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Duran, B., Oetzel, J., Parker, T., Malcoe, L., Lucero, J., & Jiang, Y.. (2009). Intimate partner violence and alcohol, drug, and mental disorders among American Indian women from Southwest tribes in primary care. *American Indian and Alaska Native Mental Health Research, 16*(2), 11-27. Retrieved from Ethnic NewsWatch (ENW).

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