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Retraction Note: The global distribution of acute unintentional pesticide poisoning: estimations based on a systematic review

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The Editor has retracted this article because concerns were raised about the use of ‘ever’ prevalence of pesticide poisoning to represent annual frequency in the extrapolations by a reader and by Dunn et al. [1]. Expert assessment has confirmed the validity of this concern and also concluded that the assumption of annual exposure for countries where the time frame is not reported is unreliable. The Editor therefore no longer has confidence in the results and conclusions presented.

All authors disagree with this retraction.

References

1. Dunn SE, Reed JE, Neumann C. Letter to the editor regarding the article the global distribution of acute unintentional pesticide poisoning: estimations based on a systematic review. *BMC Public Health*. 2021;21:1944. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-021-11940-0>.

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