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**ERRATUM****Sociomicrobiology: The evolution of quorum sensing in bacterial biofilms**

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In this In Brief, we incorrectly stated that switching EPS production off at high cell density allows bacteria such as *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* to compete better in environments in which local competition is prolonged and intense, such as chronic infections. We should have stated that *P. aeruginosa* switches EPS production on at high cell density. We apologize to our readers for any confusion caused.