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In the May 2009 issue of the journal, in the article by Fagernes and Lingaas (Fagernes M, Lingaas E. Impact of finger rings on transmission of bacteria during hand contact. *ICHE* 2009; 30:427-432), there is an error both in the first sentence

of the Results section of the abstract and in table 2: in both cases, "parameter estimates" should have been used instead of "odds ratio." The authors and the publisher regret this error.

In the September 2009 issue of the journal, in the article by Barbosa et al (Barbosa AA, Chapin K, Mermel LA. Methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* colonization of house officers. *ICHE* 2009; 30:912-914), there is an error in the fourth sentence of the last paragraph of the Discussion sec-

tion; this sentence should read as follows: "Because only one-third of the medical [*not* "surgical"] house officers were included in our study, we cannot rule out selection bias." The authors regret this error.