

In the article, “Optimizing the culture environment and embryo manipulation to help maintain embryo developmental potential” (Fertil Steril 2016;105:571-87), there are errors in Table 4. All superscripts in the column “21% O₂ (%)” should

have the superscript “a” indicating significant differences with the corresponding data in the “5% O₂ (%)” column. The corrected Table 4 is below:

TABLE 4		
Effects of reduced oxygen concentration in a predominantly blastocyst transfer program.		
Endpoint	21% O ₂ (%)	5% O ₂ (%)
Clinical pregnancy	56/115 (48.7) ^a	74/115 (64.3) ^b
Implantation	95/267 (35.6) ^a	122/247 (49.4) ^b
Live birth	49/115 (42.6) ^a	66/115 (57.4) ^b
<i>Note:</i> When examining all patients in a prospective randomized trial, extended culture in low oxygen significantly improved clinical pregnancy, implantation, and live birth. (Adapted from Meintjes et al. [72]).		
^{a,b} Different superscripts between columns represent a statistically significant difference, <i>P</i> < .05.		
<i>Swain. Optimizing IVF laboratory conditions. Fertil Steril 2016.</i>		