Letters to the Editor

Ricardo Baroudi
Editor-in-chief of the Revista Brasileira de Cirurgia Plástica (Brazilian Journal of Plastic Surgery)

Dear editor,

Regarding the manuscript “Laserlipólise: redução da pele e prevenção de umbigo flácido nas lipoplastias seguindo parâmetros de segurança no uso do laser de diodo – com duplo comprimento de onda 924 e 975 nm” (Laserlipolysis: skin tightening lipoplasty followed by safety parameters for use of diode laser with double wavelength of 924 nm and 975 nm), published in issue 26-2 of the Revista Brasileira de Cirurgia Plástica (Brazilian Journal of Plastic Surgery), the authors report the application of 5,000 J for each 10 cm² but also report the application of the same energy for each 10 × 10 cm square, i.e., 100 cm².

Considering my experience with this laser, I believe that the authors are really referring to 100 cm². However, only one of these can be correct.

I did not find any remarks on this issue in previous publications, and therefore I am discussing this issue.

Thank you for your attention. I would like to take this opportunity to express my great admiration for this journal.

Sincerely yours,

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