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Retraction: Association of self-leadership with acute stress responses, and acute stress disorders in Chinese medics during the COVID-19 epidemic: a cross-sectional study

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A retraction of the Original Research Article

[Association of self-leadership with acute stress responses, and acute stress disorders in Chinese medics during the COVID-19 epidemic: a cross-sectional study](#)

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