

Correction

Preliminary randomized double-blind placebo-controlled trial of tryptophan combined with fluoxetine to treat major depressive disorder: antidepressant and hypnotic effects

Because of a computerized-layout problem, data were inadvertently missing from Table 1 of this article by Levitan et al, published in the September issue

(*J Psychiatry Neurosci* 2000;25[4]:337-46). The corrected table is published below. The publisher regrets the error and any inconvenience it has caused.

Table 1: Sleep measures for the patients with major depressive disorder in a randomized double-blind placebo-controlled trial of tryptophan combined with fluoxetine

Variable	Group; week; mean (and standard deviation)						Time effect, F df = 2,25 Not significant (NS)	Group × time effect, F df = 2,25
	Fluoxetine plus placebo			Fluoxetine plus tryptophan				
	0	4	8	0	4	8		
Sleep onset latency, min	46 (84)	23 (17)	29 (26)	25 (12)	24 (23)	30 (22)	F = 0.96 df = 2,25 Not significant (NS)	F = 0.47 df = 2,25 NS
REM onset latency, min	77 (30)	149 (77)	155 (90)	80 (44)	119 (80)	145 (86)	F = 7.28 df = 2,25 p = 0.003	F = 0.65 df = 2,25 NS
Sleep efficiency, %	83 (18)	83 (8)	83 (9)	83 (11)	79 (14)	79 (14)	F = 0.60 df = 2,25 NS	F = 0.73 df = 2,25 NS
Awakenings index, number of awakenings per h	7.4 (3.6)	9.5 (4.0)	9.8 (6.1)	7.3 (3.8)	6.9 (1.9)	8.5 (3.1)	F = 1.10 df = 2,23 NS	F = 0.75 df = 2,23 NS
Wake, %	7.1 (7.5)	10.1 (7.2)	10.0 (7.8)	11.9 (11.7)	13.7 (10.3)	13.7 (11.6)	F = 2.62 df = 2,25 p = 0.09	F = 0.05 df = 2,25 NS
Stage 1 sleep, %	4.1 (3.4)	5.7 (3.5)	5.8 (3.8)	6.8 (5.8)	4.1 (2.1)	4.1 (1.7)	F = 0.24 df = 2,25 NS	F = 2.98 df = 2,25 p = 0.07
Stage 2 sleep, %	52.3 (14.2)	58.4 (12.6)	55.1 (12.9)	47.8 (11.1)	58.1 (12.2)	52.3 (7.1)	F = 4.45 df = 2,25 p = 0.02	F = 0.23 df = 2,25 NS
Stage 3 and 4 (slow-wave) sleep, %	15.2 (12.0)	7.8 (9.1)	10.6 (8.9)	15.0 (7.3)	11.4 (7.8)	9.5 (5.6)	F = 5.77 df = 2,25 p = 0.009	F = 3.85 df = 2,25 p = 0.035
REM, %	20.0 (8.1)	16.0 (7.7)	18.0 (6.6)	20.7 (4.3)	15.3 (5.1)	19.3 (8.1)	F = 5.56 df = 2,25 p = 0.01	F = 0.35 df = 2,25 NS