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Mihailidis, S. and S. Woodroffe (2008). Timing and sequence of emergence of primary incisors in twins. International Symposium on Dental Morphology, Greifswald, Germany.

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Townsend, G. (2009). Studies of teeth and oral health in Australian twins and their families. 'Research involving twins: an invaluable part of a medical researcher's

repertoire': Australian Twin Registry meeting, Garvan Institute, Sydney.

Townsend, G., T. Hughes, et al. (2008). How studies of twins can inform our understanding of dental morphology. 14th International Symposium on Dental Morphology, Greifswald, Germany.

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Wade, T. (2008). Shared and unique risk factors between lifetime purging and objective binge eating: a twin study. International Conference on Eating Disorders, Seattle, USA.

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