OPEN Author Correction: Development of a novel risk score to predict mortality in patients admitted to hospital with COVID-19

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The original version of this Article contained an error, where the values for “sensitivity” and “specificity” were switched.

As a result, in the Abstract,

“The optimal cut-point was a score ≥ 4 , which had a sensitivity of 78.36% and a specificity of 67.59%.”

now reads:

“The optimal cut-point was a score ≥ 4 , which had a specificity of 78.36% and a sensitivity of 67.59%.”

In addition, in the Results section, under the subheading ‘Development of a COVID-19 mortality risk score’,

“The optimal cut-point with the highest combined sensitivity and specificity was a score of ≥ 4 , which has a sensitivity of 78.36% and a specificity of 67.59%, with a positive predictive value of 72.6% and negative predictive value of 74%.”

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The original Article has been corrected.

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