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• Davis B, Smith M, Russell-Pinson L. 2013. Communicating as caring; Examples of e-training for patient-centered dementia care. Southern Gerontological Society, Charlotte, APR.

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