

**“Exhaled nitric oxide and the risk of wheezing in infancy: the Generation R Study.” C. Gabriele, V.W. Jaddoe, E. van Mastrigt, L.R. Arends, A. Hofman, H.A. Moll and J.C. de Jongste. *Eur Respir J* 2012; 39: 567–572.**

We regret that an error appeared in table 4 of the above manuscript. The definition of the composite index was printed incorrectly and should have read as follows. <sup>¶</sup>: wheezing within the first 6 months plus eczema or maternal atopy/atopic disease plus FeNO >17.5 ppb.

The table is presented correctly below.

<b>TABLE 4</b> Predictors of wheezing in the second year of life						
	<b>Subjects</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>Sensitivity</b>	<b>Specificity</b>	<b>PPV</b>	<b>NPV</b>
<b>Wheezing within the first 6 months</b>	276	4.3 (2.2–8.5)	43.5 (29.2–58.8)	84.8 (79.3–89)	36.4 (24.1–50.5)	88.2 (83.1–92)
<b>Maternal atopy/atopic disease</b>	392	1.2 (0.67–1.9)	37.3 (26–50.1)	65.8 (60.4–70.9)	18.4 (12.5–26.1)	83.6 (78.4–87.8)
<b>Eczema within the first 6 months</b>	276	0.92 (0.36–2.4)	13.0 (5.4–27)	86.0 (80.7–90.1)	15.8 (6.6–31.9)	83.1 (77.6–87.5)
<b>High FeNO (&gt;17.5 ppb)</b>	392	1.3 (0.72–2.34)	28.4 (18.3–40.9)	76.6 (71.6–81)	20.0 (12.8–29.7)	83.8 (79–87.7)
<b>Clinical index<sup>#</sup></b>	276	5.3 (2.3–11.9)	28.2 (16.5–43.7)	93.0 (88.7–95.8)	44.8 (26.9–64)	86.6 (81.6–90.5)
<b>Composite index<sup>¶</sup></b>	276	4.6 (2.2–9.8)	32.6 (19.9–48.1)	90.4 (85.7–93.8)	40.5 (25.2–57.8)	87.0 (81.9–90.9)

Data are presented as n or value (95% CI). PPV: positive predictive value; NPV: negative predictive value; FeNO: exhaled nitric oxide fraction. <sup>#</sup>: wheezing within the first 6 months plus eczema or maternal atopy/atopic disease; <sup>¶</sup>: wheezing within the first 6 months plus eczema or maternal atopy/atopic disease plus FeNO >17.5 ppb.

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