

Correction and Republication: Prevalence and Characteristics of Autism Spectrum Disorder Among Children Aged 8 Years — Autism and Developmental Disabilities Monitoring Network, 11 Sites, United States, 2012

On April 1, 2016, *MMWR* Surveillance Summaries published “Prevalence and Characteristics of Autism Spectrum Disorder Among Children Aged 8 Years—Autism and Developmental Disabilities Monitoring Network, 11 Sites, United States, 2012” (1). On June 5, 2018, the authors informed *MMWR* about a number of inadvertent errors throughout the report that resulted from reporting of autism spectrum disorder cases among persons who did not live in the geographic surveillance area. Corrections of these errors do not change the interpretation or the conclusions of the original report. In accordance with December 2017 guidance from the International Committee of Medical Journal Editors (2), *MMWR* has corrected and republished the report (3). The republished report includes the original report with clearly marked corrections in supplementary materials.

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Erratum

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In the Surveillance Summary “Prevalence of Autism Spectrum Disorder Among Children Aged 8 Years — Autism Developmental Disabilities Monitoring Network, 11 Sites, United States, 2014,” on page 3, the first sentence of the first full paragraph should have read “ADDM estimates of ASD prevalence among children aged 8 years in multiple U.S. communities have increased from approximately one in 150 children during 2000–2002 to **approximately** one in 68 during 2010–2012, more than doubling during this period (6–11).”