

## **Corrections & Retractions Policy**

### **Journal of Clinical Electrophysiology & Wound Management (JCEWM)**

JCEWM follows COPE guidelines in handling post-publication issues.

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#### **1. Corrections (Errata)**

A correction will be issued when:

- A significant error affects the accuracy of the published record
- The error impacts interpretation but does not invalidate the overall findings

Corrections will be:

- Linked to the original article
  - Clearly labeled as “Correction” or “Erratum”
  - Published promptly upon identification and verification
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#### **2. Retractions**

Retractions may occur if:

- There is evidence of unreliable data or findings
- Plagiarism or duplicate publication is identified
- Ethical standards were violated
- Undisclosed conflicts of interest compromised the integrity of the article

Retraction notices will:

- Be clearly labeled as “Retraction”
  - Remain permanently linked to the original article
  - Clearly state the reason for retraction
  - Remain publicly accessible
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### **3. Expressions of Concern**

If an investigation is ongoing and conclusive evidence is not yet available, JCEWM may publish an Expression of Concern.

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### **4. Author Appeals**

Authors may appeal editorial decisions or retractions by submitting a written explanation to the Editor-in-Chief. Appeals will be reviewed independently and fairly by associate editors and reviewers not involved in the manuscript reviews.