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White Papers

Gold Standard/Best Practices Infographic White Paper
DDCAT Evaluation White Paper (July 2013)
Patient Recommendation Scores White Paper (August 2013)
Patient Satisfaction Scores White Paper (September 2013)
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Treatment Outcomes for Young Adults with Substance Use Disorders (January 2014)
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Benefits of Dual Diagnosis Treatment: 2013 Patient Outcomes for Substance Use and Mental Health Disorders (March/April 2014)
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Patient Satisfaction at the Canyon at Peace Park (July 2014)
Outcomes for Opiate Users at FRN Facilities (Aug/Sept 2014)
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FRN Research and Outcomes One Year Post-Treatment (May 2015)
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