

APA CITATION EXAMPLES

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General Guidelines for APA Style References

- Give your citation page the title of "References."
- References are listed in alphabetical order by author's last name, or if no author, by title.
- Most references include: author, year of publication, title and publishing or retrieval data.
- For sources found online, include the DOI (digital object identifier), if available. If not DOI is given, include the URL proceeded by the words, "Retrieved from..."
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Book with Two Authors	Kail, R. V., & Cavanaugh, J. C. (2010). <i>Human development: A life-span view</i> (5th ed.).	(Kail & Cavanaugh, 2010)
	Belmont, CA: Wadsworth Cengage.	
Chapter in an Edited Anthology	Tannen, D. (2006). You just don't understand: Women and men in conversation. In E. Disch	(Tannen, 2006, p. 218)
	(Ed.), Reconstructing gender: A multicultural anthology (pp. 216-221). Boston:	NOTE: With direct quotes, list the
	McGraw-Hill.	author, year and page number
Electronic Version of Print Book	Relman, A. S. (2007). A second opinion: Rescuing America's healthcare. Retrieved from	(Relman, 2007)
	http://common.books24x7.com	
Article from an Online Encyclopedia	Bennett, L. W. & Williams, O. J. (2017). Perpetrators of intimate partner violence. In	(Bennett & Williams, 2017)
	Encyclopedia of Social Work. Retrieved from	
	http://socialwork.oxfordre.com/view/10.1093/acrefore/9780199975839.001.0001/acre	
	fore-9780199975839-e-996	
Scholarly Journal Article, no DOI	Anderson, W. K. Z., & Buzzanell, P. M. (2007). Outcasts among outcasts: Identity, gender and	(Anderson & Buzzanell, 2007)
	leadership in a Mac users group. Women and Language, 30(1), 32-46. Retrieved from	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
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Scholarly Journal Article from Database, with DOI	Greenfield, P., & Yan, Z. (2006). Children, adolescents, and the Internet: A new field of inquiry	(Greenfield & Yan, 2006)
	in developmental psychology [Special section]. Developmental Psychology, 42(3), 391-	
	394. doi:10.1037/0012-1649.42.3.391	
Section, article or page within a Website	Cohen, D., & Taylor, P. (2010, December 20). Baby boomers approach 65 – glumly: Survey	(Cohen & Taylor, 2010)
	findings about America's largest generation. In Pew Research Center. Retrieved from	
	http://pewresearch.org/pubs/1834/baby-boomers-old-age-downbeat-pessimism	
Web page with no date	American Psychological Association. (n.d.). Recovering emotionally from disaster. Retrieved	(American Psychological Association, n.d.)
	from http://www.apa.org/helpcenter/recording-disasters.aspx	
Professional	Association of Occupational Health Professionals in Healthcare. (2010, August 4). AOHP	(Association of Occupational Health Professionals in Healthcare, 2010)
Organization	comment to OSHA on exposure to infectious disease. AOHP. Retrieved from	
	http://www.aohp.org/documents/tools_for_your_work/PublicComments20100804.pdf	
Government	National Institute of Mental Health. (2008). Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD)	(National Institute of Mental Health, 2008)
Document	(NIH Publication No. 08-3572). Retrieved from	
	http://www.nimh.nih.gov/health/publications/attention-deficit-hyperactivity-	
	disorder/complete-index.shtml	
Data Set	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services	(U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Office of Applied Studies, 2013)
	Administration, Office of Applied Studies. (2013). Treatment episode data set discharges	
	(TEDS-D) concatenated, 2006 to 2009 [Data set]. doi:10.3886/ICPSR30122.v2	
Photograph from Digital Archive	Unidentified soldier in Union uniform with musket, knapsack, and bedroll. (ca. 1861-1865)	(Unidentified solder, 1861-1865)
	[Photograph]. Liljenquist family collection (DLC2010650518). Library of Congress,	
	Prints and Photographs Division, Washington, D.C. Retrieved from	
	http://loc.gov/pictures/resource/ppmsca.26857/	
DVD or Video	Jordon, P. (Producer and Director). (1973). Aging [DVD]. Del Mar, CA: McGraw-Hill Films.	(Jordon, 1973)
Video from YouTube	National Association of Social Workers. (2007, November 9). <i>On any given day, social workers</i> help [Video file]. Retrieved from http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LGGIKZE0deU	(National Association of Social Workers, 2007)
Podcast	Bell, T., & Phillips, T. (2008, May 6). A solar flare. <i>Science @ NASA Podcast</i> . Podcast retrieved	(Bell & Phillips, 2008)
	from http://science.nasa.gov/podcast.htm	
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