

Sample DNA Citations

Diana Elder, AG and Nicole Dyer



Questions to Guide DNA Citations



Who

Who created the source

Publisher/testing company
i.e. *Ancestry*



What

What is the source

Database title or report name
i.e. *Ancestry DNA, database report for [name of test taker]*



When

When was the source created

Date the database was accessed or report was created
i.e. *accessed 18 January 2019*



Where within

Where within the source is the information

Details about the matches
i.e. *predicting 5-8th cousin genetic match with user "A.S." at Moderate confidence*



Where is

Where is the source located in the world

URL
i.e. *<https://ancestry.com>*

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