I sent an email to the CDC regarding their "Top 50 Causes of Death in the U.S." I asked why they omitted the #3 cause: Medical Accidents. I provided this link as evidence:

<http://www.medicalnewstoday.com/releases/11856.php>

However, I'm sure there are many more such links since I have never heard anyone dispute the fact that medical accidents are a leading cause of death.

I pointed out to them that omitting #3 makes it appear as though they are trying to hide this fact, and are hoping no one will notice. Here is the reply I received followed by my replies, which I sent in the next email:

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*Thank you for your inquiry to CDC-INFO.*

*So that CDC can verify the most current information and best respond to your inquiry, can you please elaborate further on your question.*

*This will aid us in better responding to your inquiry.*

My question was quite simple and clear:

"Why do you fail to list the #3 cause of death: medical accidents?"

I added a comment to the question:

"It makes it appear as though you are trying to hide something."

I even enclosed a link as supporting evidence.

But there have been many stories about this subject

and I have seen nothing to indicate that anyone disputes it.

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If this email is your way of ignoring the issue ... fine.

Let it drop.

I'm not the only one who is wondering.

(They did not reply)