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Corrigendum

Corrigendum to "The Role of Medications in Causing Dry Eye"

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In the article titled "The Role of Medications in Causing Dry Eye" [1], there were errors in Tables 3 and 4, where many of the drugs are misclassified and/or allocated to incorrect therapeutic drug classes. This was raised by Nardine Nakhla and Rosemary Killeen [2]. The parts that should be corrected in Tables 3 and 4 are as follows:

TABLE 3: Systemic drugs probably causing or aggravating dry eyes.

| Drug name | Actual drug class |
|---------------------|--|
| Acebutolol | Beta-blocker with intrinsic |
| | sympathomimetic activity |
| Alfuzosin | Alpha ₁ -blocker |
| Atenolol | Beta-blocker |
| Atropine | Anticholinergic; ophthalmic agent, |
| | mydriatic |
| Brompheniramine | Histamine H_1 -antagonist, |
| | first generation |
| Chlorpheniramine | Histamine H_1 -antagonist, |
| Chiorphelinalinie | first generation |
| Chlorthalidone | Diuretic, thiazide-related |
| Clemastine | Histamine H ₁ -antagonist, |
| | first generation |
| Clofazimine | Antibiotic |
| Clonidine | Alpha ₂ -adrenergic agonist |
| Cyproheptadine | Histamine H ₁ -antagonist, |
| | first generation |
| Dexchlorpheniramine | Histamine H_1 -antagonist, |
| | first generation |
| Diphenhydramine | Histamine H ₁ -antagonist, |
| | first generation |
| Doxazosin | Alpha ₁ -blocker |

TABLE 3: Continued

| | TABLE 5: Continued. |
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| Drug name | Actual drug class |
| Doxylamine | Histamine H ₁ -antagonist, first generation; ethanolamine derivative |
| Dronabinol | Antiemetic; appetite stimulant |
| Homatropine | Anticholinergic; ophthalmic agent, mydriatic |
| Hyoscine | Anticholinergic; ophthalmic agent, |
| (scopolamine) | mydriatic |
| Hyoscine methobromide | Antimuscarinic/antispasmodic |
| Indapamide | Diuretic, thiazide-related |
| Ipratropium | Anticholinergic |
| Metolazone | Diuretic, thiazide-related |
| Prazosin | Alpha ₁ -blocker |
| Primidone | Anticonvulsant; barbiturate |
| Promethazine | Histamine H ₁ -antagonist, first generation |
| Tamsulosin | Alpha ₁ -blocker |
| Terazosin | Alpha ₁ -blocker |
| Tolterodine | Anticholinergic |

TABLE 4: Topical ocular drugs that may cause or aggravate dry eye.

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| Drug name | Actual drug class |
| Apraclonidine | Alpha ₂ -agonist |
| Brimonidine (ophthalmic) | Alpha ₂ -agonist; antiglaucoma |
| Dapiprazole | Alpha-blocker |
| Dipivefrine | Prodrug of epinephrine |
| Naphazoline (ophthalmic) | Alpha ₁ -agonist; vasoconstrictor; |
| | imidazoline derivative |
| Tetryzoline (ophthalmic) | Adrenergic agonist; vasoconstrictor; |
| | imidazoline derivative |

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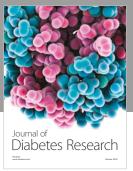
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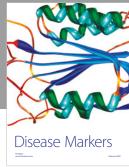
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