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## References

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Barlow, D. H. & Lehman, C. L. (1996). Advances in the psychosocial treatment of anxiety disorders. *Archives of General Psychiatry*, 53, 727-735

### 2. Book chapter:

Cutrona, C. E. & Russell, D. (1990). Type of social support and specific stress: Towards a theory of optimum matching. (In I.G. Sarason, B. R. Sarason, & G. Pierce (Eds.), *Social support: An interactional view* (pp. 341-366). New York: Wiley.)

### 3. Book, authored:

Capland, G. (1964). *Principles of preventive psychiatry*. (New York: Basic Books)

### 4. Book, edited:

Felner, R. D., Jason, L. A., Moritsugu, J. N. & Farber, S. S. (Eds.) (1983). *Preventive psychology: Theory, research and practice*. (New York: Pergamon Press)

### 5. Paper presented at a conference:

Phelan, J. C., Link, B. G., Stueve, A. & Pescosolido, B. A. (1996, November). *Have public conceptions of mental health changed in the past half century? Does it matter?* (Paper presented at the 124<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, New York)

### 6. Patent:

Name and date of patent are optional

Norman, L. O. (1998) Lightning rods. US Patent 4,379,752, 9 Sept 1998

### 7. Dissertation:

Trent, J.W. (1975) Experimental acute renal failure. Dissertation, University of California

## 8. Published and In press articles with or without DOI:

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Wilson, M., et al. (2006). References. In: Wilson, Mm (ed) *Style manual*. Springer. (Berlin Heidelberg New York: Springer) (in press)

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Slifka, M. K. & Whitton, J. L. (2000). Clinical implications of dysregulated cytokine production. *Journal of Molecular Medicine* 78,74–80. DOI 10.1007/s001090000086

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VandenBos, G., Knapp, S., & Doe, J. (2001). Role of reference elements in the selection of resources by psychology undergraduates. *Journal of Bibliographic Research*, 5, 117-123. Retrieved October 13, 2001, from <http://jbr.org/articles.html>

### 9.2. Article in an Internet-only journal

Fredrickson, B. L. (2000, March 7). Cultivating positive emotions to optimize health and well-being. *Prevention & Treatment*, 3, Article 0001a. Retrieved November 20, 2000, from <http://journals.apa.org/prevention/volume3/pre0030001a.html>

### 9.3. Article in an Internet-only newsletter

Glueckauf, R. L., Whitton, J., Baxter, J., Kain, J., Vogelgesang, S., Hudson, M., et al. (1998, July). Videocounseling for families of rural teens with epilepsy -- Project update. *Telehealth News*, 2(2). Retrieved from <http://www.telehealth.net/subscribe/newsletr4a.html1>

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*GVU's 8th WWW user survey*. (n.d.). Retrieved August 8, 2000, from <http://www.cc.gatech.edu/gvu/usersurveys/survey1997-10/>.

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Chou, L., McClintock, R., Moretti, F., Nix, D. H. (1993). *Technology and education: New wine in new bottles: Choosing pasts and imagining educational futures*. Retrieved August 24, 2000, from Columbia University, Institute for Learning Technologies Web site: <http://www.ilt.columbia.edu/publications/papers/newwine1.html>Other Electronic Sources

### 9.6. Electronic copy of a journal article, three to five authors, retrieved from database

Borman, W. C., Hanson, M. A., Oppler, S. H., Pulakos, E. D., & White, L. A. (1993). Role of early supervisory experience in supervisor performance. *Journal of Applied Psychology*, 78, 443-449. Retrieved October 23, 2000, from PsycARTICLES database

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