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Generic drug names should be used in text, tables, and figures.

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 1. Khair K, Holland M, Vidler V, Loran C, Harrington C. Why don't haemophilia nurses do research? *Haemophilia* 2012; 18: 540-3.
- Reference to a book
 2. Jones P. *Living with Haemophilia*. 2002. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Reference to chapter in a book
 3. Escobar MA, Roberts HR. Less common congenital disorders of hemostasis. In:

Kitchens CS ed. Consultative Hemostasis and Thrombosis, 3rd edn. Philadelphia, PA: W.B. Saunders Company; 2013: in press.

- Reference to a webpage
5. European Medicines Agency (EMA). European Public Assessment Report (EPAR) NovoSeven Summary for the Public. 2009. Available from http://www.ema.europa.eu/ema/index.jsp?curl=pages/medicines/human/medicines/000074/human_med_000936.jsp&mid=WC0b01ac058001d124 (accessed 9 September 2013).