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# Correction to: Perinatal outcomes in Finnish twins: a retrospective study



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Following publication of the original article [1], the authors identified some errors in the Results and Discussion sections.

The Results and Discussion sections have been replaced with the updated version and the changes have been highlighted in **bold typeface**.

## Results

Paragraph 8

Respiratory distress syndrome was more common in twin B ( $p < 0.001$ ). Twin B ended up in a respirator ( $p < 0.001$ ) more often but the amount of bronchopulmonary dysplasia or hypoxic ischemic encephalopathy diagnoses did not differ between twin A and B. **Twin B also received more antibiotics than twin A ( $p = 0.002$ ) and was more often admitted to NICU ( $p < 0.001$ ) (Fig. 3) even though both the admittance rate to NICU and antibiotic use have risen markedly during the years for both twins ( $p < 0.001$  for both). Sepsis diagnoses have, however, remained stable. Phototherapy was needed equally for both twins, but the amount of twin B at home by the age of seven days was significantly lower than twin A ( $p = 0.006$ ).**

## Discussion

Paragraph 5, sentence 3

The short-term morbidity in particular seems to be higher for twin B with possible consequences on early interaction.

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