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Kastenbaum R, editor. Encyclopedia of adult development. Phoenix: Oryx Press; 1993.

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Hanks G, Cherny NI, Christakis NA, Kaasa S. Oxford textbook of palliative medicine. Oxford university press; 2011.

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Anderson JC. Current status of chorion villus biopsy. Paper presented at: APSB 1986. Proceedings of the 4th Congress of the Australian Perinatal Society, Mothers and Babies; 1986 Sep 8–10; Queensland, Australian. Berlin: Springer; 1986. p. 182–191.

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