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When proof reading the manuscript we found an error on page 8, second paragraph: "Compared to the 65 to 74 year age group, a lower proportion of near centenarians had claims for....and diagnostic imaging services (51% vs. 77%)..."

This sentence should have read "Compared to the 65 to 74 year age group, a lower proportion of near centenarians had claims for....and diagnostic imaging services (68% vs. 77%)..."

[51% is the proportion of centenarians who accessed diagnostic imaging services, not near centenarians]

We have amended this error in the manuscript.