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In response to your comments:

1. Article has been adjusted to better match text and title

2. While working on our thesis about “death & dementia”, we questioned the reliability of mortality statistics. In this article we focus more on the reliability of mortality statistics, but we used our data from the thesis to illustrate the bigger problem of questionable mortality data.

3. The statement mentioned in the article, " Seems near to impossible" has been changed

4. Indeed, we still have to do an qualitative study, perhaps in a next project. Meanwhile we adjusted this article.

5. Language has been refined.