

Correction

Do Comorbidities Play a Role in Hand Osteoarthritis Disease Burden? Data from the Hand Osteoarthritis in Secondary Care Cohort

Damman W, Liu R, Kroon FP, Reijniere M, Huizinga TW, Rosendaal FR, Kloppenburg M. Do comorbidities play a role in hand osteoarthritis disease burden? Data from the Hand Osteoarthritis in Secondary Care Cohort. *J Rheumatol* 2017; doi:10.3899/jrheum.170208. The classification of knee osteoarthritis (OA), according to the American College of Rheumatology criteria, was incorrectly reported in this article. As a result, the numbers in Table 2 for “generalized OA” and “knee OA,” and the estimates for the association of generalized OA and disease burden, are incorrect. The corrected version of the affected part of Table 2 is given below.

In addition, some portions of the text are incorrect. The corrected versions:

In the Results section, page 1662, column 2, fifth paragraph: “Forty-three percent (227/526) of patients had knee and/or hip OA.”

In the Results section, page 1664, column 1, third paragraph: “Knee/hip OA was associated with both general and disease-specific burden [adjusted mean difference (95% CI)]: HRQOL -4.2 (-5.6 to -2.8), function 1.3 (-0.2 to 2.7), pain 0.7 (-0.1 to 1.5), and TJC 1.1 (0.2-2.0).”

The incorrect numbers and estimates do not affect the article’s message, other results, or discussion.

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Corrected Table 2. Prevalence of generalized osteoarthritis (OA) in a hand OA population (n = 538) in secondary care.

Generalized OA		
Knee and/or hip OA, no. patients (%)	227	(43)
Knee OA		
Fulfilling ACR criteria, 1 knee	89	(17)
Fulfilling ACR criteria, both knees	83	(16)
Prosthesis, 1 or both knees [^]	25	(5)
Hip OA		
Fulfilling ACR criteria, 1 hip	24	(5)
Fulfilling ACR criteria, both hips	12	(2)
Prosthesis, 1 or both hips [^]	22	(4)

[^] Nine patients and 1 patient, respectively, had a prosthesis in 1 knee or hip and fulfilled ACR criteria on the other side; these patients are in the prosthesis groups. ACR: American College of Rheumatology.