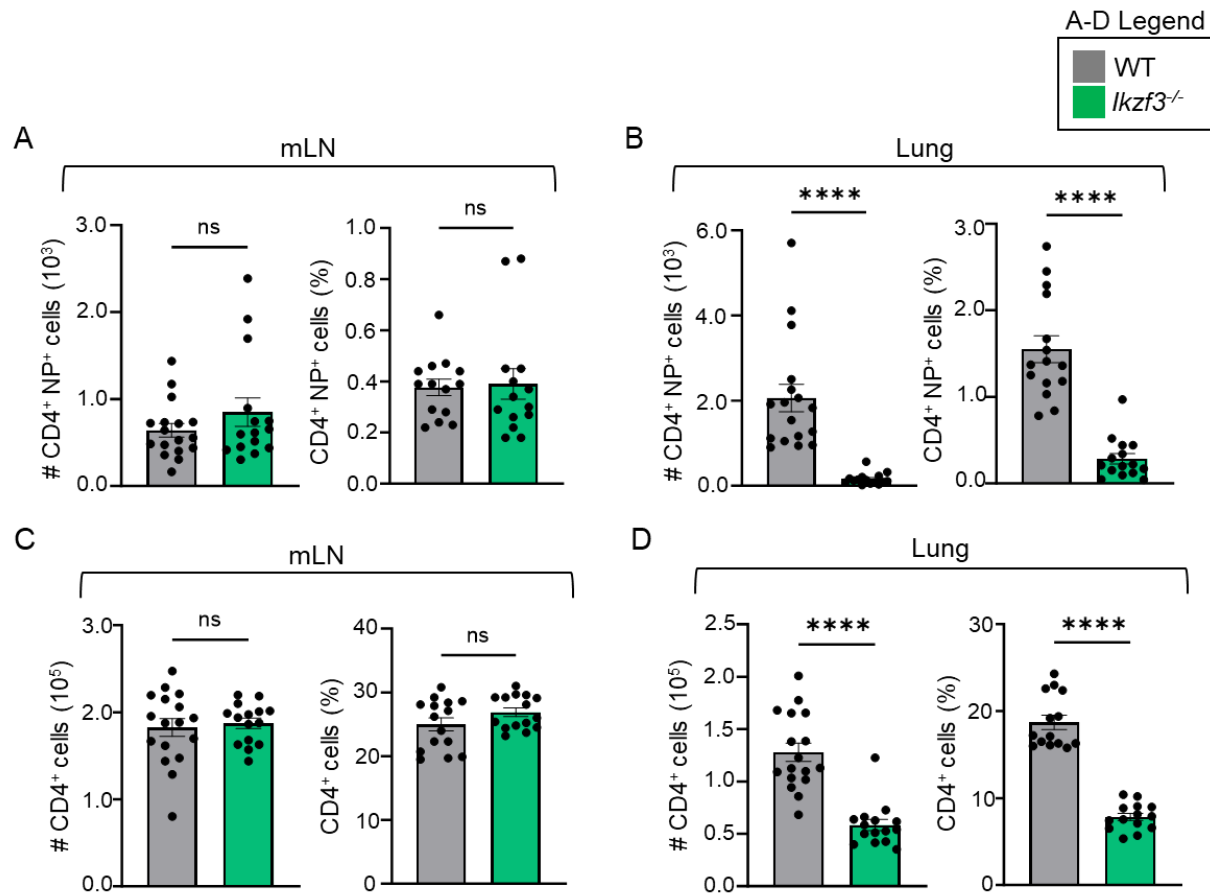
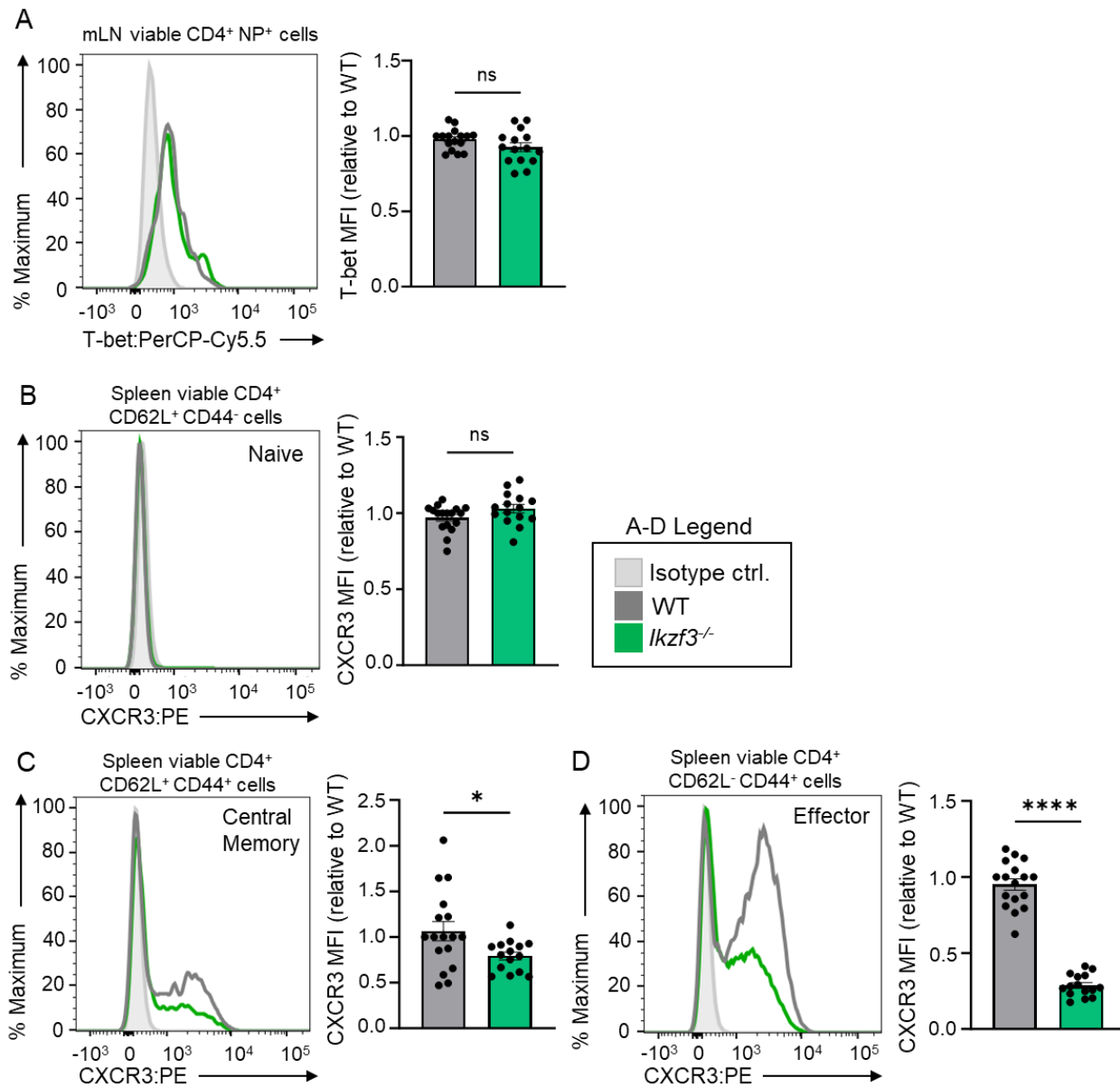
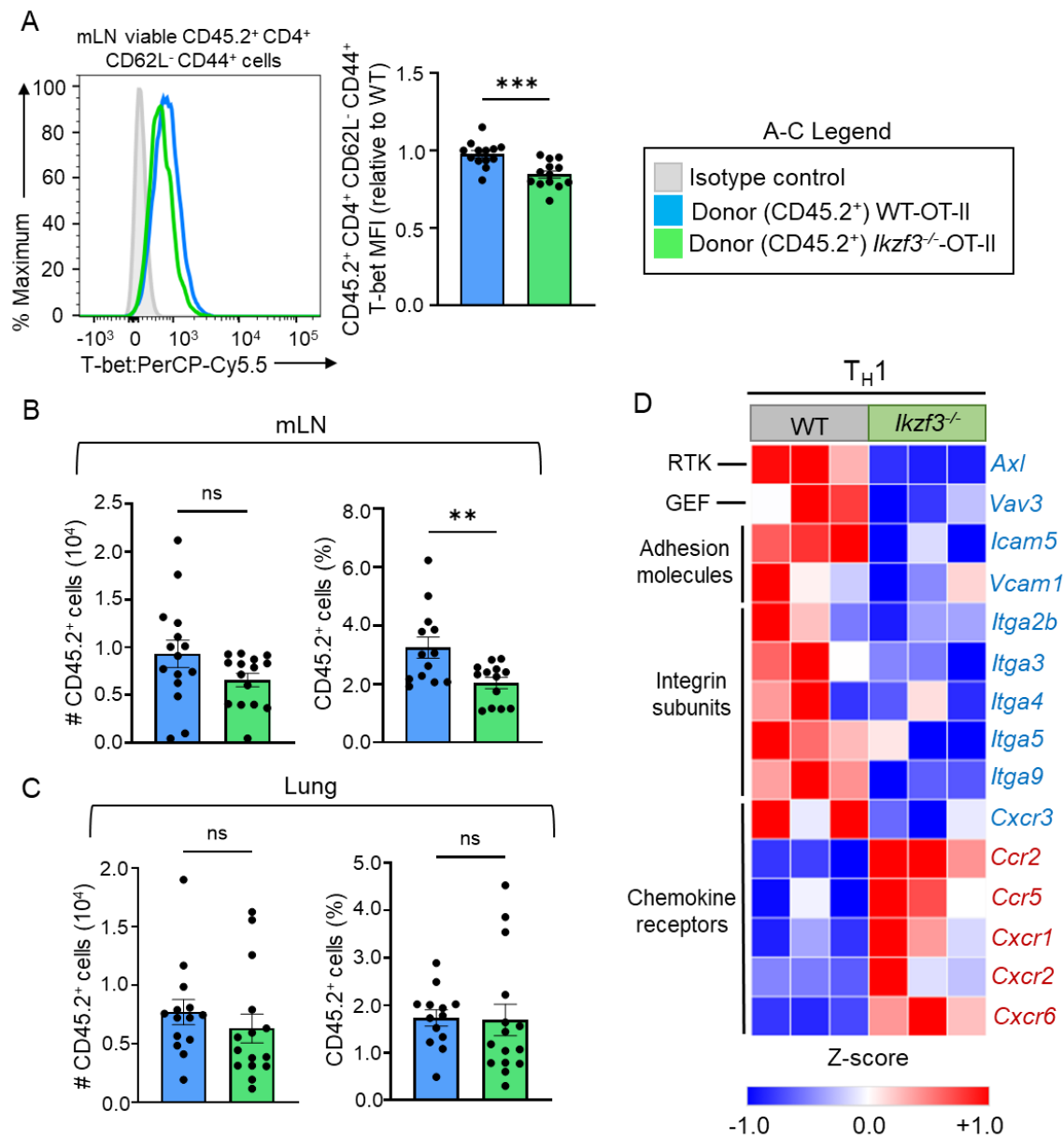




Supplemental Figure 1. Aiolos-deficient mice have reduced numbers of CD4⁺ T cells in the lungs during IAV infection. WT or *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice were infected intranasally with 30 PFU of IAV (A/PR/8/34; “PR8”). After 8 days, mLN and lungs were harvested and stained for flow cytometric analysis. Fluorochrome-labeled MHC II tetramers were used to identify IAV nucleoprotein (NP)-specific CD4⁺ T cells. **A-B**) NP-specific CD4⁺ T cells were enumerated. Cell numbers were normalized to 1 × 10⁶ total events. Numbers and percentages of NP-specific CD4⁺ T cells in the mLN and lungs are displayed. Data from 4 independent experiments is shown (For cell numbers, *n* = 17 for WT and *n* = 15 for *Ikzf3*^{-/-}. For percentages, *n* = 14 for mLN and *n* = 15 for lungs. Data are presented as mean ± SEM; *****p* < 0.0001, two-tailed unpaired Student’s *t* test). **C-D**) Bulk CD4⁺ T cells were enumerated. Cell numbers were normalized to 1 × 10⁶ total events. Numbers and percentages of bulk CD4⁺ T cells in the mLN and lungs are displayed. Representative data from 4 independent experiments shown (For cell numbers, *n* = 17 for WT and *n* = 15 for *Ikzf3*^{-/-}. For percentages, *n* = 15 for mLN and *n* = 14 for lungs. Data are presented as mean ± SEM; *****p* < 0.0001, two-tailed unpaired Student’s *t* test).

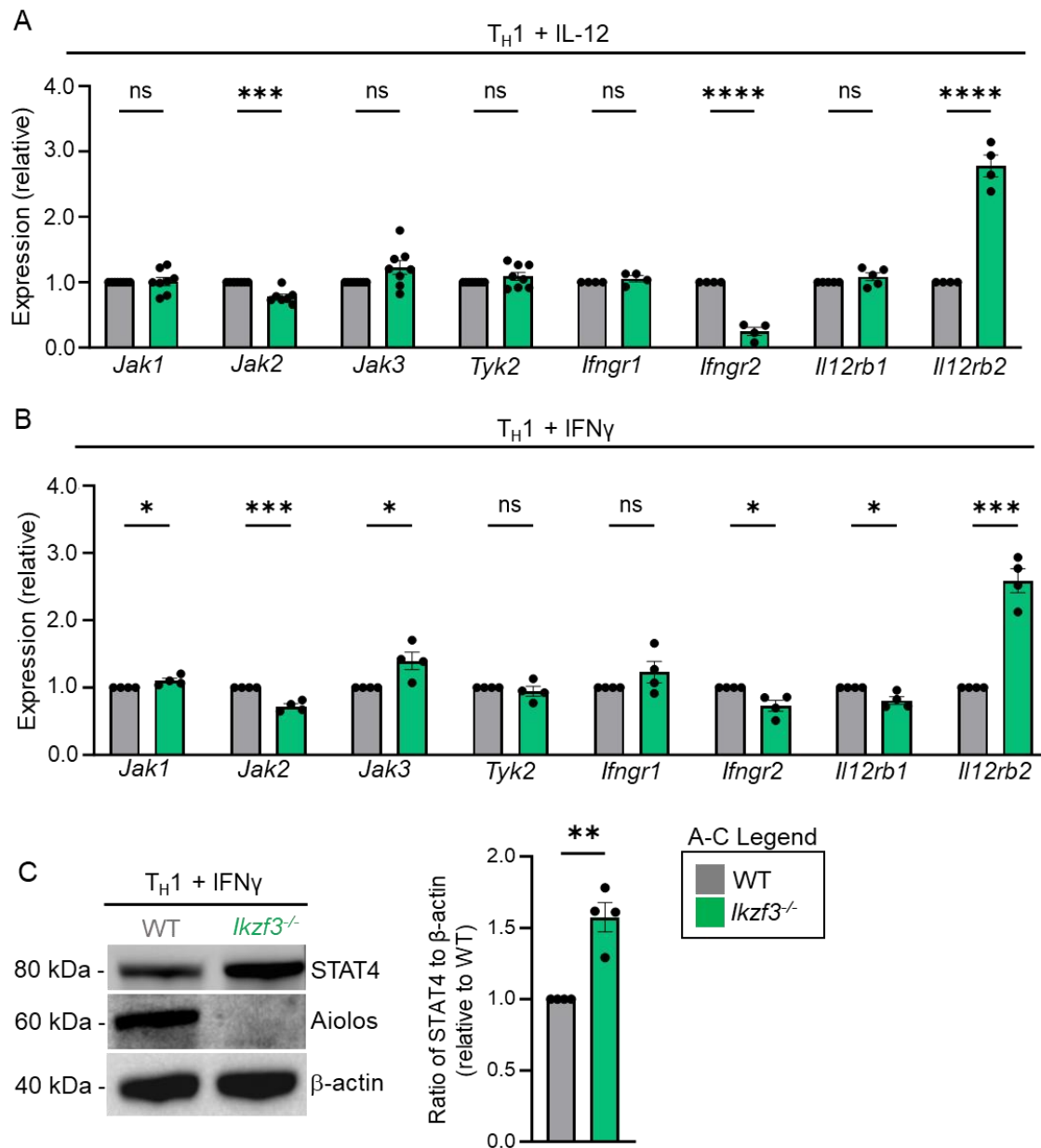


Supplemental Figure 2. Aiolos-deficient mice exhibit no change in T-bet expression but have decreased CXCR3 expression during IAV infection. WT or *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice were infected intranasally with 30 PFU of IAV (A/PR/8/34; “PR8”). After 8 days, mLN and spleen were harvested and stained for flow cytometric analysis. Fluorochrome-labeled MHC II tetramers were used to identify IAV nucleoprotein (NP)-specific CD4⁺ T cells in the mLN. **A**) Representative flow cytometric analysis for T-bet expression in NP-specific cells isolated from the mLN of WT or *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice. Data are compiled from 4 independent experiments and displayed as MFI fold change compared to WT controls ($n = 16$ for WT and $n = 15$ for *Ikzf3*^{-/-}, mean $\pm$ SEM; two-tailed unpaired Student’s t test). **B-D**) Representative flow cytometric analyses for CXCR3 expression in bulk CD4⁺ naïve (CD62L⁺CD44⁻), central memory (CD62L⁺CD44⁺), and effector (CD62L⁻CD44⁺) T cell populations isolated from the spleens of WT or *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice. Data are compiled from 4 independent experiments and displayed as MFI fold change compared to WT controls ($n = 17$ for WT and $n = 15$ for *Ikzf3*^{-/-}, mean $\pm$ SEM; * $p < 0.05$, **** $p < 0.0001$, two-tailed unpaired Student’s t test).

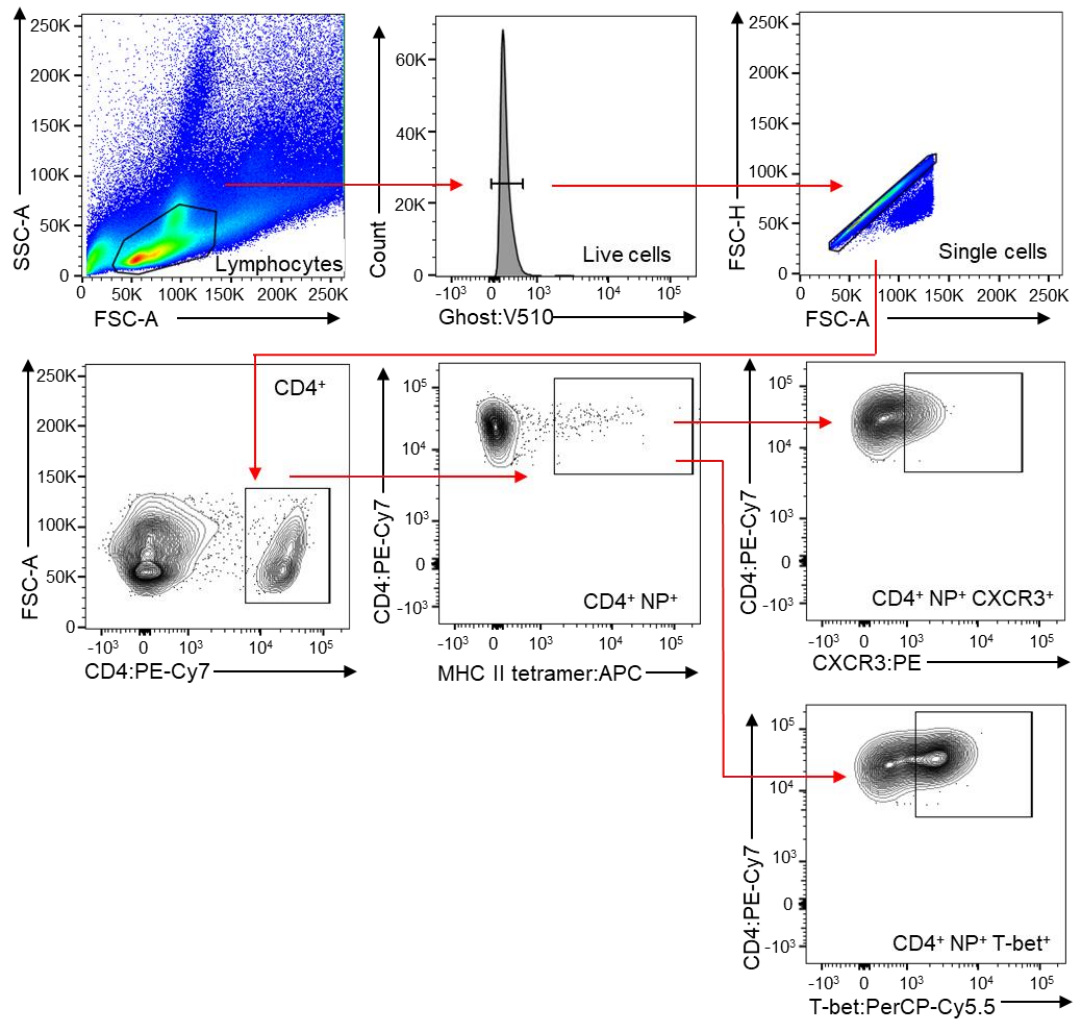


Supplemental Figure 3. CD4⁺ T cells display altered migratory programs in the absence of Aiolos.

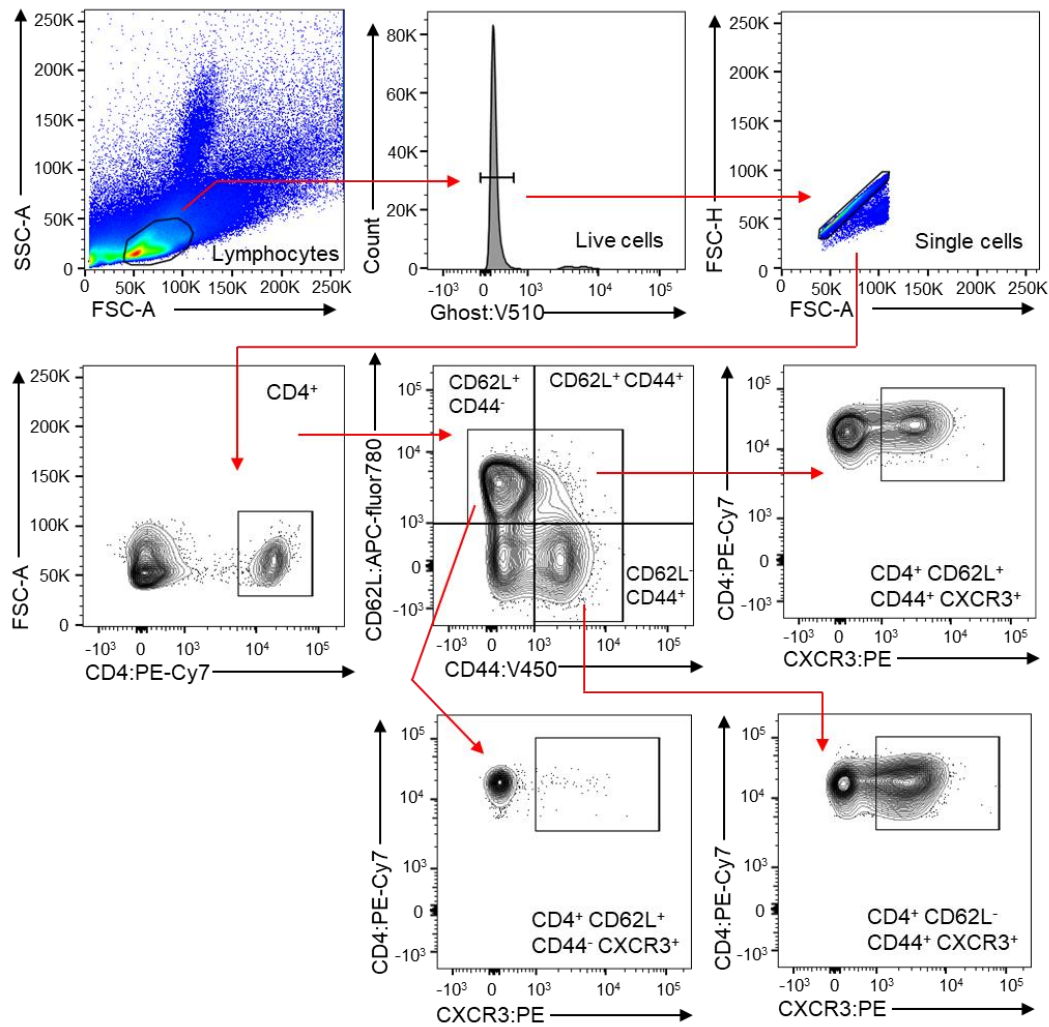
Naïve CD4⁺ T cells were harvested from the mLN and lungs of WT-OT-II or *Ikzf3*^{-/-}-OT-II mice. 500,000 cells/animal were adoptively transferred into CD45.1⁺ recipients. Recipient mice were then infected with 40 PFU of OVA_{323–339}-expressing A/PR/8/34 (“PR8-OVA”) influenza virus 24 hours post-transfer. 8 days post-infection, mLN and lungs were harvested and viable CD45.2⁺CD4⁺CD62L⁻CD44⁺ (antigen-specific, donor effector) cells were analyzed via flow cytometry. **A**) Representative flow cytometric analysis for T-bet expression in CD45.2⁺CD4⁺CD62L⁻CD44⁺ cells in the mLN. Data are compiled from 3 independent experiments and displayed as MFI fold change compared to WT-OT-II control cells ($n = 13$, mean $\pm$ SEM; *** $p < 0.001$, two-tailed unpaired Student’s t test). **B–C**) Total CD45.2⁺ cell numbers were enumerated. Cell numbers were normalized to 500,000 total events. Numbers and percentages of CD45.2⁺ cells in the mLN and lungs are displayed. Data from 3 independent experiments is shown (For cell numbers, $n = 14-15$. For percentages, $n = 13-15$. Data are presented as mean $\pm$ SEM; ** $p < 0.01$, two-tailed unpaired Student’s t test). **D**) Published RNA-seq data (GSE203065) from in vitro-generated WT and *Ikzf3*^{-/-} T_H1 cells was analyzed for differentially expressed genes (DEGs). A heatmap of DEGs associated with cell migration in T_H1 cells is shown. Gene names color-coded in blue are downregulated in *Ikzf3*^{-/-} T_H1 cells. Gene names color-coded in red are upregulated in *Ikzf3*^{-/-} T_H1 cells. Note: *Cxcr3* transcript data presented here is the same as in Figure 4B. RTK; receptor tyrosine kinase. GEF; guanine nucleotide exchange factor.



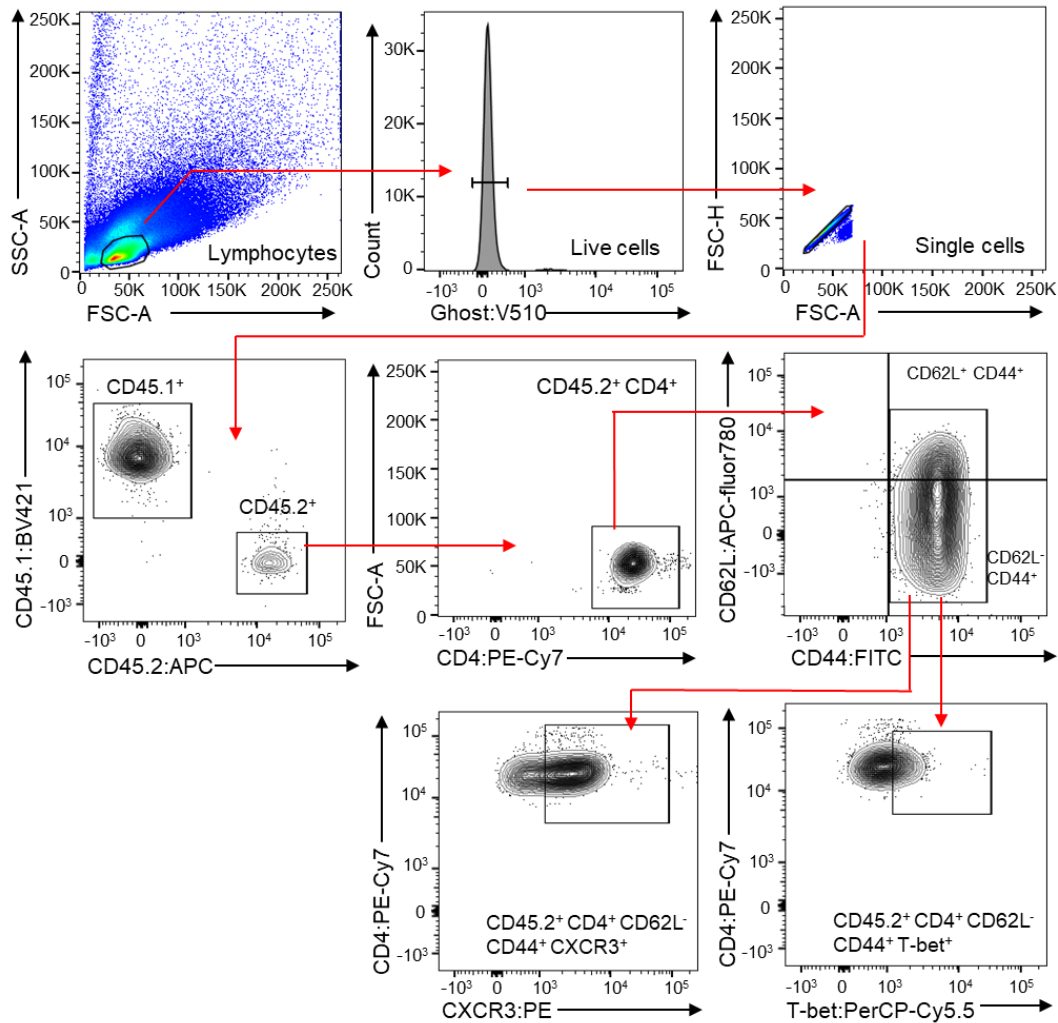
Supplemental Figure 4. IFN γ /STAT1 and IL-12/STAT4 pathways are altered in Aiolos-deficient T_H1 cells. Naïve CD4⁺ T cells were harvested from WT and *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice and stimulated with α -CD3/CD28 under T_H1 polarizing conditions (IL-12, α -IL-4). On day 3, cells were removed from stimulation and given either 1.) IL-12, α -IL-4, and IL-2 or 2.) IFN γ , α -IL-4, and IL-2 for an additional 2 days prior to harvest. **A)** At day 5, transcript analysis was performed on IL-12-treated T_H1 cells via qRT-PCR. Transcript was normalized to *Rps18* and presented as fold change compared to WT control ($n = 4$ -8 biological replicates from 4-8 independent experiments. Data are presented as mean $\pm$ SEM; *** p <0.001, **** p <0.0001, two-tailed unpaired Student's t test). **B)** At day 5, RNA was isolated from IFN γ -treated T_H1 cells, and transcript analysis was performed as in 'A' ($n = 4$ biological replicates from 4 independent experiments, mean $\pm$ SEM; * p <0.05, *** p <0.001, two-tailed unpaired Student's t test). **C)** An immunoblot of IFN γ -treated T_H1 cells was performed to assess the relative abundance of the indicated proteins. β -actin serves as a loading control ($n = 4$ independent experiments, mean $\pm$ SEM; ** p <0.01, two-tailed unpaired Student's t test).



Supplemental Figure 5. Representative flow cytometry gating strategy for mediastinal lymph node (mLN) and lungs in germline knockout IAV infection experiments. WT or *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice were infected intranasally with 30 PFU of IAV (A/PR/8/34; “PR8”). After 8 days, mLN and lungs were harvested and stained for flow cytometric analysis of CXCR3 and T-bet expression in IAV nucleoprotein (NP)-specific CD4⁺ T cells. Fluorochrome-labeled MHC II tetramers were used to identify NP-specific cells in the mLN and lungs.



Supplemental Figure 6. Representative flow cytometry gating strategy for spleen in germline knockout IAV infection experiments. WT or *Ikzf3*^{-/-} mice were infected intranasally with 30 PFU of IAV (A/PR/8/34; “PR8”). After 8 days, spleen was harvested and stained for flow cytometric analysis of CXCR3 expression in bulk CD4⁺ naïve (CD62L⁺CD44⁻), central memory (CD62L⁺CD44⁺), and effector (CD62L⁻CD44⁺) T cell populations.



Supplemental Figure 7. Representative flow cytometry gating strategy for adoptive transfer experiments. Naïve CD4⁺ T cells were harvested from the mLN of WT-OT-II or *Ikzf3*^{-/-}-OT-II mice. 500,000 cells/animal were adoptively transferred into CD45.1⁺ recipients. Recipient mice were then infected with 40 PFU of OVA_{323–339}-expressing A/PR/8/34 (“PR8-OVA”) influenza virus 24 hours post transfer. 8 days post-infection, mLN was harvested and viable CD45.2⁺CD4⁺ CD62L⁻CD44⁺ (antigen-specific, donor effector) cells were analyzed via flow cytometry for CXCR3 and T-bet expression.

Supplemental Table 1. qRT-PCR primers

Gene (murine)	Forward (5'-3')	Reverse (5'-3')
<i>Rps18</i>	GGAGAACTCACGGAGGATGAG	CGCAGCTTGTTGTCTAGACCG
<i>Ikzf3</i>	CCGACTGTGGAGCTGAAAAGC	CCTGCATCTTCGTCTTCATTGG
<i>Cxcr3</i>	CCTTGAGGTTAGTGAACGTC	GCTGGCAGGAAGGTTCTGTC
<i>Tbx21</i>	GTGACTGCCTACCAGAACGC	AGGGGACACTCGTATCAACAG
<i>Stat1</i>	GGTACAACATGCTGGTGACAGAG	CTCCCAGCATGCTCAGCTGGTC
<i>Stat4</i>	CCAATGGGAGCCTCTCAGTGGAG	GCAACTCCTCTGTCACCATGTG
<i>Jak1</i>	GCTGAGGTGGAGCTGCACCGAC	GTCCATAGAGCCATGCAGGCTG
<i>Jak2</i>	GGAAACTTGGAGTGGCTAAGCAG	GTGGGTTCCCCGTTCTCCTGTC
<i>Jak3</i>	CCTGATCTGCGACTCCAGGC	GAGAATGTAGGTGCCTGGGAG
<i>Tyk2</i>	GGAGCGTCGCGTGACATCCAC	GTGGCTGGAGTCAGCAGTCAAGC
<i>Ifngr1</i>	GTGTATGTGGAGCATAACCGGAG	CTGGAATCCAGTGTGGATACTGAG
<i>Ifngr2</i>	GAGCAATGTATCCTGTCACG	GTCAGGCCGAGCAGCAATGCG
<i>Il12rb1</i>	CACGACTCGGCTCCTCATGGAC	TCTCAACGCAGCCATCACC
<i>Il12rb2</i>	CTTGGACGGCATCAGTGTCTGC	GACCTGGTGAGGAGCCAGCAAC

Supplemental Table 2. Promoter-reporter primers

Gene (murine)	Forward (5'-3')	Reverse (5'-3')
<i>Stat1</i> prom.	GATCGGTACCGCAGGCTTG GTTGACGTCAGTG	GATCGAGCTCAGGGCGTCCCGCCTCCTTCGCGCTC

Supplemental Table 3. ChIP qPCR primers

Gene (murine)	Forward (5'-3')	Reverse (5'-3')
<i>Cxcr3</i> prom.	CAGGTCTCGTGCTGCCTGCTTCTC	CTGCGGAGGGCTGGTATAGATTACC
<i>Cxcr3</i> enhc.	GGGAGAAAGTGACAGTGCAG	CAGACATTAGCATGAAGCCACC
<i>Cxcr3</i> ctrl.	GCCTAGGGAAGATAGTTCCTC	GGTTGAAGCAGGGAGTGGTGG
<i>Ikzf3</i> prom.	GACGTCTACTTGAGAAACACCGG	CACTGACAGTTCTCAAGACCGTC
<i>Ikzf3</i> ctrl.	GTGCAGCTTCCCAATAAACCTGCC	GGAACTCACCATGTAGACCAGGCTG

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