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Example: A Book by two authors:

Groppelli, A. A. & Nikbakht, E. (2006). *Finance*. (5th ed.). Haupauge: Barron's.

Irwin, B. J., & Burckhardt, J. A. (2005). *NCLEX-RN exam.* New York: Simon & Schuster.

Examples: A Book by (3+) authors.

Treble, H. A., Freble, H. A., & King, M. (1930). Everyday life in Rome in the time of Caesar and Cicero. Oxford: The Clarendon Press.

Casper, S. E., Nissenbaum, S. W., Winship, M. & Groves, J. D. (2007). *A history of the book In America: The industrial book*. Chapel Hill: UNCP.

Example: A book by more than 6 authors:

Dinh, L., Dinh, B., Thu H. D., Huy T. N., Khue, L. M., Thien, D. P. et al. (1996). *Night again: contemporary fiction from Vietnam.* New York: Seven Stories Press.

* When a work has more than six authors, use last name and initials of the first author followed by "et al" which stands for (and others) and the year.

Example: A book with no author or editor

The American heritage college dictionary (4th ed.). (2002). New York: Houghton Mifflin Co.

Example: Book, revised edition.

Tocqueville, A. (1945). *Democracy in American* (Rev. ed.). New York: A. A. Knopf.

Examples: A book with editor/s:

Davies, J. A. (Ed.). (2006). *Branching morphogenesis*. New York: Springer.

Lan, Y. & Ungekar, B. (Eds.). (2006). *Global* integrated supply chain systems. Hershey: Ideal Group Pub.

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Moss, M. T. (2005). *The emotionally intelligent nurse leader* [Adobe Digital version]. Retrieved from http://www.netlibrary.com/

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Author, I. I. (Year, Month Date). Title of article.

Name of Publication, vol #(issue#), page #s.

Examples:

Schorr, D. (1996, November 4-18). Close to a shakedown. *New Leader*, *79*(3), 32-39.

Ulloth, J. K. (2002, November). The benefits of humor in nursing education. *Journal of Nursing Education*, *41*, 476-481.

Goldrick, B. A., & Goetz, A.M. (2003). Keeping West Nile virus at bay. *Nursing Journal*, 33(8), 44-46.

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Nye, J. S., Jr. (2004). Nationalism. In *The* world book encyclopedia (vol.14, p.266). Chicago: The World Book.

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Author, I. I. (Date). Title of article. *Title of Periodical, vol #*(issue #), page #s. doi #: (digital object identifier) - if no doi # assigned, use the journal home page URL:.

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- Webster, P. (2009, September). Federal policies fuel spread of swine flu, experts say. *CMAJ: Canadian Medical Association Journal*, 181(5), E90-E91. doi:10.1503/cmaj.091355
- Cisneros, R. (2009, November). Assessment of critical thinking in pharmacy students. American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education, 73(4), 1-7. Retrieved from http://www.ajpe.org/

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Author, I. I. (Date). Title of article. *Title of Periodical, vol#*(issue #), page #s. doi #: - if no doi # assigned, give the URL.

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- Pole, N. (2005, February). Why are Hispanics at greater risk for PTSD? *Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology*, *11*(2), 144-161. Doi:10.1037/1099-9809.11.2.144
- Arum, R. (2009, Fall). Law and disorder in the classroom. *Education Next* 9(4), 59-61. Retrieved from http://www.educationext.org/

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Author, I. I. (Date). *Title of work*. Retrieved from http:// web address (if the source has no date, give date of access).

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A primer on drug addiction. (n.d.). Addiction Science Network. Retrieved Sept.12, 2009 from http://www.addictionscience.net/ ASNprimer.htm

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Author, I. I. (year, month, date), *Title*. Type of presentation at Location.

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