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PD-1 blockade reinvigorates bone marrow CD8<sup>+</sup> T cells from patients with multiple myeloma in the presence of TGF- $\beta$  inhibitors. *Clin Cancer Res* 2020; 26: 1644.

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