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# Corrigendum: Being praised for prosocial behaviors longitudinally reduces depressive symptoms in early adolescents: a population-based cohort study

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In the published article, there was an error.

A correction has been made to [Abstract], [Results]. This sentence previously stated:

“Depressive symptoms (SMFQ scores) in the “prosocial praise group” were significantly lower than those in the other group both at age 10 ( $4.3 \pm 4.4$  vs.  $4.9 \pm 4.6$ ,  $p < 0.001$ ) and at age 12 ( $3.4 \pm 4.2$  vs.  $4.0 \pm 4.6$ ,  $p < 0.01$ ).”

The corrected sentence appears below:

“Depressive symptoms (SMFQ scores) in the “prosocial praise group” were significantly lower than those in the other group both at age 10 ( $4.3 \pm 4.4$  vs.  $4.9 \pm 4.6$ ,  $p < 0.001$ ) and at age 12 ( $3.4 \pm 4.2$  vs.  $4.0 \pm 4.6$ ,  $p < 0.01$ ).”

The authors apologize for this error and state that this does not change the scientific conclusions of the article in any way. The original article has been updated.

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