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Erratum to: Predictivity of early depressive symptoms for post-stroke depression

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The-authors of the article «Predictivity of early depressive symptoms for Post-Stroke Depression» J Nutr Health Aging. 2015;19(7):754-758 advice several errors in the text.

Page 755: (Section: Method, 1st paragraph)

b) sufficient verbal comprehension (fluent in German, Token Test score ≤ 11) [equal sign corrected]

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"The Bonferroni correction for multiple testing was used in the regression analyses." [Sentence removed]

Page 756: (Section Results, 2nd paragraph)

The follow-up SCID interview revealed that 26.8% of patients (n = 19) fulfilled the criteria for MD, and 15.5% (n = 11) the criteria for minor depression. Thus, 42.3% fulfilled the DSM-IV criteria for minor or major depressive disorders at follow up. [Typo removed and percentage corrected]

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Of those patients whose scores exceeded the cut-off at baseline and were available at follow-up visit, 54.5% (n = 12) met the criteria for major and 22.7% (n = 5) met those for minor depression. [Sentence clarified]

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According to the Receiver Operating Characteristics (ROC) analysis, the discriminant ability for major depression at followup revealed to be high, with areas under the ROC curves of .822 for GDS-15-6m. For GDS-15, further analysis confirmed reliable detection of MD-6m with sensitivity = 1.00 and specificity = .769 for the recommended cut-off of 5 (27, 28, 29). The PPV was .613 and the NPV was 1. [PPV and NPV value corrected]

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The logistic regression analysis (Table 2) showed that patients with higher scores on the GDS-15-BL were at higher risk for MD-6m (95% CI = 1.15-1.80, p < 0.01), with an odds ratio (OR) of 1.43. Pre-stroke depression (p = 0.37), ADLs (p = 0.36), cognitive functioning (p = 0.41), and age (p = 0.35) were not significant

predictors of MD-6m. [OR for GDS-15-BL and p values corrected] Page 756: (Section Results, 6th paragraph)

In the second model, other known risk factors, such as premorbid depression, ADLs, cognitive functioning and age, did not significantly improve the model (F(4,65) = 1.43, p = 0.23), explaining no more than 3% of unique variance in MD-6m. [Model fit corrected]

Page 757 (Table 2)

[OR for GDS-15-BL and premorbid depression corrected] *Page 757: (Section Discussion, 1st paragraph)*

Almost half of the patients (42.43%) met DSM-IV criteria for a depressive disorder at 6 months after discharge. [Sentence clarified]

Table 2

Summary of logistic regression analysis for variables predicting major depression at 6-month follow-up

Baseline predictors	MD-6m		
	OR	95% CI	95% CI
GDS-15-BL	1.43	1.15-1.80	0.002
Premorbid depression	0.43	0.07-2.70	0.37
ADLs	1.02	0.98-1.06	0.36
Cognitive functioning	0.89	0.69–1.17	0.41
Age	0.97	0.90-1.04	0.35
R ²	0.39		
GOF	p=0.76		

Abbreviations: MD-6m = major depression at 6-month follow-up; OR = odds ratio; CI = 95% confidence interval; p = level of significance; GDS-15-BL = depressive symptoms according to the Geriatric Depression Scale; 15-item version at baseline; ADL = activities of Daily Living; GOF = Hosmer–Lemeshow goodness-of-fit test.

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