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Alhumdullilah, we are happy to announce that the Canadian Medical Association Journal (CMAJ) has retracted a dangerous, harmful and short-sighted article that targeted the hijab. Shortly after a one-on-one virtual meeting this week with Tabassum Wyne, Muslim Advisory Council of Canada's Executive Director and Founder, CMAJ Interim Editor-in-Chief Kirsten Patrick rightly issued a formal apology in addition to the full retraction of the article.

"Grateful to have had the chance to talk to the Executive Director of @MACCMuslims today and benefit from her advice and counsel, and also to hear from other Muslim women across Canada", Patrick said in a statement on Twitter.

The Muslim Advisory Council of Canada will continue to advocate for what is right and fair, and work to bridge the gap between Muslims and non-Muslims through understanding and meaningful dialogue, as we did during this week's conversations.

The Muslim Advisory Council of Canada is a not for profit organization dedicated to empowering the Canadian Muslim diaspora and providing a platform to advocate for an equitable society. For press inquiries contact: info@muslimadvisory.ca.