Corrections

Haraoui B. Assessment and management of rheumatoid arthritis. J Rheumatol 2009;36 Suppl 82:2-10. Column headings on Table 1 were out of alignment, and the correct table is given here. We regret the error.

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Table 1. Elements of composite indices for evaluation of disease activity in rheumatoid arthritis¹. Values in parentheses are ranges.

Elements	SDAI	CDAI	DAS	DAS28
Number of swollen joints	Simple count (0-28)	Simple count (0-28)(0-2.86)	More extensive joint counts transformed (0-1.48)	Simple count, square root transformed (0-2.96)
Number of tender joints	Simple count (0-28)	Simple Count (0-28)	Ritchie Index: graded joint counts; square root transformed (0-4.77)	Simple count; square root transformed (0-2.96)
Acute-phase reactants	CRP in mg/dl (0.1-10.0)	—	ESR, log transformed (0.23-1.51)*	ESR, log transformed (0.49-3.22)*
Patient global health	—	—	VAS in mm (0-0.72)*	VAS in mm (0-1.40)*
Patient global disease activity	VAS in cm (0-10.0)	VAS in cm (0-10.0)	—	—
Evaluator global disease activity	VAS in cm (0-10.0)	VAS in cm (0-10.0)	—	—
Total index	No immediate scoring due to CRP; simple calculation possible (0.1-86.0)	Immediate scoring possible; simple calculation possible (0-76.0)	No immediate scoring due to ESR; calculator required (0.23-9.87)	No immediate scoring due to ESR; calculator required (0.49-9.07)

* The DAS and DAS28 formulae have also been modified to include CRP instead of ESR, and to substitute the patient global health by a constant. These versions are less commonly used and not well validated. SDAI: Simplified Disease Activity Index; CDAI: Clinical DAI; DAS: Disease Activity Score; CRP: C-reactive protein; ESR: erythrocyte sedimentation rate. Reprinted from J Clin Exp Rheumatol 2005;23 Suppl 39:S100-8 with permission.