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List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Patient Adherence to Tuberculosis Treatment: A Systematic Review of Qualitative Research. PLoS Medicine, 2007, 4, e238.	8.4	734
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