Erratum

In the article, "Two Decades of Treatment for Self-Injurious Biting in Individuals with Mental Retardation or Developmental Disabilities: A Treatment Focused Review of the Literature" by Mathew G. Hile and Madeleine K. Vatterott (*Journal of Developmental and Physical Disabilities*, Volume 3, Number 1, March 1991, pp. 81-113), the reference to the Mulick, Hoyt, Rojahn, and Schroeder (1978) paper was incorrectly classified as a DRO procedure. More correctly, the authors trained toy play, a behavior incompatible with hand-biting. Rather than "DRO training focused on reinforcing Ken for playing with toys.", the third sentence of the third paragraph on page 84 should read, "The training focused on reinforcing Ken for playing with toys that had been shown to hold his 'attention for at least a few minutes.'" Additionally, this explicit training of an incompatible behavior, which served to reduce hand-biting, would potentially assist in generalization to nontreatment settings.

REFERENCE

- Mulick, J., Hoyt, P., Rojahn, J., and Schroeder, S. (1978). Reduction of a "nervous habit" in a profoundly retarded youth by increasing toy play. *Journal of Behavior Therapy and Experimental Psychiatry*, 9, 381-385.