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Since the online publication of this article, the authors have noticed the following errors:

1) The following authors were missing the middle initial in their name; Bernard A Fox, Walter J Urba, Julie R Brahmer, Daniel S Chen, Tanja D de Gruijl, F Stephen Hodi Jr, Howard L Kaufman, Michael T Lotze, Kim M Margolin, Francesco M Marincola. The author name Jon M Wigginton was also spelt incorrectly as Jon M Wiggington. The author list is shown below and has been updated in the article.

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2) Affiliations 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 26, 28 were incorrect and affiliations 8, 32, 34 have been removed. The updated affiliation list is shown below and has been updated in the article.

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3) In the main text,

- ▶ The sentence ‘The hypoxia and profound inflammatory response associated with the pneumonitis observed with the severe acute respiratory virus coronavirus-2 SARS-COV-2 virus...’ now reads ‘The hypoxia and profound inflammatory response associated with the pneumonitis observed with the SARS-CoV-2 virus...’
- ▶ The sentence ‘One possibility is to encourage the use of IL-6 or IL-6-receptor (IL-6R) blocking antibodies like tocilizumab (Actemra, Roche-Genentech), sarilumab (Kevzara, Regeneron) and siltuximab (Sylvant, EUSA Pharma)...’ now reads ‘One possibility is to encourage the use of IL-6 or IL-6-receptor (IL-6R) blocking antibodies like tocilizumab (ActemraTM, Roche-Genentech), sarilumab (KevzaraTM, Regeneron) and siltuximab (SylvantTM, EUSA Pharma)...’
- ▶ The sentence ‘...including tocilizumab and sarilumab for use on a compassionate basis to critically ill hospitalized COVID-19-infected patients during this extraordinary situation’ now reads ‘...including tocilizumab and sarilumab for use on a compassionate basis to critically ill hospitalized SARS-CoV-2-infected patients during this extraordinary situation’

4) To acknowledge medical writing support, the acknowledgment section has been updated to read:

‘The authors thank the clinicians working tirelessly on the frontlines of the COVID-19 pandemic. The authors also acknowledge SITC staff for their contributions including Sam Million Weaver, PhD for medical writing and editorial support and Angela Kilbert for project management and assistance. Additionally, the authors wish to thank the society for supporting the manuscript development.’

5) In the competing interests section:

- ▶ Bristol-Myers Squibb was spelt incorrectly as ‘Bristol-Myer Squibb’ and ‘Bristol-Myers-Squibb’
- ▶ The initials for authors BF, JB, ACA, DC, TdG. HK, ML, FM, KM now read BAF, JRB, AC, DSC, TDG, HLK, MTL, FMM, KAM

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This correction notice incorrectly stated that Kim Margolin's middle initial was 'M' instead of 'A' in the first paragraph.

The first paragraph should instead read, 'The following authors were missing the middle initials in their names; Bernard A Fox, Walter J Urba, Julie R Brahmer, Daniel S Chen, Tanja D de Gruijl, F Stephen Hodi Jr, Howard L Kaufman, Michael T Lotze, Kim A Margolin, Francesco M Marincola. The author name Jon M Wigginton was also spelt incorrectly as Jon M Wigginton. The author list is shown below and has been updated in the article.'

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