

CORRECTION

Measuring the cost of adverse events in hospital

CMAJ has been made aware of an error that occurred in an article published in the Aug. 12, 2019, issue.¹

In the first paragraph of the article, the last sentence read, “In 2014, the landmark Canadian Adverse Events Study reported adverse events in 7.5% of hospital admissions, with 37% of these events deemed preventable.” It should have read, “In 2004, the landmark Canadian Adverse Events Study reported adverse events in 7.5% of hospital admissions, with 37% of these events deemed preventable.”

CMAJ apologizes for the error.

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Reference

1. Lapointe-Shaw L, Bell CM. Measuring the cost of adverse events in hospital. *CMAJ* 2019;191:E877-8.