# Correction to: Norwegian reference values for the Short-Form Health Survey 36: development over time 

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In the original publication of the article, the right number of participants included in the analysis should be 2107 and not 2118 as written in the paper. The flow-chart and corrected SF-36 scores for the 2015 data set for this article should have appeared as follows: Fig. 1 and Table 3. These changes did not influence the results. The authors would like to apologize for any inconvenience caused.

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Fig. 1 Flowchart of subject inclusion in the three survey

Table 3 Mean SF-36 scale scores ( $\pm \mathrm{SD}$ ) in 2015 by gender and age group, $N=2107$

| Scales | Age groups |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 18-29 years |  | 30-39 years |  | 40-49 years |  | 50-59 years |  | 60-69 years |  | 70-79 years |  | Total |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{W} \\ & (n=65-68) \end{aligned}$ | $\mathrm{M}(n=36)$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{W}(\mathrm{n}=116- \\ & 120) \end{aligned}$ | M ( $n=81$ ) | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{W}(n=225- \\ & 229) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M }(n=163- \\ & 167) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { W }(n=253- \\ & 260) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{M}(n=209- \\ & 216) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{W}(n=243- \\ & 258) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M }(n=249- \\ & 256) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { W }(n=188- \\ & 207) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { M }(n=180- \\ & 187) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \mathrm{W} \\ & (n=1091- \\ & 1143) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{M}(n=917- \\ & 942) \end{aligned}$ |
| PF | $93.2( \pm 14.7)$ | $97.6( \pm 6.2)$ | $94.0( \pm 10.2)$ | $94.8( \pm 9.6)$ | $90.7( \pm 16.8)$ | $92.8( \pm 12.6)$ | $87.9( \pm 16.1)$ | $90.0( \pm 16.3)$ | $81.2( \pm 22.1)$ | $85.7( \pm 18.4)$ | $71.7( \pm 27.0)$ | $80.5( \pm 19.2)$ | 84.9 ( $\pm 21.0)$ | $88.2( \pm 17.0)$ |
| RP | 78.3 ( $\pm 37.8)$ | $94.4( \pm 18.0)$ | $87.9( \pm 26.1)$ | $90.7( \pm 24.5)$ | 77.6 ( $\pm 37.6)$ | $86.5( \pm 29.6)$ | $73.4( \pm 39.3)$ | $82.5( \pm 32.7)$ | $71.2( \pm 40.1)$ | $76.9( \pm 36.2)$ | $57.3( \pm 43.7)$ | $63.4( \pm 41.8)$ | $72.7( \pm 39.6)$ | $79.1( \pm 35.3)$ |
| BP | $72.7( \pm 27.2)$ | $83.5( \pm 19.1)$ | $76.0( \pm 23.0)$ | $78.8( \pm 24.8)$ | $66.9( \pm 27.5)$ | $71.8( \pm 26.4)$ | $66.4( \pm 25.5)$ | $72.4( \pm 24.8)$ | $64.3( \pm 26.9)$ | $71.6( \pm 25.3)$ | $63.7( \pm 26.7)$ | $68.1( \pm 25.6)$ | $66.9( \pm 26.5)$ | $72.2( \pm 25.3)$ |
| GH | 74.8 ( $\pm 21.1)$ | $75.6( \pm 21.2)$ | $75.2( \pm 20.3)$ | $73.5( \pm 20.2)$ | 75.0 ( $\pm 23.0)$ | 74.6 ( $\pm 22.0)$ | 72.8 ( $\pm 22.8)$ | $74.1( \pm 20.9)$ | $70.7( \pm 22.6)$ | $73.1( \pm 21.8)$ | 69.6 ( $\pm 22.7)$ | $71.6( \pm 18.2)$ | 72.6 ( $\pm 22.5)$ | $73.4( \pm 20.8)$ |
| VT | 47.6 ( $\pm 19.6)$ | $58.3( \pm 18.7)$ | $54.4 \pm 19.1)$ | $57.8( \pm 16.8)$ | $56.2( \pm 19.5)$ | $59.0( \pm 18.5)$ | $56.1( \pm 20.8)$ | $62.2( \pm 18.5)$ | $60.5( \pm 20.9)$ | $63.8( \pm 20.3)$ | $60.4( \pm 21.0)$ | $63.9( \pm 18.2)$ | $57.2( \pm 20.6)$ | $61.9( \pm 18.9)$ |
| SF | 80.8 ( $\pm 25.2)$ | 86.4 ( $\pm 18.7)$ | $84.9( \pm 24.0)$ | $90.1( \pm 19.2)$ | $85.2( \pm 22.2)$ | 89.6 ( $\pm 20.8)$ | $85.1( \pm 21.3)$ | $89.7( \pm 19.1)$ | $87.6( \pm 19.5)$ | $90.3( \pm 18.4)$ | $86.5( \pm 21.5)$ | $86.3( \pm 19.3)$ | $85.7( \pm 21.6)$ | $89.1( \pm 19.3)$ |
| RE | 78.6 ( $\pm 33.6)$ | 79.6 ( $\pm 35.8)$ | 86.6 ( $\pm 29.7)$ | $92.5( \pm 21.0)$ | $88.1( \pm 28.8)$ | $93.7( \pm 22.5)$ | $91.6( \pm 22.0)$ | $91.6( \pm 23.5)$ | $89.1( \pm 27.7)$ | $89.8( \pm 26.1)$ | $82.8( \pm 32.8)$ | $84.2( \pm 30.7)$ | $87.5( \pm 28.5)$ | $89.6( \pm 26.2)$ |
| MH | $74.5( \pm 16.0)$ | $75.5( \pm 15.5)$ | 75.8 ( $\pm 15.6)$ | 78.2 ( $\pm 13.2)$ | 78.6 ( $\pm 16.0)$ | $80.0( \pm 12.7)$ | $80.2( \pm 13.8)$ | $81.5( \pm 13.6)$ | $82.1( \pm 14.0)$ | $83.8( \pm 14.3)$ | $82.5( \pm 13.8)$ | $84.1( \pm 13.4)$ | $79.9( \pm 14.8)$ | $81.9( \pm 13.8)$ |

$P F$ physical functioning, $R P$ role physical, $B P$ bodily pain, $G H$ general health, $V T$ vitality, $S F$ social functioning, $R E$ role emotional, $M H$ mental health. $W$ women, $M$ men


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