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Education & Specialty Certification

Ph.D., Pharmaceutical Health
Services Research, University of
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Research Areas and Active Projects

Medication Appropriateness in the Elderly
Medication Quality in the Elderly
Drug Use and Quality Care in Long-Term Care
Outcomes Research
Pharmacoepidemiology
Pharmacoeconomics

Publications

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