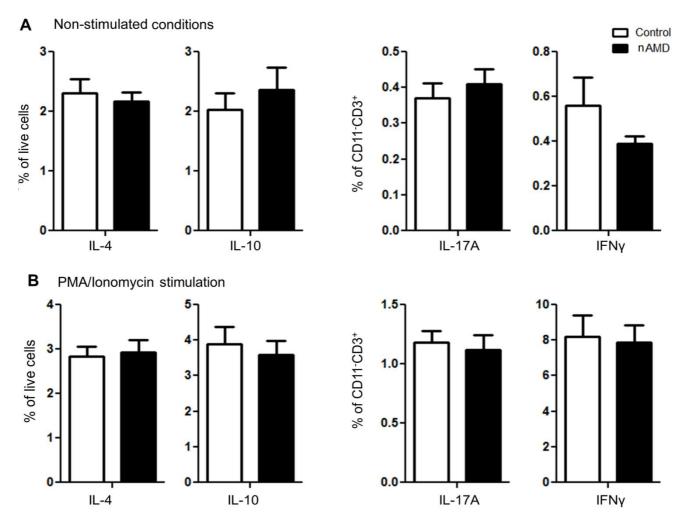


**Figure S1:** Flow cytometry analysis of PBMCs. PBMCs were first divided into  $CD11b^+CD3^-$ ,  $CD11b^-CD3^+$  and  $CD11b^-CD3^-$  cells (A) and the average percentage of all samples (n = 55) was analysed before and after stimulation with PMA/ionomycin (B).



**Figure S2:** Percentage of total IL-4 and IL-10 producing PBMCs and percentage of CD11b<sup>-</sup>CD3<sup>+</sup> IL-17A and IFNγ producing PBMCs (almost all of IL-17A and IFNγ producing PBMCs were CD11b<sup>-</sup>CD3<sup>+</sup>) from controls and nAMD patients under non-stimulated culture conditions and after stimulation with PMA/ionomycin. Controls n = 27, nAMD = 28; mean + SEM are shown.