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Book by more than six authors	Gilman, S., Ableman, R. Q., Smith, W., Patton, R., Harlow, T. V., Robinson, D. N., et al. (1993). <i>Hysteria beyond Freud</i> . Berkley: University of California Press.
Book by a corporate author	American Medical Association. (1989). <i>The American Medical Association encyclopedia of medicine</i> . New York: Ransom.
Book with no author	<i>Encyclopedia of Virginia</i> . (1993). New York: Somerset.
Book by an editor	Feldman, P. R., (Ed.). (1997). <i>British women poets of the Romantic Era</i> . Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press.
Translation	Laplace, P. S. (1951). <i>A philosophical essay on probabilities</i> (F. W. Truscott & F. L. Emory, Trans.). New York: Dover.  (Original work published 1814)
Multivolume work	Sadie, S. (Ed.). (1980). <i>The new Grove dictionary of music and musicians</i> (6th ed., Vols. 1-20). London: Macmillan.

Work in an anthology	Bjork, R. A. (1989). Retrieval inhibition as an adaptive mechanism in human memory. In H. L. Roediger III & F. I. M. Craik (Eds.), <i>Varieties of memory &amp; consciousness</i> (pp. 309-330). Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum.
Article in an encyclopedia	Bergmann, P. G. (1993). Relativity. In <i>Encyclopedia Britannica</i> (Vol. 26, pp. 501-508). Chicago: Encyclopedia Britannica.

### *Articles*

Article in a scholarly journal	Mellers, B. A. (2000). Choice and the relative pleasure of consequences. <i>Psychological Bulletin</i> , 126, 910-924.
Article in a scholarly journal, two to six authors	Saywitz, K. J., Mannarino, A. P., Berliner, L., & Cohen, J. A. (2000). Treatment for sexually abused children and adolescents. <i>American Psychologists</i> , 55, 1040-1049.
Article in a scholarly journal, more than six authors	Wolchik, S. A., West, S. G., Sandler, I. N., Tein, J., Coatsworth, D., Lengua, L., et al. (2000). An experimental evaluation of theory-based mother and mother-child programs for children of divorce. <i>Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology</i> , 68, 843-856.
Article in a magazine	Kandel, E. R., & Squire, L. R. (2000, November 10). Neuroscience: Breaking down scientific barriers to the study of brain and mind. <i>Science</i> , 290, 1113-1120.
Article in a newspaper	Hall, T. (1998, February 24). IQ Scores Are Up, and Psychologists Wonder Why. <i>New York Times</i> , pp. F1.
Review	Schatz, B. R. (2000). Learning by text or context? [Review of the book <i>The social life of information</i> ]. <i>Science</i> , 290, 1304.

### **Media**

Movie	Scorsese, M. (Producer), & Lonergan, K. (Writer/Director).  (2000). <i>You can count on me</i> [Motion picture]. United States: Paramount Pictures.
Movie not widely released	Harrison, J. (Producer), & Schmiechen, R. (Director). (1992).  <i>Changing our minds: The story of Evelyn Hooker</i> [Motion picture]. (Available from Changing Our Minds, Inc., 170 West End Avenue, Suite 25R, New York, NY 10023)
Single episode from a television series	Hall, B. (Writer), & Bender, J. (Director). (1991). The rules of the game [Television series episode]. In J. Sander (Producer), <i>I'll fly away</i> . New York: New York Broadcasting Company.

### **Electronic Resources**

Web site created by private organization, no date	Greater New Milford (Ct) Area Healthy Community 2000, Task Force on Teen and Adolescent Issues. (n.d.). <i>Who has time for a family meal? You do!</i> Retrieved October 5, 2000, from <a href="http://www.familymealtime.org">http://www.familymealtime.org</a>
Web site, report from government agency	United States Sentencing Commission. (1998, November). <i>1997 sourcebook of federal sentencing statistics</i> . Retrieved December 8, 1999, from <a href="http://www.ussc.gov/annrpt/1997/sbtoc97.htm">http://www.ussc.gov/annrpt/1997/sbtoc97.htm</a>
Article in a journal database	Goldberg, J. (2002). Man Bites Dog. <i>National Review</i> , 54, 443-449. Retrieved March 19, 2003, from WilsonSelectPlus database.
Article in a newspaper database	Erickson, K. (2003, March 8). New rules proposed for sex offenders. <i>Pantagraph</i> . Retrieved May 21, 2003, from Lexis-Nexis Academic database.

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