

## Erratum: Mobile phone use while driving and the risk of collision: A study among preparatory year students at King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

In the article titled "Mobile phone use while driving and the risk of collision: A study among preparatory year students at King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia", published on pages 102-107, Issue 2, Volume 25 of Journal of Family and Community Medicine,<sup>[1]</sup> Table 2 has been incorrectly published. The table legend and table number are correct. The correct Table 2 is mentioned below:

**Table 2: Factors related to collision in the 6 months before the study**

Factors	Collision		OR	95% CI
	Yes (n=440) N (%)	No (n=546) N (%)		
Age (years)				
18	42 (9.5)	37 (6.8)	1.450	0.877-2.397
19	279 (63.4)	357 (65.4)	0.998	0.750-1.329
≥20 <sup>†</sup>	119 (27.0)	152 (27.8)	1.000	
Driving experience (years)				
1-3 <sup>†</sup>	198 (45.0)	239 (43.8)	1.000	
4-6	193 (43.9)	254 (46.5)	0.917	0.703-1.196
≥7	49 (11.1)	53 (9.7)	1.116	0.725-1.718
Having a driving license				
No <sup>†</sup>	78 (17.7)	102 (18.7)	1.000	
≤1 year	206 (46.8)	225 (41.2)	1.197	0.844-1.699
1-2 years	110 (25.0)	155 (28.4)	0.928	0.633-1.361
>2 years	46 (10.5)	64 (11.7)	0.940	0.582-1.519
Daily driving (h)				
Not driving daily <sup>†</sup>	16 (3.6)	44 (8.1)	1.000	
1-2 h	94 (21.4)	126 (23.1)	2.052	1.091-3.858
>2-4 h	178 (40.5)	216 (39.6)	2.266	1.237-4.152
>4-6 h	91 (20.7)	107 (19.6)	2.339	1.237-4.421
>6 h	61 (13.9)	53 (9.7)	3.165	1.603-6.249
Student's perception of danger				
Talking on handheld phone while driving is hazardous				
Agree <sup>†</sup>	37 (8.4)	54 (9.9)	1.000	
Uncertain	33 (7.5)	35 (6.4)	1.380	0.731-2.592
Disagree	370 (84.1)	457 (83.7)	1.180	0.761-1.835
Talking on hands-free phone while driving is hazardous				
Agree <sup>†</sup>	123 (28.0)	138 (25.3)	1.000	
Uncertain	168 (38.2)	203 (37.2)	0.929	0.676-1.276
Disagree	149 (33.9)	205 (37.5)	0.815	0.591-1.125
Texting while driving is a wrong behavior				
Agree <sup>†</sup>	334 (75.9)	425 (77.8)	1.000	
Uncertain	75 (17.0)	81 (14.8)	1.178	0.834-1.664
Disagree	31 (7.0)	40 (7.3)	0.986	0.604-1.610

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Table 2: Contd...

Factors	Collision		OR	95% CI
	Yes (n=440) N (%)	No (n=546) N (%)		
Student's perception of susceptibility				
Talking on handheld phone while driving increases the chances of accidents				
Yes <sup>†</sup>	351 (79.8)	446 (81.7)	1.000	
Uncertain	49 (11.1)	53 (9.7)	1.175	0.777-1.775
No	40 (9.1)	47 (8.6)	1.081	0.694-1.686
Talking on hands-free phone while driving increases the chances of accidents				
Yes <sup>†</sup>	151 (34.3)	178 (32.6)	1.000	
Uncertain	119 (27.0)	129 (23.6)	1.087	0.782-1.513
No	170 (38.6)	239 (43.8)	0.838	0.626-1.124
Sending or reading text messages while driving increases the chances of accidents				
Yes <sup>†</sup>	397 (90.2)	488 (89.4)	1.000	
Uncertain	25 (5.7)	32 (5.9)	0.960	0.559-1.647
No	18 (4.1)	26 (4.8)	0.851	0.459-1.575
Factors	Collision		OR	95% CI
	Yes (n=440) N (%)	No (n=546) N (%)		
Student's behavior				
Mobile phone used while driving				
Hand-held	360 (81.8)	415 (76.0)	1.460	1.023-2.087
Hands-free	23 (5.2)	35 (6.4)	1.110	0.564-2.145
None while driving <sup>†</sup>	57 (13.0)	96 (17.6)	1.000	
Talking on hand-held phone while driving				
Always	310 (70.5)	343 (62.8)	1.435	1.010-2.037
Once in a while	67 (15.2)	103 (18.9)	1.033	0.665-1.604
Rarely or never <sup>†</sup>	63 (14.3)	100 (18.3)	1.000	
Talking on hands-free phone while driving				
Always	128 (29.1)	129 (23.6)	1.469	1.093-1.975
Once in a while	81 (18.4)	75 (13.7)	1.599	1.120-2.282
Rarely or never <sup>†</sup>	231 (52.5)	342 (62.6)	1.000	
Sending or reading text messages while driving				
Always	262 (59.5)	264 (48.4)	1.885	1.400-2.537
Once in a while	79 (18.0)	94 (17.2)	1.596	1.085-2.347
Rarely or never <sup>†</sup>	99 (22.5)	188 (34.4)	1.000	

<sup>†</sup>Reference category. CI=Confidence interval, OR=Odds ratio

## Reference

1. Al-Jasser FS, Mohamed AG, Choudry A, Youssef RM. Mobile phone use while driving and the risk of collision: A study among preparatory year students at King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. J Fam Community Med 2018;25:102-7.

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