

potentially useful for patients with poor blood pressure control who are taking three or more drugs. Using the guidelines outlined in this article and restricting the use of spironolactone to 25 mg, we have found the incidence of serious hyperkalaemia and substantial renal dysfunction to be low. By careful monitoring, however, we have also identified occasional serious cases of hyperkalaemia and stopped treatment before adverse events occurred.

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Corrections and clarifications

Short cuts: What's new in the other general journals

In the "Redistributing wealth is good for health" item by Alison Tonks (*BMJ* 2006;333:643-4, 23 Sep), we omitted a vital dot in the "doi" (that's direct object identifier for those who're interested). This prevented people from linking to the original *Lancet* article or searching successfully for it. The correct doi is 10.1016/S0140-6736(06)69341-0.

Totally transforming Auchendreich

A currency conversion went awry in this Soundings piece by Colin Douglas (*BMJ* 2006;333:609, 16 Sep). In the third paragraph, the consultancy cost of £30m should have been converted to €44.7m and \$56.7m.

Sudanese health minister's advocacy of condoms sparks protest

In this article by Peter Moszynski (*BMJ* 2006;332:1233), we wrongly said that Sudan's health minister, Dr Tabitha Sokaya (who was appointed to the position in September 2005), was "the first woman to hold the post and the first Christian." In fact, we should have said "the first Christian woman to hold the post."



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