

Erratum

The article entitled 'Lung cancer at Groote Schuur Hospital — a local perspective' by P. A. Willcox *et al.*, which appeared on pp. 716 - 720 of the *SAMJ* of 15 December 1990, contained two errors, the first of which was a typing error affecting the last sentence on p. 717 (which should have read '*Squamous carcinomas* were more common in blacks compared with whites') and the first sentence of the last paragraph on p. 719 (which should have read 'Ethnic differences existed with regard to cell type, in that *squamous carcinomas* were more common . . .').

The second error was in the statistical analysis. The second sentence of the first paragraph on p. 718 (beginning 'While there were no differences in cell type between men and women, small-cell carcinomas were more common . . .') should have read 'There were no significant differences in cell type between men and women', and the second sentence of the fifth paragraph under the heading 'Discussion' (pp. 719 - 720), which reads 'Small-cell carcinomas were also more common in black men compared with white and coloured men and women', should be deleted. The authors apologise for these errors.
