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Erratum to: Comparison of acyclovir and famciclovir for the treatment of Bell's palsy

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In Table 4, the value for Famciclovir and Valaciclovir were incorrect in the original publication. The value for Famciclovir should be 750 mg instead of 250 mg, and Valaciclovir should be 1000 mg instead of 100 mg. Also, the last entry in the column “Antiviral dose” should be 7 days instead of 10 days. The corrected table is given below:

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Table 4 The outcome of combination therapy with antiviral agents in Bell's palsy

Study type	Age	FU time (month)	Number of patients	Antiviral dose	Recovery rate	Outcome
Combination therapy with acyclovir						
Adour et al. [18]	43	4	53	Acyclovir 2000 mg/day for 10 days	49 (92.4 %)	FPRI score ≥ 8
De Diego et al. [16]	–	3	54	Acyclovir 2400 mg/day for 10 days	42 (77.7 %)	HB grade $\leq$ II FPRI score ≥ 8
Inanli et al. [17]	42	3	20	Acyclovir 2400 mg/day for 10 days	18 (90.0 %)	HB grade $\leq$ I
Sullivan et al. [14]	44	3, 9	124	Acyclovir 2000 mg/day for 10 days	115 (92.7 %)	HB grade $\leq$ I
Yeo et al. [15]	41	2, 6	44	Acyclovir 2400 mg/day for 5 days	41 (93.1 %)	HB grade $\leq$ II
Combination therapy with famciclovir						
Minnerop et al. [24]	42.6	3, 5, 7–12 >12	50	Famciclovir 750 mg/day for 7 days	37 (74 %)	HB grade $\leq$ I
Shahidullah et al. [24]	NA	1, 3	34	Famciclovir 750 mg/day for 5 days	33 (97.1 %)	HB grade $\leq$ I
Combination therapy with Valaciclovir						
Antunes et al. [28]	39	6	15	Valaciclovir 1500 mg/day for 7 days	14 (93.3 %)	HB grade $\leq$ II Sunnybrook score 100
Hato et al. [13]	50	6	114	Valaciclovir 1000 mg/day for 5 days	110 (96.4 %)	Yanagihara score >36 points, No facial contracture or synkinesis
Kawaguchi et al. [26]	–	6	84	Valaciclovir 1000 mg/day for 5 days	76 (90.4 %)	Yanagihara score >36 points
Engstrom et al. [27]	40	12	206	Valaciclovir 3000 mg/day for 7 days	164 (79.6 %)	HB grade $\leq$ II, Sunnybrook score 100

RCT randomized controlled trial, HB House-Brackmann, FPRI Facial paralysis recovery index