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E.g. Wirth and Mitchell (1994) found that although there was a reduction in insulin dosage over a period of two weeks in the treatment condition compared to the control condition, the difference was not statistically significant.

- 2) When the authors of a source are *not* part of the formal structure of the sentence, both the authors and year of publication appear in parentheses.

E.g. Reviews of research on religion and health have concluded that at least some types of religious behaviors are related to higher levels of physical and mental health (Payne, Bergin, Bielema, & Jenkins, 1991).

- 3) When a direct quotation is used, always include the author, year, and page number as part of the citation.

E.g. Patients receiving prayer had "less congestive heart failure, required less diuretic and antibiotic therapy, had fewer episodes of pneumonia, had fewer cardiac arrests, and were less frequently intubated and ventilated" (Byrd, 1988, p.829).

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