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## Annual Meeting of the American College of Epidemiology

Atlanta, GA, September 24-26, 2000

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# A SAMPLE ABSTRACT WITH COMPLETE TYPING INSTRUCTIONS

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