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Research is the basis of so-called evidence-based medicine. Government officials want doctors to practice only by the evidence. But research garners evidence from a very limited list of selected patients with certain acceptable qualities. And research is also experiencing a high level of fraud.

Last year was a “record-breaking year for retractions.” One doctor retracted 172 papers. There’s even an organization called Retraction Watch. A psychologist says scientists are human and want to publish research and advance their careers. That’s not research. That’s just plain wrong.