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CORRECTION

In the article, “Hospital Operative Volume and Quality Indication for General Surgery Operations Performed Emergently in Geriatric Patients,” by Becher and colleagues, which appeared in the June 2019 issue of the *Journal of the American College of Surgeons*, Volume 228, Number 6, pages 910e23, the title was incorrect. The correct title is, “Hospital Operative Volume as a Quality Indicator for General Surgery Operations Performed Emergently in Geriatric Patients.” The editors apologize for this error.

Additionally, in Appendix E, several tabulated cells were published incorrectly. The corrected Appendix E is presented below. The authors apologize for this error.

Appendix

Appendix E, Table E1.

Patient Characteristics (Appendectomy)

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Patients, n	4829	28	
Male sex, n (%)	2262 (46.2)	19 (67.9)	0.020
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.09
White	2983 (65.2)	20 (71.4)	
Black	108 (2.4)	10 [†]	
Non-black, non-white	733 (16.0)	10 [†]	
Hispanic	751 (16.4)	10 [†]	
Age, y, mean (SD)	74.0 (7.0)	80.0 (7.7)	<0.001
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	2.7 (5.2)	10.8 (7.7)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			0.58
Medicare	3986 (82.5)	25 (89.3)	
Medicaid	243 (5.0)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	537 (11.1)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	63 (1.3)	10 [†]	

Because of missing individual data for race and ethnicity and payor source the total number of patients for those variables are lower than the patient totals for the survived and died columns.

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Appendix E, Table E2.**Patient Characteristics (Cholecystectomy)**

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value [*]
Patients, n	17158	269	
Female sex, n (%)	8986 (52.5)	130 (48.3)	0.17
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.62
White	9488 (57.5)	149 (57.5)	
Black	597 (3.6)	13 (5.0)	
Non-black, non-white	2140 (13.0)	30 (11.6)	
Hispanic	4274 (25.9)	67 (25.9)	<0.001
Age, y, mean (SD)	76.0 (7.4)	80.5 (7.4)	<0.001
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	4.6 (6.5)	14.1 (8.4)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			
Medicare	14425 (84.1)	232 (86.2)	
Medicaid	1116 (6.5)	22 (8.2)	
Private insurance	1414 (8.2)	11 (4.1)	
Self-pay or other	203 (1.2)	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E3:**Patient Characteristics (Colectomy)**

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value [*]
Patients, n	5769	958	
Female sex, n (%)	3379 (58.6)	546 (57.0)	0.35
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.35
White	4048 (71.9)	646 (69.1)	
Black	309 (5.5)	57 (6.1)	
Non-black, non-white	446 (7.9)	84 (9.0)	
Hispanic	825 (14.7)	148 (15.8)	
Age, y, mean (SD)	77.3 (7.5)	79.6 (7.5)	<0.001
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	8.6 (8.1)	14.3 (8.2)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			<0.001
Medicare	5111 (88.6)	870 (90.8)	
Medicaid	157 (2.7)	41 (4.3)	
Private insurance	443 (7.7)	42 (4.4)	

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Self-pay or other	58 (1.0)	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E4:

Patient Characteristics (Inguinal and Femoral Hernia Repair)

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Patients, n	1932	46	
Female sex, n (%)	651 (34.0)	19 (41.3)	0.30
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.27
White	1285 (69.3)	38 (82.6)	
Black	72 (3.9)	10 [†]	
Non-black, non-white	158 (8.5)	10 [†]	
Hispanic	340 (18.3)	10 [†]	
Age, y, mean (SD)	79.5 (7.8)	82.0 (8.2)	0.030
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	4.7 (6.2)	11.8 (6.5)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			1.00
Medicare	1644 (85.1)	41 (89.1)	
Medicaid	103 (5.3)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	160 (8.3)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	25 (1.3)	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E5.

Patient Characteristics (Lysis of Adhesions)

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Patients, n	3668	242	
Female sex, n (%)	2320 (63.3)	132 (54.5)	0.006
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.23
White	2528 (71.0)	163 (69.7)	
Black	231 (6.5)	11 (4.7)	

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Non-black, non-white	313 (8.8)	18 (7.7)	
Hispanic	487 (13.7)	42 (17.9)	
Age, y, mean (SD)	77.0 (7.6)	80.2 (7.7)	<0.001
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	6.2 (6.9)	13.0 (8.0)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			0.003
Medicare	3232 (88.1)	227 (93.8)	
Medicaid	98 (2.7)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	310 (8.5)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	28 (0.8)	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E6:

Patient Characteristics (Necrotizing Soft Tissue Infection Excision)

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Patients, n	590	76	
Female sex, n (%)	296 (50.2)	46 (60.5)	0.09
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.22
White	293 (51.0)	43 (58.9)	
Black	70 (12.2)	12 (16.4)	
Non-black, non-white	45 (7.8)	10 [†]	
Hispanic	166 (28.9)	14 (19.2)	
Age, y, mean (SD)	75.7 (7.4)	75.9 (7.4)	0.82
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	8.6 (7.7)	13.5 (8.6)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			0.73
Medicare	508 (86.1)	66 (86.8)	
Medicaid	33 (5.6)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	42 (7.1)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	10 [†]	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E7.**Patient Characteristics (Repair of Perforated Peptic Ulcer Disease)**

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Patients, n	717	154	
Female sex, n (%)	419 (58.5)	85 (55.2)	0.45
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.88
White	514 (73.5)	113 (75.3)	
Black	34 (4.9)	10 [†]	
Non-black, non-white	92 (13.2)	17 (11.3)	
Hispanic	59 (8.4)	14 (9.3)	
Age, y, mean (SD)	77.8 (7.8)	80.7 (8.0)	<0.001
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	7.8 (8.1)	14.4 (8.1)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			0.28
Medicare	613 (85.5)	141 (91.6)	
Medicaid	36 (5.0)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	63 (8.8)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	10 [†]	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E8:**Patient Characteristics (Small Bowel Resection)**

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Patients, n	3502	506	
Female sex, n (%)	2163 (61.8)	290 (57.4)	0.06
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.35
White	2415 (70.8)	329 (67.3)	
Black	200 (5.9)	30 (6.1)	
Non-black, non-white	292 (8.6)	43 (8.8)	
Hispanic	506 (14.8)	87 (17.8)	
Age, y, mean (SD)	77.4 (7.6)	80.2 (7.9)	<0.001
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	7.9 (7.6)	13.6 (7.9)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			0.010
Medicare	3071 (87.7)	452 (89.3)	
Medicaid	106 (3.0)	24 (4.7)	
Private insurance	288 (8.2)	29 (5.7)	

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value [*]
Self-pay or other	36 (1.0)	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E9.

Patient Characteristics (Umbilical Hernia Repair)

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value
Patients, n	265	10 [†]	
Female sex, n (%)	150 (56.6)	10 [†]	1.00
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			1.00
White	179 (68.6)	10 [†]	
Black	15 (5.7)	10 [†]	
Non-black, non-white	16 (6.1)	10 [†]	
Hispanic	51 (19.5)	10 [†]	
Age, y, mean (SD)	74.2 (7.1)	86.7 (8.7)	0.003
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	4.9 (7.1)	9.0 (6.1)	0.32
Payor source, n (%)			1.00
Medicare	226 (85.3)	10 [†]	
Medicaid	14 (5.3)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	22 (8.3)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	10 [†]	10 [†]	

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Appendix E, Table E10.

Patient Characteristics (Ventral Hernia Repair)

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value [*]
Patients, n	1120	28	
Female sex, n (%)	849 (76.0)	20 (71.4)	0.58
Race and ethnicity, n (%)			0.50
White	668 (61.6)	17 (60.7)	
Black	61 (5.6)	10 [†]	

Variable	Survived	Died	p Value*
Non-black, non-white	61 (5.6)	10 [†]	
Hispanic	294 (27.1)	10 [†]	
Age, y, mean (SD)	75.6 (7.6)	79.8 (8.5)	0.004
Comorbidity, van Walraven score, mean (SD)	3.8 (6.5)	15.6 (8.2)	<0.001
Payor source, n (%)			0.06
Medicare	938 (83.8)	26 (92.9)	
Medicaid	71 (6.3)	10 [†]	
Private insurance	106 (9.5)	10 [†]	
Self-pay or other	10 [†]	10 [†]	

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