



November 8, 2018

Melinda Norton, President
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Jackson, MI 49204

Re: Information Quality Requests for Correction, dated 6/4/2018 and 8/7/2018

Dear Ms. Norton:

This letter is in response to the recent Information Quality Request for Correction, dated June 4, 2018, and follow up letter from Mr. Dale Parrott received on August 7, 2018. The letter requested that the third bullet point, “ A 2014 study by Wehner and colleagues estimated that, if about one-third of Americans indoor tan during their lifetimes, more than 400,000 cases of skin cancer could be related to indoor tanning in the United States each year, “ appearing at https://www.cdc.gov/cancer/skin/basic_info/indoor_tanning.htm be deleted.

As part of an ongoing CDC-wide effort to streamline web pages to be more mobile friendly and to communicate the most relevant information to the general public, we are revising content, navigation, and formats of all webpages for the Division of Cancer Prevention and Control. Accordingly, the Skin Cancer web pages have been redesigned and streamlined. Our statistics pages are now aligned to Healthy People objectives; therefore, the bullet point noted in your letter will no longer appear on our web pages. We anticipate that the changes to the web pages will be implemented by the end of the year.

Thank you for your interest in the quality of information disseminated by CDC.

Sincerely,

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