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# Citation Styles: Compare and Contrast

Any document that requires research requires citations. Knowing the basics of the most common reference styles will help you recognize and apply the right format. See the examples below as a starting point.

## JOURNAL ARTICLE

### American Psychological Association (APA):

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### Modern Language Association (MLA):

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### Chicago Manual of Style (CMOS) Author-Date:

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## BOOK

### APA:

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Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. (2023, May 16). *CMS Strategic Plan*. Retrieved June 6, 2023, from <https://www.cms.gov/cms-strategic-plan>

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