

# PolitiFact's False Description of Corrections Policy Goes Uncorrected

Upon reviewing PolitiFact's past descriptions of its corrections policy, I found [an item by PolitiFact's founding editor](#), Bill Adair. Adair announced the creation of a PolitiFact page dedicated to listing "articles or Truth-O-Meter fact checks" that feature a correction.

In fact, that page does not show corrected "articles" as PolitiFact employs the term. The list has featured only "Truth-O-Meter" items. Other articles such as explainer articles, "In Context" items, "Flip-O-Meter" items and promise items (such as "Obameter" stories) do not appear on the list when corrected.

I pointed out the problem to PolitiFact using its [truthometer@politifact.com](mailto:truthometer@politifact.com) contact email, albeit without including the URL to the problem article (I trust a fact checker should be able to find it easily based on the included description).

The email was sent on Thursday, June 6, 2019. After the passage of nearly a full week, PolitiFact has made no discernable move to reply to my message or fix the misleading article. That inaction in response to the indication of a clear error seems to count against claims that PolitiFact adheres scrupulously to an open and honest corrections policy.

Thanks for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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