



Coagulation markers and echocardiography predict atrial fibrillation, malignancy or recurrent stroke after cryptogenic stroke: Erratum

In the article, "Coagulation markers and echocardiography predict atrial fibrillation, malignancy or recurrent stroke after cryptogenic stroke", which appears in Volume 97, Issue 51 of *Medicine*, there were edits missed in the article.

The caption for Figure 1 should be "Emory Clinic recommended diagnostic testing for cryptogenic stroke."

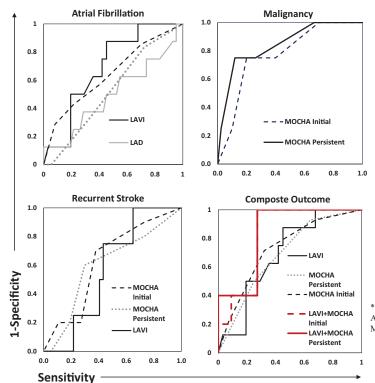
The section starting with "Baseline characteristics of ESUS patients who underwent MOCHA testing . . . " should be "Baseline characteristics of ESUS patients who underwent MOCHA testing (n=42) were similar to patients who did not undergo MOCHA testing earlier in our study except that those tested were younger (60 vs 67 years, p=0.04), less likely to have coronary artery disease (7 vs 27%, p=0.01) and previous ischemic stroke (10 vs 27%, p=0.01) and shorter duration of follow-up [median 400 (IQR 151-553) vs 538 (IQR 397-730) days, non-parametric test p=0.001) (Table 1)."

"ROC analysis showed that abnormal MOCHA markers (AUC=0.72) and elevated LAVI (AUC=0.69) had higher discriminative power for the detection of AF than left atrial diameter (AUC=0.50) (Fig. 3)" should reference Fig. 2 instead.

"We measured levels of each marker comparing patients with AF or malignancy to those with none of the composite outcome (Fig. 2)" should refer to Fig. 3 instead.

The p-values should be=instead of < throughout the article.

Below are Figures 2 and 3 with their corrected captions.



	Atrial Fibrillation	Malignancy	Recurrent Stroke	Composite Outcome*
LAVI	0.69	-	0.62	0.69
LA diameter (cm)	0.50	-	0.52	0.62
MOCHA (initial)	0.72	0.63	0.63	0.72
MOCHA (persistent)	0.53	0.83	0.64	0.71
LAVI + Abnormal MOCHA (initial)	-	-	0.79	0.81
LAVI + Abnormal MOCHA (persistent)	-	-	0.8	0.84

*Composite outcome= Atrial fibrillation, malignancy or recurrent stroke. AUC=Area under the curve; LAVI= left atrial volume index; LA=left atrium; MOCHA=markers of coagulation and hemostatic activation

Figure 2. Receiver operator curve analysis of left atrial structural measures, MOCHA levels and endpoints. MOCHA = markers of coagulation and hemostatic activation.

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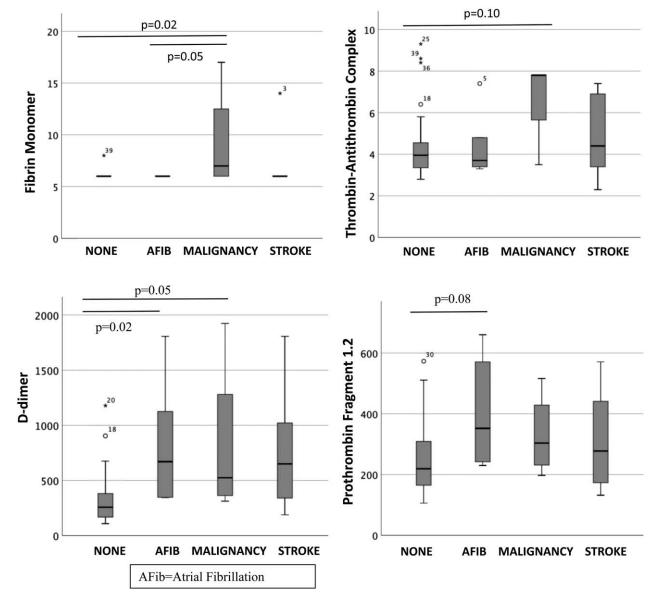


Figure 3. Markers of coagulation and hemostatic activation (MOCHA) levels across the outcome measures.

Reference

[1] Ellis D, Rangaraju S, Duncan A. Coagulation markers and echocardiography predict atrial fibrillation, malignancy or recurrent stroke after cryptogenic stroke. *Medicine*. 97;51:e13830.