for the initial cell clustering. a** | For brachial and axillary lymph nodes, which develop early during embryogenesis, the initial cell clustering might occur in the absence of lymphotoxin (LT)α. Therefore, small cell clusters can form in LTα-deficient mice, and after injection of an agonistic monoclonal antibody specific for lymphotoxin-β receptor (LTβR), these clusters further develop into larger clusters. Following initial clustering, expression of $LT\alpha_1\beta_2$ is required for the further accumulation of cells. **b** | The first clustering of cells for the formation of lymphoid organs that develop later in gestation — that is, inguinal and popliteal lymph nodes and Peyer's patches — requires the expression of LTα. As no cell clusters can form at these locations in LTα-deficient mice, induction of signalling through LTβR does not result in further formation of large clusters. Once the first small cell clusters are formed, expression of $LT\alpha_1\beta_2$ is still required for the further accumulation of cells.

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