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## CSE Style Citation: In-text Citation

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### In-text Citations are a Two-part Process:

Within the body of your paper, identify the in-text citation by placing the authors(s) name and year in parentheses. For each in-text citation, there must be a corresponding source in the Reference list.

#### **Example - Single author**

##### *In-text citation*

Research has shown miRNAs control many aspects of physiological processes in both humans and animals (Wahid 2010).

##### *Reference Entry*

Wahid F. 2010. MicroRNAs: synthesis, mechanism, function, and recent clinical trials. *Biochim Biophys Acta Mol Cell Res.* [accessed 2021 Mar 24] 1803(11):1231-1243.  
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bbamcr.2010.06.013>.

#### **Example - Single author no date**

##### *In-text citation*

One way that people express themselves is with body art--tattooing and branding are examples (Archer [date unknown]).

##### *Reference entry*

Archer D. [date unknown]. *The human body: Appearance, shape and self-image*. Santa Cruz (CA): University of California Santa Cruz. [accessed 2021 Mar 24.]  
<http://nonverbal.ucsc.edu/body.html>.

#### **Example - more than two authors**

##### *In-text*

The Covid-19 pandemic has had an impact on healthcare workers (Antonijevic et al. 2020).

##### *Reference entry*

Antonijevic J, et al. 2020. Mental Health of Medical Personnel During the COVID-19 Pandemic.[database]. Brain Behav. [updated; accessed 2021 Mar 24];10(12): p. e01881–n/a.  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/brb3.1881>.

### **Example - No author**

#### *In-text*

Stressful challenges have surfaced (Coping...2021) with the onset of the Covid-19 pandemic.

#### *Reference entry*

Coping with stress. 2021. Atlanta (GA): Centers of Disease Control and Prevention. [accessed 2021 Mar 24.] <http://cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/managing-stress-anxiety.html>

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