

## Erratum

## Childhood overweight and obesity among Kenyan pre-school children: association with maternal and early child nutritional factors—Erratum

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On page 3 in paragraph 2 of **Results**: Replace the current last sentence in the paragraphOverweight/obese children also had a higher percentage of mothers who were overweight and obese ( $P < 0.001$ ; Table 3).

with the following sentence

Overweight/obese children had a higher percentage of mothers who were overweight and obese ( $P < 0.001$ ; Table 3) and they came from smaller households (5.90 (SD 0.14) *v.* 6.25 (SD 0.10),  $P = 0.037$ ).

Revised table 3

**Table 3** Comparison of household and maternal factors by children's overweight/obesity status: Kenyan Demographic and Health Survey, April–September 2003

	All ( <i>n</i> 1443)		Overweight/obese ( <i>n</i> 255)		Not overweight/obese ( <i>n</i> 1188)	
	%	SE	%	SE	%	SE
Maternal nutritional status***						
Underweight	12.50	1.02	6.15	1.89	13.87	1.17
Normal BMI	66.91	1.30	63.89	3.45	67.59	1.51
Overweight	14.61	0.93	21.23	2.02	13.18	0.99
Obese	5.98	0.71	8.73	1.76	5.38	0.78
Maternal education level						
None/pre-school	13.63	1.49	8.75	1.84	14.69	1.70
Primary school	62.74	1.77	64.38	3.21	62.39	1.93
Secondary school	20.26	1.41	21.98	2.81	19.89	1.56
Post-secondary school	3.34	0.55	4.88	1.37	3.02	0.58
Residence location**						
Urban	16.09	1.19	21.83	2.83	14.85	1.15
Rural	83.91	1.19	78.17	2.83	85.15	1.15
Wealth index						
First quintile	24.40	1.71	23.88	2.99	24.51	1.86
Second quintile	22.32	1.35	19.67	2.53	22.89	1.50
Third quintile	19.90	1.28	17.55	2.54	20.41	1.30
Fourth quintile	17.55	1.38	16.82	2.76	17.71	1.52
Fifth quintile	15.83	1.47	22.08	2.72	14.48	1.52

Overweight/obese, BMI &gt; 85th percentile; not overweight/obese, BMI ≤ 85th percentile.

Percentage values were significantly different between overweight status: \* $P < 0.05$ , \*\* $P < 0.01$ , \*\*\* $P < 0.001$ .

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