

## CORRIGENDUM

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### Connexin 43 reduces susceptibility to sympathetic atrial fibrillation

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Following the publication of the above article, the authors have realized that the data shown in Fig. 3B were published previously in Fig 1A of following publication, on which several of were co-authors [Shu C, Huang W, Zeng Z, He Y, Luo B, Liu H, Li J and Xu J: Connexin 43 is involved in the sympathetic atrial fibrillation in canine and canine atrial myocytes. *Anatol J Cardiol* 18: 3-9, 2017]. This error arose inadvertently; the corrected version of Fig. 3, also containing the correct data for Fig. 3B, is shown opposite.

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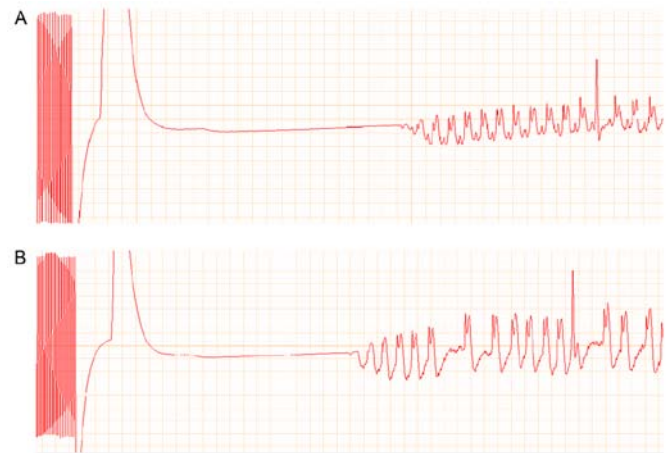


Figure 3 Induction rates of atrial fibrillation. (A) Transient electrical disorder was observed in the RAP group. (B) Atrial fibrillation was induced in the ISO + RAP, RAP + Cx43 siRNA and ISO + RAP + Cx43 siRNA groups. A representative image from the ISO + RAP group is shown. Cx43, connexin 43; N, normal; RAP, rapid atrial pacing; ISO, isoproterenol; siRNA, small interfering RNA.